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NEWSLETTER

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The MEETING on October 2nd, 1977 will be in OUR NEW LOCATION,

The AUDITORIUM OF THE LONG BEACH PUBLIC LIBRARY

101 Pacific Avenue, Downtown Long Beach

Library Doors open at 1:30 - Early Bird is at 1:45

Business Meeting and Guest Speaker at 2:30

Mary Schwartz of Culver City, an instructor, consultant, and lecturer in the field of Genealogy will be our speaker. Her subject will be "How to Use Reference Aids in Libraries; Based on a Survey of Major Genealogical Collections in Southern California." The subject is directed to those who have felt a need for further research and did not know what was available, where to find it, and how to use it.

THERE IS PLENTY OF ROOM. BRING GUESTS.

EARLY BIRD

The second lesson in a series of ten will be on "Where to Write for Information" (Birth, Marriage, and Death), taught by Naydean Updike. The use of these sources is an important tool of one's research.

HERITAGE LIBRARY CLOSED

The Heritage Library in Glendale will be closed for vacation from September the 18th to October the 18th.

HOSTESSES who are providing the refreshments for the meeting of:

October - Chita O'Connor
Vivian Walkup
Clara Culham

November - Martha Hess
Ruth Parsons
Jean Woolington

GENEALOGY CLASS FOR BEGINNERS

The Long Beach Unified School District for Adults is offering for the first time a class in Genealogy for Beginners, on Tuesdays from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. Class started September 13, in Room 306, Wilson High School, 845 Park Avenue. Molly Molyneaux is the teacher. For information, call 433-7446. There is still room for more students as of this writing.

SURNAME CHANGE LEGISLATION

A recent decision by the Massachusetts Supreme Court could have a profoundly negative effect on future genealogical research. They have affirmed that wives and husbands can use almost any name that they choose for themselves and their children as long as no dishonesty is intended. A plea by City and County clerks to make certain naming traditions obligatory for official records was turned down, 5-2. The clerks wanted wives listed by their husband's last name,

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LAND RECORDS - TOWNSHIPS

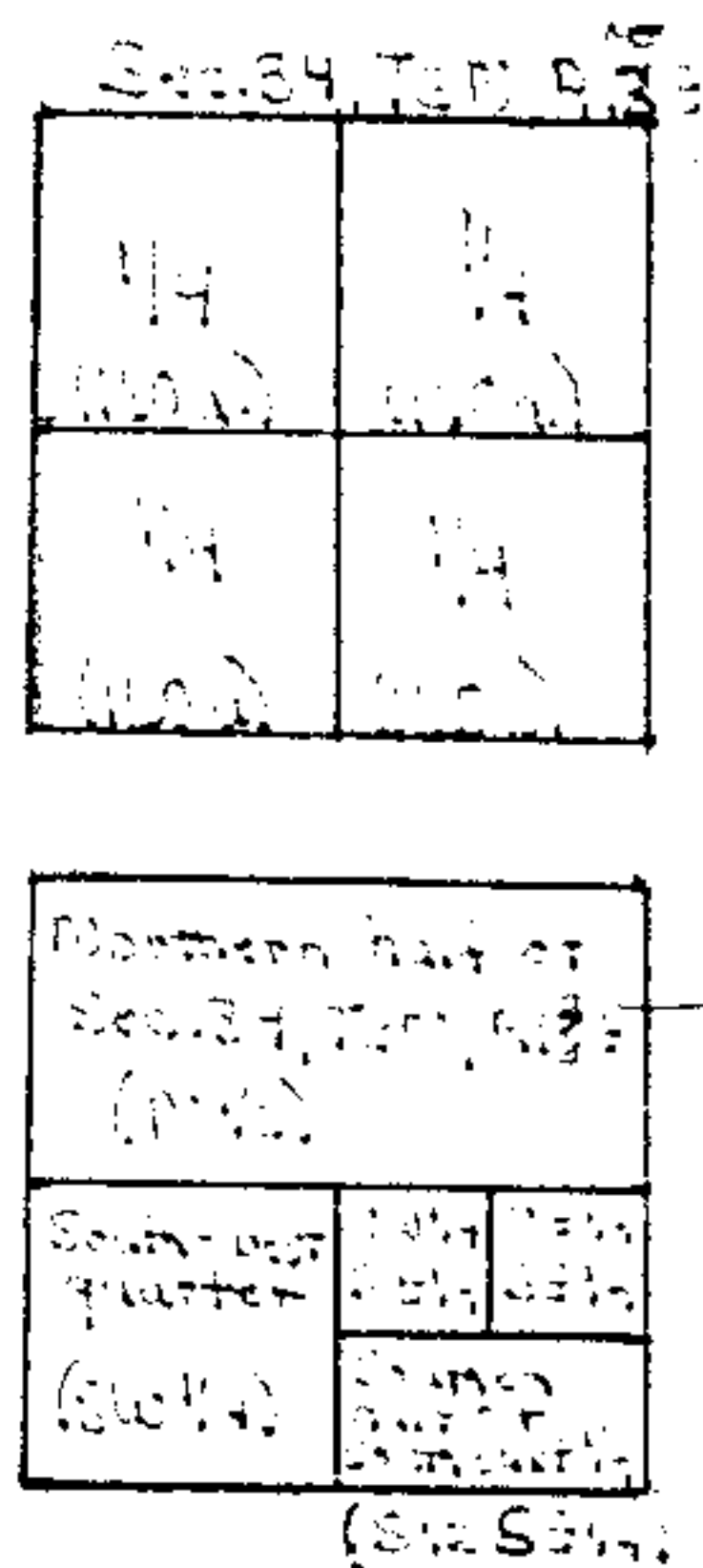
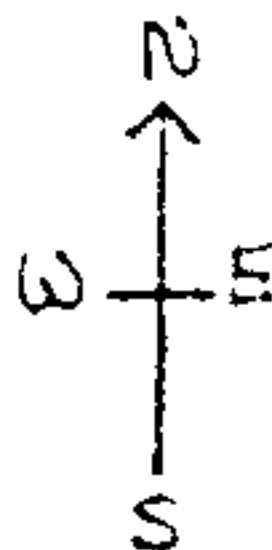
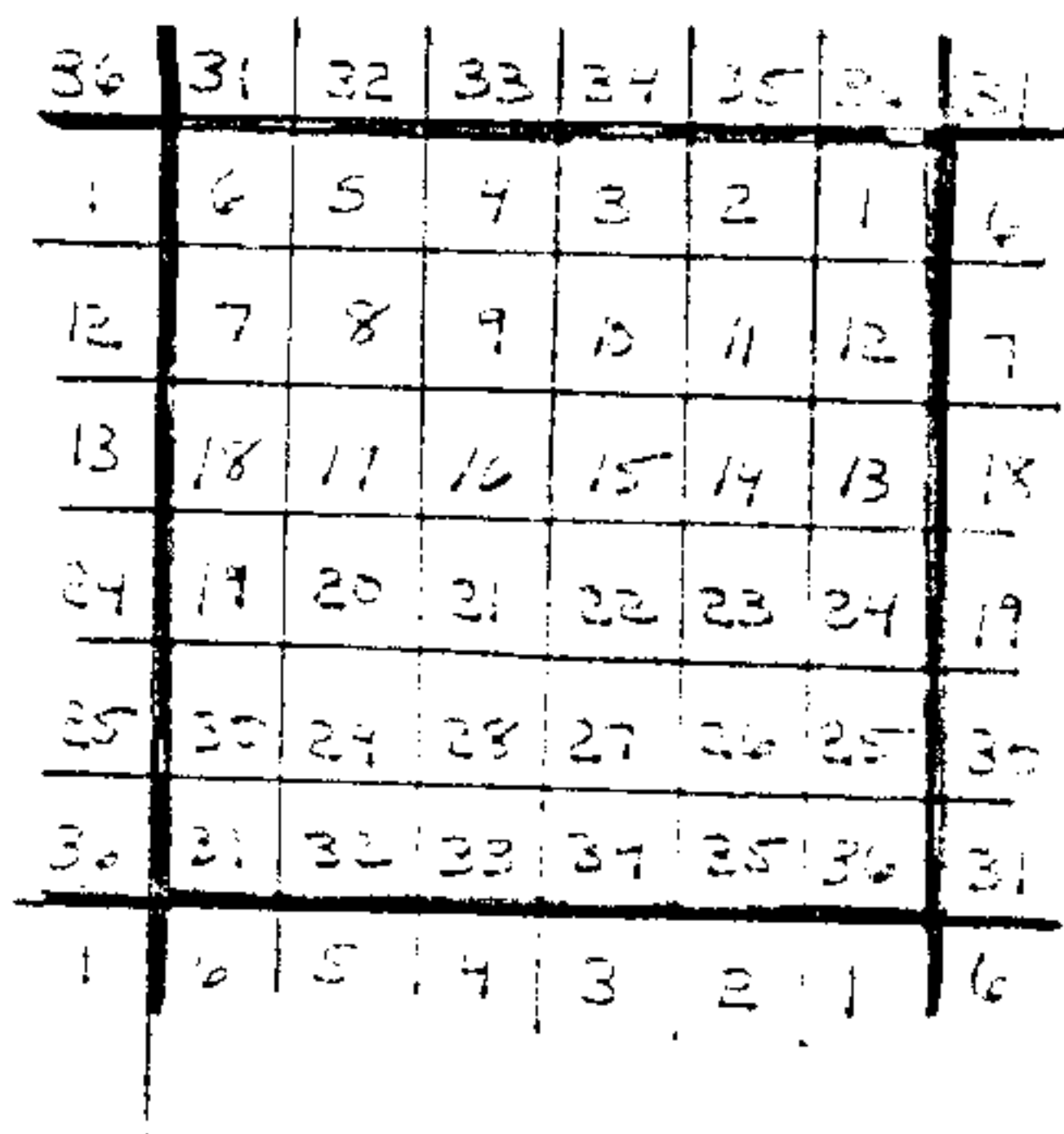
An important goal for most of our ancestors was to own a piece of land. It did not matter which country your ancestor was from or what size the piece was, but being a landowner was a tremendous goal for most persons. If your ancestor was such a property owner, then this is an important point in family research because land transactions usually had significance in finding information on your family.

The reason many people avoid delving into land records is that they do not really understand how to interpret the legal land descriptions. It can become rather confusing but once understood, very easy to read.

As you fly over our country's vast mid-west, you can more easily understand the breakdown of a county into townships and sections. The fields are usually very symmetrical, usually square, maybe following some natural boundary. The country roads are also very straight lines, following the conformations of the fields, sometimes coming to abrupt right angles because of boundary lines.

A county is divided into townships to provide legal descriptions for the various areas. These townships are then broken down into sections, half sections, quarter sections, etc. By using the complete legal description, you will be able to pinpoint the exact location of your ancestor's property. Sometimes locating the place where your family lived gives a better picture of the family's importance and relationship to the community (in town vs. outskirts, etc.). Also, you can determine from the location where the closest schools, churches, cemeteries, or towns were located and this will help in finding other records.

Townships are generally six miles by six miles. One often runs into irregularly shaped townships due to natural boundaries, but the basic rules still apply. Townships are divided into 36 sections. Each section is one mile wide and one mile long and contains 640 acres. The illustration below shows how a township is broken into sections. They are always numbered in the same pattern, starting in the northeast corner of the township. The numbers outside the dark lines are adjacent sections of the surrounding townships. (continued)



Our ancestors often owned land in two or more adjoining sections. Grandpa may have owned the southern half of Section 23 and the northern half of Section 26. By looking at the map on the previous page, you can see these two sections connect. Certain sections were heavily wooded, in which case a number of families would perhaps buy "woodlots" in that section so that they would have wood to build their buildings and burn as fuel. These woodlots might be quite a distance from the farm, not necessarily on adjoining sections. A portion of Section 16 was usually set aside for school purposes, probably because it was in the center of the township.

One must always keep in mind that if the ancestor's farm was located in one of the bordering sections, he well might have transacted business or attended church or been buried in a neighboring township. This can confuse the genealogist even more if the section of land on which he lived bordered a neighboring county or state. That is why it is important to locate the exact place of the land. It is important to use old maps and land tracts to determine boundary changes.

Arbitrary east and west lines called base lines, and north-south lines called meridians, were established long ago. (These lines are to surveying as latitude and longitude are to geography.) From these lines were derived the designations "township" and "range" -- as in the diagram: T2N R13E -- meaning that this is the second township north of a given base line, and the thirteenth range east of a designated meridian.

Each section of land was further divided into four equal parts or quarters, of 160 acres each. These quarters could be divided into smaller sections, halves or quarters. A half of a quarter section is 80 acres, a quarter of a quarter section being 40 acres. Many people could not afford to buy a whole section or even half a section, even at less than \$2.00 an acre. This was due to money being a scarce commodity, in comparison to goods, livestock or work exchanges.

These partial sections were labeled by directions to identify them. The full name of the sections were not spelled out, only abbreviated. Say your ancestor had the SW 1/4, Sec. 34, T2N, R13E. The interpretation of this land location would be: the southwest quarter of Section 34, in the Township 2 North, Range 13 East. By locating this area on a map, you will be able to determine what area your ancestor worked, lived and did business in. Remember, our ancestors did not commute as we do now. Most transactions were done within a radius of 25 miles.

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(Surname Change Legislation - continued)

legitimate children by the father's last name and illegitimate children by the mother's name. The two dissenting judges warned that the new decision could greatly complicate the settling of estates and other legal procedures. If a surname is completely unacceptable to an individual, there exists a legal and reasonable process by which it may be changed. If this current fad of a free choice of a surname spreads it could be chaotic, not only in legal, medical and social types of research but in identifiable relationships from generation to generation for the family researcher.

A New Hampshire publishing company is sending out petitions to be signed and presented to the Massachusetts media community, national wire services, and read before Congress as a protest. As genealogists who know the importance of vital records, we might well support their efforts to change that state's decision and to thwart such a movement from spreading to other states. We will have copies of the petition for you to sign at our next meeting.

PEDIGREE CHARTS

The Pedigree Charts are of our members and taken from the Pedigree Book of the Society. If you wish to have yours published in the future, turn in your sheets to Bonnie Kilston. Several pages will be published each month until all of the sheets are published.

To find the father of any person, simply double the number on any chart. The wife of any man is found by adding one.

Chart of HELEN PHILLIPS GRIFFIN, 205 Almond Avenue, Long Beach, Calif 90802 (cont)

- 118. DRANE II, George
- 119. COLLIER, Susannah,
- 120. WALKER, John,
- 122. BONDETTE, Jr, William
- 124. RADFR, Michael
- 125. LONG, Catherine
- 126. RAYBURN, Henry
- 127. CHRISTIAN, Margaret
- 132. FARMER, James
- 133. HILLER, Mary
- 232. SMITH, Cass
- 234. ALLEN, George
- 244. FORTNEY, Sr, William
- 248. RAFFER, Cass
- 252. RALPH, Edward
- 254. CRISWELL, William
- 255. Ann or Margaret

Chart of ELEANOR EDWARD GRIFFIN, 605 Almond Ave, Long Beach, Calif 90802

- 1. GRIFFIN, Paula M. Richard, B: 15 May, 1908, Cincinnati, Ohio, M: 27 Nov 1935,
Helen Hillier
- 2. GRIFFIN, William Thomas, B: 2 Nov 1882, Ky, M: Aug 1907,
- 3. HILL, Frank Lee, B: 8 Aug 1879, Wood Co, W. Va, D: 7 Oct 1956, Long Beach, Calif
- 4. GRIFFIN, William
- 6. HILL, Benjamin, B: 1849, D: 3 Jan 1909, Wood Co, W. Va.
- 7. DAVIS, Mary Elizabeth, B: 27 Jan 1809, Wood Co, W. Va.
- 12. HILL, John, B: 1800
- 13. COOK, Benjamin
- 24. HILL, William
- 25. HAYDEN, Cynthia
- 26. COOK, Joseph B: 16 Feb 1793, M: 3 Nov 1814
- 27. McManis or Mary W. Anderson
- 52. COOK, Jr, Joseph, B: 19 Apr 1751, M: 1773,
- 53. BARBER, William
- 104. COOK, Sr, Joseph, B: 1712, M: 1733, Long Blaz, Mass
- 105. BENNETT, Mary
- 203. COOK, W. Thomas, B: 1775, Tiverton, R.I.
- 416. COOK II, John, B: 1737, Lived Tiverton, P.I.
- 832. COOK I, John, B: 1691, R.I.
- 833. BOTURN, Mrs,
- 1664. COOK I, Joseph, came to Rhode Island 1635
- 1565. Mary

Chart of ALBERTINE NIENSTEDI (LEA), 1603 Merion Way, 42 L, Seal Beach, Calif 90740

- 1. NIENSTEDI, Albertine Niestedt, B: 7 Mar 1907, Yuma, Arizona, M: 10 Oct 1957,
Carl Henry Lea
- 2. NIENSTEDI, William Albert, B: 2 Jul 1872, Tilsit, Cape Girardeau, Mo, M: 6 Mar 1906,
D: 18 Apr 1936, Downey, Calif.
- 3. BALL, Alike, B: 14 May 1835, Clinton, Miss, D: 16 Nov 1973, Santa Ana, Calif.

4. NIENSTAD, William Frederick, B: 22 Dec 1845, Hanover, Germany, M: 16 Dec 1869, D: 30 Dec 1925, Millersville, Cape Girardeau, Mo.
5. HITT, Eliza Adeline, B: 1 Oct 1853, Cape Girardeau, Mo, D: 17 Feb 1918, Millersville Mo.
6. BALL, Lewis, B: 6 Nov 1820, Old Bethabra, Laurens, S. C., M: 22 May 1866, D: 30 Nov 1896, Clinton, Miss.
7. (3^d M) SUDDOTH, Adelia Jane, B: 9 Sep 1844, Fauquier, Va, D: 26 May 1931, Hermosa Beach, Calif.
8. NIENSTEDT, I. Henry Andreas, B: Aug 1815, Hanover, Ger, M: 1840, D: Sep 1865, Tilset, Cape Girardeau, Mo.
9. KUKELHAHN, Carline, B: 1815, Hanover, Ger., D: 1853, Tilset, Cape Girardeau, Mo
10. KITT, Joel, B: 23 Oct 1827, D: 31 Oct 1850
11. SMITH, Sarah, B: 29 Nov 1824, D: 2 Oct 1916, Millersville, Cape Girardeau, Mo
12. BALL, Lewis, B: 1779-81, Lancaster Co, Va, D: 1857, Coahoma Co, Miss
13. HITT, Sarah
14. SUDDOTH, James Thompson, B: 1 Apr 1809, Fauquier Co, Va, M: 3 Sep 1835, D: 21 Feb 1883, Friars Pt, Coahoma Co, Miss.
15. MARTIN, Jane W., 13 Nov 1819, D: 18 Aug 1898, Friars Pt., Coahoma Co, Miss
24. BALL, William, of "Milledgebeck" Lancaster Co, Va.
25. 1. MARTIN, Sarah
2. HITT, Lillie Anne
28. SUDDOTH, John
29. THOMPSON, Anna Asenath
30. MARTIN, Francis
31. -- , Ann M.
48. BALL, Williamson
49. 1. BEA: E. Anna
2. GLASSCOCK, Friscofilla
96. BALL, William, D: 1744, Lancaster Co, Va.
97. BALL, Margaret (cousin to husband)
192. BALL, William, B: 1676, M: 1728, D: 1748, (Will in Lancaster Co, Va)
193. BEALLE, Hannah
194. BALL, Richard, M: 1723, D: Oct 1783, (Lancaster Co, Va?)
195. YOUNG, Jane
384. BALL, William, B: 1641, D: 1694
385. WILLIAMSON, Margaret,
386. BEALL, Thomas, M: 1716
387. GOON, Anna
768. BALL, William
769. ATHERALL, Hannah
770. WILLIAMSON, Robert?
771. UNDERWOOD, Anna
1536. BALL, William, of Lincoln Inn, London, England
3072. BALL, John, B: Work, Berks, England, D: 1599
6144. BALL, William, B: ca 1490, D: 1550
12288. BALL, Robert, D: 1543
24576. BALL, William, B: ca 1410, Barkham, Berks, England, D: 1480

Chart of NORMA McBATH GRANT, 51 Savona Walk, Long Beach, Calif 90803

1. McBath, Norma, M: Donald S. Grant
2. McBATH, William K., B: 29 Sep 1896, Lisbon, N.Y., M: 10 Sep 1924, Madrid, N.Y.
3. VEITCH, Jessie, B: 24 Apr 1900, Madrid, N.Y.
4. McBATH, William J., B: 1859, D: Jul 1933, Lisbon, N.Y.
5. SHORT, Jeanette, B: 5 Mar 1863, D: Sep 1943, Lisbon, N.Y.
6. VEITCH, Adam, B: 1857, D: 1937, Madrid, N.Y.
7. ADAMS, Anna, B: 6 Sep 1861, D: 13 Feb 1935, Madrid, N.Y.
8. McBATH, Samuel, B: 1 Jul 1816, Londonderry, Ireland, D: 20 Feb 1887, Lisbon, N.Y.
9. FULTON, Ann, B: 1810, D: 30 Jun 1880, Lisbon, N.Y.
10. SHORT, Thomas, D: Weddington, N.Y

11. RUTHERFORD, Jeanette, D: Waddington, N.Y.
12. VEITCH, Thomas, B: 1836, D: 1916
13. YOUNG, Elizabeth, B: 1840, D: 1997
14. ADAMS, Robert, B: Ireland, D: Lisbon, N.Y.
15. KELLY, Jane, B: Ireland, D: Lisbon, N.Y.
23. TEASDALE, Sara Rutherford,
24. VEITCH, Adam, B: 1803, Scotland, D: 1862, USA
25. NESBIT, Ann, B: 1811, D: 1880, USA
48. VEITCH, Thomas, B: 1765, Scotland, D: 1830, St Lawrence Co, N.Y.
49. TURNBULL, Isabel, B: 1763, Scotland, D: 1840, St Lawrence Co, N.Y.

Chart of CLARA MILLER CULHAM, 2703 Knoxville Ave, Long Beach, Calif 90815

1. MILLER, Clara Grace, B: Dec 7, Belleville, Kansas, M: 4 Nov 1933, Manhattan, Kansas, Chester Arthur Culham.
2. MILLER, William Murray, B: 22 Nov 1869, West Lebanon, Ind, M: 6 Jul 1903, Manhattan, Kansas, 27 Jul 1937, Phoenix, Ariz.
3. CALLAHAN, Lucy Margaret, B: 16 Nov 1891, nr Manhattan, Kansas, D: 27 Apr 1924, Colby, Kansas.
4. MILLER, James Cogswell, B: 23 Oct 1841, Eaton, Ohio, M: 6 Mar 1866, West Lebanon, Ind D: 22 Jan 1904, Chicago, Ill
5. LOWER, Mary Ann, B: 19 Aug 1844, West Lebanon, Ind, D: 28 Oct 1883, Wichita Falls, Texas
6. CALLAHAN, John Henry, B: 25 Jan 1845, Shelby Co, Ky, M: 15 Oct 1868, Macoupin Co, Ill. D: 13 Mar 1914, Manhattan, Kansas
7. CRUM, Lucinda Myra, B: 10 Dec 1849, Palmyra, Ill, D: 5 May 1907, Manhattan, Kansas
8. MILLER, Lazarus, B: 26 Feb 1798, M: 2 Jan 1823, Eaton, Ohio, D: 5 Feb 1847, Williamsport, Ind.
9. BUELL, FRANCIS Cogswell, B: 9 Feb 1807, Bourbon Co, Ky, D: 12 Dec 1887, West Lebanon, Ind
10. LOWER, William, 7 Mar 1820, Prebble Co, Ohio, M: 30 Jan 1842, West Lebanon, Ind, D: 16 Dec 1887, West Lebanon, Ind
11. BRIGGS, Emily, B: Mar 23, 1827, Clark Co, Ohio, D: 24 Feb 1905, West Lebanon, Ind
12. CALLAHAN, Andrew Jackson, M: 14 Nov 1840, Spencer Co, Ky
13. MILLER, Nancy Riley
14. CRUM, Gordon, B: 28 Nov 1810, Clark Co, Ind, M: May 17, 1833, Morgan Co, Ill, D: 28 Aug 1887, Barr, Ill
15. RUCKER, Sedonia, B: 12 Aug 1810, Ky, D: 14 Feb 1882, Barr, Ill
18. BUELL, Walter (MD) B: 12 Nov 1769, Goshen, Conn, M: 20 Apr 1801, D: 2 Jun 1834
19. COGSWELL, Elizabeth, 7 Sep 1784, Va, M: Loudon Co, Va.
26. CRUM, Matthias, B: 10 Jul 1774, Va, M: 19 Nov 1800, Louisville, Ky, D: 9 Mar 1841, Litterberry, Ill
29. SPANGLER, Margaret, B: 18 Nov 1779, Ky, D: 24 Apr 1852, Litterberry, Ill
36. BUELL, Jacob, B: 30 Apr, 1739, Lebanon, Conn, M: 12 Apr 1762, Hebron, Conn, D: 28 Apr 1776.
37. SKINNER, Ruth
38. COGSWELL, Joseph (MD), B: Windham, Conn, M: Loudon Co, Va. (Moved to Ky in 1787)
39. MITCHELL, Frances
52. CRUM, Matthias, came from lower Rhineland, Ger. settled in Montgomery Co, Va. He is supposed to have made 3 trips across the Atlantic before bring his family and settling permanently. His son John is know to have been born in Germany, and son Matthias in Va.
72. BUELL, John, B: 1699, Lebanon, Conn. M: 1726, Lebanon, Conn
73. STRONG, Freedom
154. BUELL, John, B: Killingworth, Conn, M: 1679
155. LOOMIS, Mary
308. BUELL, Samuel, B: 1640
616. BUELL, William, B: 1610, Christenton, Huntingshire, Eng, M: between 1630-39, Borchester, Mass
617. -- , Mary

Chart of CHESTER ARTHUR CULHAM, 2703 Knoxville Avenue, Long Beach, Calif 90815

1. CULHAM, Chester Arthur, B: 21 Nov 1903, Junction City, Kansas, M: 4 Nov 1933, Manhattan, Kansas, Clara Grace Miller
2. CULHAM, Horatio, B: 30 Oct 1875, Vaughan Trs, Ontario, Canada, M: 27 Feb 1875, Junction City, Kansas, D: 15 Jan 1950, Abilene, Kansas
3. SWITZER, Clara Belle, B: 16 Jun 1881, nr Baltimore, Ohio, D: 3 Apr 1932, Junction City, Kansas
4. CULHAM, Turpin, B: 12 Oct 1837, Orangeville, Ont. Canada, M: 4 Apr 1870, Vaughan Twp, Ont. Canada, D: 8 Jul 1904, Dickenson Co, Kansas
5. BEATSON, Emma, B: 7 June 1841, Ont. Canada, D: 2 Jun 1932, Dickenson, Kansas
6. SURTZER, Elmer, B: 18 Oct 1853, Columbiana Co, Ohio, M: 27 Apr 1876, Stark Co, Ohio, D: 1932, Akron, Ohio
7. WORSTLER, Emma Jane, B: 26 Jun 1855, Plain Tows. Stark Co, Ohio, D: 1912, Akron, Ohio
8. CULHAM, Turpin, B: 1803, Norfolk Co, England, D: 9 May 1882, Orangeville, Ont. Canada
9. DODDS, Letitia, B: Apr 1811, Ireland, D: 9 Feb 1880, Orangeville, Ont. Canada
10. BEATSON, Thomas, B: England, M: 27 Sep 1834, England
11. GREEN, Hannah
14. WORSTLER, Lewis, B: 1832, Stark Co, Ohio, M: 16 Oct 1853, Stark Co, Ohio, D: 9 Mar 1876, Ohio
15. ALBRICHT, Susan Elizabeth, B: 1834, D: 3 Jan 1929, Akron, Ohio
16. CULHAM, John, B: 20 Oct, 1776, Norfolk Co, England, D: 2 Dec 1852, Canada
17. --, Ann, B: 1774, Lynn, England, D: 15 Oct, 1860, Canada

Chart of BONNIE EILENE MARTIN FALSTON, 8707 Hiboco Ave, Lakewood, Calif 90713

1. MARTIN, Bonnie Eilene, B: 3 Jan, Wakefield, Clay Co, Kansas, M: 20 May 1945, Richard Grant Falston
2. MARTIN, Guy Alvin, B: 9 May 1889, Van Wert Co, Ohio, M: 9 May 1917, D: 22 Apr 1960, Long Beach, Calif
3. RETTER, Lena Goldie, B: 22 May 1890, Wakefield, Clay Co, Kansas, D: 12 May 1972, Los Alamitos, Calif
4. MARTIN, John Henry, B: 1 Sep 1851, West Va, D: 23 Dec 1877, D: 15 Dec 1905, Van Wert Co, Ohio
5. BARR, Mary Esther, B: 10 Nov 1852, Richland Co, Ohio, D: 28 Jun 1922, Van Wert Co, Ohio.
6. RETTER, John Bradley, B: 21 Jul 1851, Quincy, Logan Co, Ohio, M: 23 Oct 1873, D: 20 Jun 1933, Wakefield, Clay Co, Kansas
7. CURTIS, BARBARA, B: 31 Mar 1853, Warren Co, New Jersey, D: 2 Aug 1916, Clay Co, Kan.
8. MARTIN, Robert, B: 17 Oct 1807, Shenandoah Valley, Va, M: 1837, D: 23 Sept 1896, Van Wert Co, Ohio
9. DOWELL, Nancy, B: 1859, Gallatin Co, Ill
10. BARR, Stephen, B: 3 Dec 1813, Virginia?, M: 3 Dec 1836, D: 25 Feb 1877, Van Wert Co, Ohio.
11. NEAL, Mary Bridget, B: 30 Jun 1817, Richland Co, Ohio, D: 31 Dec 1909, Van Wert Co, Ohio.
12. RETTER, Levi, B: 24 Oct 1826, Miami or Greene Co, Ohio, M: 6 Sep 1850, D: 3 Nov 1902, Whelby Co, Ohio.
13. SMITH, Elisabeth Gertrude, B: 7 May 1830, Mercer Co, N.J. D: ca 1902, Quincy, Ohio?
14. CURTIS, Augustus, B: 2 Jan 1820, New Jersey?, M: 5 Sep 1844, D: 19 Feb 1895, Logan Co, Ohio.
15. KISSER, Hannah M. B: 16 Jul 1826, Warren Co?, New Jersey?, D: 14 Jan 1897, London, Oh.
16. MARTIN,
17. MARTIN, Dorcas, B: Va?
18. DOWELL, Samuel, B: So. Carolina?
19. --, Sarah, B: South Carolina?
20. BARR, Richard, B: 1776, D: 1848, Ohio
21. Dunlap (Dunlop), Hester, B: 1776, D: 1848, Ohio
22. NEAL, Henry, B: 1791, Delaware

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The October meeting will bring to a culmination the dream of many of our members. When the new library was first discussed a committee of our members headed by John Fuller went to the library people to see about getting a genealogical room, at that time we thought it would be in rooms, not open as the libraries are becoming. With our talking and helping we do have our section and it is growing. The library has spent a great deal of money on books for us. Due to their budget and man power shortage they have not gotten all on the shelves, but please be patient and give them time. With the building of the library we found they were going to put in an auditorium so we requested the use of the room through the same committee. Our Library Liaison Officer, Ruth Dowty, works with the library and kept track about our reservation. We were told in the early days that we would be able to use it with the proviso that if anything happened to make it impossible we would understand. We would have to wait until it was completed to be sure, as there could be some changes or regulations. As with all construction, there were strikes and bad weather, and other things to hold up the completion of the civic center. At long last it is finished enough for occupancy. So with the October meeting we have our new home where we can grow more easily. We have outgrown - first the living rooms of our members, then four other meeting rooms. We look forward to filling this one. There is room to grow, and all members cannot attend every meeting so that will give us lots of space. We have a good speakersystem and ELEVATORS!! Encourage all your friend that you think are interested or may be interested in working on their family history to come and join. The more members we have the more talent we will have. We can take on more bigger and better projects. At the last meeting we got some committees rolling, and many of you can and would serve on committees. It would be greatly appreciated, so come up and tell me which ones, so we may spread the work around more. These committee members do not have to attend meetings, they will be working at meetings in some capacity, or between meetings for short periods of time. They will only get together with the committee chairman to co-

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Meeting Place - Auditorium, Long Beach Library, 101 Pacific Avenue, Long Beach, Cal.
 Meeting Day - First Sunday of each month
 Meeting Time - Early Bird - 1:45-2:25 PM
 Regular - 2:30-4:00 PM
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ordinate the work when it is felt necessary. They can do it any way suitable after they get it working smoothly. That is what our aim is, get it so there is just a little something for a lot to do, and not a lot for a few to do. Rather than a few carrying the load and losing the fun - we want to enjoy our hobby. The officers want to enjoy it, so with a little help from a lot, much can be done and pleasure for everyone. We have had some hard working officers in the past, and currently, but we want to work them to death. Often because some one has a special talent or equipment available they are automatically asked to do things. We want to have more of these good people with wonderful talent so that it isn't always the same few.

Thanks,

Frances F. Parker

The newsletter has been published since 1969 by the Questing Heirs Genealogical Society of Long Beach, California. The Society was organized in June 1969 for the purpose of collecting and preserving and publishing data relating to genealogy. Meetings are held on the first Sunday of each month at 2:45 PM in the auditorium of the Long Beach Library, 101 Pacific Avenue, Long Beach, California. We are not responsible for correctness of material published, but will gladly print corrections when submitted.

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