

# The Generations of Jacob Warr



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# PREFACE

Few of us realize the amount of work entailed in accumulating the wealth of information contained within the covers of this book. Besides searching the memories of family seniors and delving into familiar sources such as family Bibles and letters, a document of this sort involves hours of perusing among government and service records, census reports, library collections, and numerous other sources. Each bit of information gleaned must be followed by visits, letters and more research. More hours go into writing letters - to investigate possible resources, to substantiate (or disprove) knowledge obtained, and to follow-up on unanswered requests. The collection of pictures amassed herein is a research study in itself.

The individual searches of Agnes Clorine Story and Ora Ellen Wilsey have sometimes duplicated, reinforced, contradicted, or extended the findings of each other. The combined efforts of these two Vann ladies have resulted in this very valuable document for which all present and future descendants of Jacob Vann can be eternally grateful.

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William H. Vann II

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Despite careful research and editing, there are known omissions and probable errors. "The Generations of Jacob Vann" is, therefore, presented in looseleaf format so changes may be made as needed. Notification of errors and omissions would be greatly appreciated by:

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WILLIAM VANN (WIFE RACHEL), RESIDENT OF CHOWAN, HERTFORD,  
AND GATES COUNTIES, N.C. FROM ABOUT 1723 TO 1789

Of the early VANN residents of OLD ALBEMARLE, the above William Vann has probably left more records of his tenure, that are still available to the present, than any other of his VANN contemporaries. There still remains, even so, some speculation regarding his parentage.

The first record that is generally accepted to be a record of the above William Vann occurs in Chowan County, N.C. in the will of the above William Vann's putative grandfather, William Vann. This older William Vann lived in Nansemond County, Virginia with his wife Sarah and his children prior to 1705. In 1704 Old William Vann applied for a patent of land in Chowan County, N.C., which was granted the following year. The patent states that William Vann had moved into Chowan County by 1705.

In the above mentioned will (see appendix II, ) Old William Vann gives to "my grandson, William Vann, the son of Edward Vann, my gun." This will was written in Chowan County, N.C. in 1735, five years before the grandfather William Vann dies there. It seems to be a reasonable speculation that when the will was written in 1735 the grandson William Vann was old enough to be interested in guns, but likely too immature to own one - say between the ages of 10 and 15. So the grandson would be coming of age in about ten years. Until his death in 1740, the grandfather, William Vann, continues to appear in the Chowan County records with his neighbors who live in the Bennett's Creek area. By 1744 another William Vann begins to appear in the records, when he purchases 200 acres of land from Joseph Vann in Chowan County. Other earlier notes and records indicate that Joseph Vann lived in the same area where Old William Vann had resided. The William Vann who buys land from Joseph Vann is surely "the grandson William" mentioned in the 1735 will, and he has now reached maturity. Records of this later William Vann continue to occur with those of his neighbors until 1759. In that year a new county is formed in N.C. named Hertford County, and that part of Chowan County, where several Vann families had lived since 1705, was added to the newly formed Hertford County. As has been mentioned earlier, the records of Hertford County N.C., for this area, from the time of its formation until 1779, when this area is made a part of newly formed Gates County, are lost. The families of VANN and their neighbors from 1705 until 1779 lived in three different counties, altho they didn't necessarily move an inch. After 1779, records of Vann families and their neighbors along Bennett's Creek headwaters begin to appear in the newly formed Gates County. In 1779, William Vann buys land in Gates County from Samuel Brown, "beginning at Notte Pine Swamp." Again the same year he buys land "from Thomas Hamilton of Gates County, land adjacent to Brown, Harrell, and Sure." However about now, another person named William Vann appears in the Gates County records to complicate the picture.

The "Grandson William Vann" now has a family which developed during the period of the lost Hertford County records, 1759 to 1779, and he has a son named William Vann who has reached maturity by 1779. By this date, it appears that the "Grandson William" has taken a young wife, named Rachel, and started another set of "young children." Records of 1788, when the "Grandson William" writes his will, and 1808 when his division of property is made reveal that Rachel Vann is the mother of several young sons. Records show that William & Rachel's youngest son was born the same year that he wrote his will, in 1788. This will shows that the "Grandson William" had a son named William Vann who is old enough in 1788 to be named as co-executor of the will. In the N.C. census in 1784-87, the two William Vann's named in Gates County are surely the father and son combination of the "Grandson William" and his son, William Vann.

The father dies in 1789, within a year of his writing of a will, and the following year, when the first U.S. Census is taken in 1790, in Gates County Rachel Vann is head of house with 2 males over 16, 3 males under 16, and 4 slaves. (See the 1788 will of William Vann, Appendix VII, )

In the 1790 Census, William Vann, Edward Vann, and Elisha Vann are listed as heads of families in Edgecombe County, N.C. These are the names of known older sons of William Vann (the grandson), and are likely sons of William by an earlier wife than Rachel Vann.



Edward Vann & Elisha Vann continue to live in Edgecombe County. They are there when they act as executors for the Estate of Dempsey Vann in 1790. By 1800, Edward Vann is dead in Edgecombe County, NC, and Martha House Vann, his widow, deeds their inheritance to her four sons: Jacob, Micajah, William and Mathew. And within three days Martha marries Micajah Exum.

In 1808 the division of property of William Vann (the Grandson) is made, as was stipulated in William's 1788 will, or "when his youngest son shall have come of age." On the deed of division of property, their names occur in the following order: Elisha Vann; Charles Vann; William Vann; Ely (Eley) Vann; Edward Vann's heirs; and James Vann.

James Vann was listed in the 1800 census of Gates County with one other male listed in James' household between the ages of 26 and 45. Rachel Vann is still listed as head of house in Gates County, with a male 10 - 16 in her household. This male in Rachel's home is likely her son Charles, and the extra male in the household of James Vann is likely his brother Ely.

Thus in 1800 the sons of William (the grandson) appear to be accounted for, but they are beginning to move away from their old home on Knotty Pine Swamp. Charles Vann still appears in the 1810 Gates County Census, but there is some question if this Charles is one of the sons of William Vann (the grandson.) William Vann and his brother James were both residing in Northampton County NC in 1814 & 1809 respectively. On Aug 21, 1809 James Vann of Northampton County sold to his brother Charles Vann of Gates County for \$100 that tract allotted to him by the division of his father's estate. The boundaries of the tract are described, and match in detail the portion of land along Knotty Pine Swamp that was bequeathed to him the previous year. On May 16, 1814 William Vann, a resident of Northampton County, sold to Hardy Williams of Gates County that tract of land adjacent to the tract of Charles Vann, which William Vann had received in 1808 in the division of property of his father William Vann. (see Appendix-X)

(Editor's note) The hand-drawn map, copied on page 67 of VANN VIGNETTES, which shows the layout of the estate of William Vann, with the divisions made among his sons was discovered in 1974 in a box of very old records at the old Court-house in Gates County, NC by Sue Spindle Vann (Mrs William H. Vann II) while we were all exploring old Gates County records. We were already familiar with the written record of William Vann's division of property, so it was immediately apparent to us what the map that Sue held in her hand depicted. Our elation at the find became audible - even in the dignified decorum of that old, old building. It was more than we could accept - quietly!

The location of their homes was shown, and also the location of their mill on the creek (presently Buckland Mill Branch.) There was a road shown between the homes of Elisha & Ely Vann, with a small bridge shown across the creek, just above the mill. Later, when we walked along the banks of Knotty Pine Swamp, we could clearly distinguish the site of the long deserted mill. As we stood there in the edge of some trees, with just a little imagination we could hear the ring of axes as they bit into the timber - and the shouts of the workmen - the laughter of children - the barking of dogs - and see the smoke rising from the chimneys of the log homes. A family who lived nearby said that there were some in the area who remembered ancient grave markers once discernable in one of the corners of a field, near the Swamp. But nought

remained in 1974.

(B-1) Elisha Vann and (B-2) Edward Vann are the only sons of William Vann (wife Rachel) of whom we have records of descendents. Elisha left a will in Edgecombe County NC in 1823, naming his wife Mary, sons Thomas and Henry (Harry), and daughter Melissa Vann Hopper. In this year the three children were living in Heywood County, Tn. The 1850 Heywood County census lists Henry Vann, wife Mildred, and their children as they appear on page 69 of Vann Vignettes. (D-1) Wilson Wade Vann and his wife Margaret Laduska Bishop raised their family in central Texas. (G-20) Alene Cleveland Layne (Mrs H. Jack Layne of Waco Texas is a present-day descendent of Elisha Vann. (B-2) Edward & Martha House Vann have more present day descendents who are known to us, these by way of (C-4) Jacob Vann, one of their 4 sons. After Jacob Vann is named in his mother's division of property.

next appears in our records on Oct. 24, 1815, when he with power of attorney from his brother William Vann "both of the State of Tennessee" sells in Edgecombe County NC a certain tract of land, "the said tract being the same that Edward Vann deceased died seized and possessed of." (C-4) Jacob Vann next appears, in records that we have seen, in 1842, when he signs as Bondsman in Knox County Tennessee at the marriage of his son (D-26) Robert G. Vann to Viny J. Doyle. However at least one of Jacob Vann's children is known to have married earlier, for his oldest son Pitt Woodard Vann is married in Aug. of 1839 to Spicey E. Davison. Jacob Vann's name does not appear on this record of marriage of Pitt Woodard Vann.

Regarding the bits of family heritage of historical significance that has from time to time been repeated among some of the Vann descendents of the early North Carolina families, is the story that one of the Vann men of the later 18th century married a sister of Rufus King, who was later elected to the Vice-presidency of the United States in 1853. (C-17) Michael King Vann of the Sampson County Vann Line states in his recollections given in 1896 that his grandfather William Vann came to the US directly from Wales, and that he married a sister of William Rufus King and Tom King. Michael King Vann has been shown to be clearly wrong regarding when his William Vann ancestor came to America, and (E-1) Eugene Ellis Vann, of the same Vann line as Michael King Vann, says that he is mistaken about which Vann man married into the King family. In a letter which has come to my attention recently (1980) written by Eugene Vann, he stated that he had seen records which referred to "William and Rachel King Vann." It is of no great significance to most of the present day Vanns regarding who married whom with a prestigious name eight or ten generations ago. However the wife of William Vann, who died in 1789 in Gates County, alongside Knotty Pine Swamp, is the only Vann wife that I have seen recorded as Rachel.

In the list of the GENERATIONS OF WILLIAM & RACHEL VANN which follows we are following a form which we submit as being easy to follow, either forward or backward. The generations are identified by letters of the alphabet, beginning with letter "A" for the oldest ancestor, and proceeding alphabetically and chronologically through the generations to the present generation. Each individual is given a number, along with his letter, to distinguish him from every other individual in the GENERATIONS OF WILLIAM & RACHEL VANN. Every individual is listed at least once, as a child, with his parents names underlined.

If the children are known to have had children of their own, an asterisk will precede the names of those future parents. In those cases that individual will be listed later, in proper sequential order, as a parent (along with his/her spouse) and their names will be underlined.

There are obviously mistakes and omissions in the following account of the GENERATIONS FROM WILLIAM AND RACHEL VANN. On occasion official records of births, marriages, etc. have varied as they occur in different or later accounts. Some ages in the census' do not keep exact pace with the passage of time, which is, I hope, not too grievous a fault, as this occurs even in the present generation. The following material has been received from many sources of the descendents of these ancient Vanns. Some of this material has been duplications of material already received, and the accounts of names and dates have not always jibed. A decision as to which name or date that I have used has sometimes been a mental toss-up.

A family that has been inadvertently omitted should be able, if they wish, to work up its own family line, and fit it into its proper chronological place in this folder, perhaps following the same order of identification of individuals as has been used throughout the folder.

VANN VIGNETTES is a book that has been written by myself, William H. Vann II and by my sister Lucille Vann Cohen, with the help of Sue Spindle Vann, my wife, and by countless researchers and correspondents. This folder of the Generations of (C-4) Jacob Vann has been compiled from some material in VANN VIGNETTES and from material received in 1980, '81 and '82 from eight or ten descendents of Jacob Vann, all of whom presently live along the Pacific Coast. I will not attempt to name each who has contributed material, but I would be sorely remiss if I did not mention Ann Broderick of Harrah Washington, Glorine Vann Story of Upper Lake, Calif., and Ora Ellen Wilsey of Fort Bragg California, Thelma Vann Griner of Upper Lake, CA. and Terry Axelrod of Shearon Oaks, CA.

GENERATIONS FROM WILLIAM AND RACHEL VANN(A-1) William Vann & Wife or Wives, including his last wife Rachel had:

- \* (B-1) Elisha Vann, b. Edgecombe Co., NC m.  
Mary \_\_\_\_\_, b.
- \* (B-2) Edward Vann, b. m.  
Martha House, b. *died 1798 Edgecombe Co, NC.*
- (B-3) William Vann, b. m.
- (B-4) Ely Vann, b. m.
- (B-5) James Vann, b. m.
- (B-6) Charles Vann, b. m.

NEXT GENERATION(B-1) Elisha Vann & Mary had children:

- (C-1) Thomas Vann, b. m.
- (Was in Edgecombe County, NC in 1823. He died prior to his father.)
- \* (C-2) Henry (Harry) Clay Vann, b. 1805 m.
- (C-3) Melissa Vann, b. m.  
Washington Hopper, b.

Thomas, Henry & Melissa were living in Heywood County Tenn. in 1833 when their father's will was probated in Edgecombe County, NC.

Family lore is that (C-2) Henry Clay Vann was related to Delilah Amelia Vann who married David McNair. Delilah Vann is Joe (Rich Joe) Vann's half sister, and daughter of James Clement Vann Jr and Elizabeth Thornton. James Clement Vann Jr.'s mother is Wah - Li, full blood Cherokee. However, various Vann lines have layed undocumented claim to kinship to this famous Cherokee Vann family which finally produced Will Rogers.

Another Henry Clay Vann (than C-2 Henry Clay Vann) was born 67 years later at Big Creek Miss., son of Thomas & Louise Cohoe Vann. This Thomas Vann is the son of Harrison & Julia Ann Field Vann of Gates County, NC. Harrison Vann's parents are John & Edith Vann of Gates County. John Vann came to Gates County in the early 1770's directly from England with his father, un-named. The Henry Clay Vann of this line moved to near Marlin Texas, where he and Mary Elizabeth Barton Vann raised a large family, several of whom still live at Marlin Texas. (See ch. 7, VANN VIGNETTES) The kinship between this Vann line and that of William & Rachel Vann of Gates County NC, whose ancestors settled in present Gates County about 70 years earlier, has not been established, though a kinship surely exists.



(B-2) Edward Vann & Martha House had children:

- \*(C-4) Jacob Vann, b. 1-16-1790, d. 8-19-1867, m. (1) 5-7-1816 (2) 7-16-1833  
 (1) Sarah (Sally) Woodard, b. 12-15-1797 Davidson Co., Tenn., d. 2-20-1834.  
 Sarah's parents are Pitt & Elizabeth Smith Woodard. (See app. XIV, marriage cert.)  
 (2) Margaret Shaw, b. 1803, Tenn., d. 2-25-1885. (See app. XV " " )  
 Margaret's parents are William Shaw of Ireland, and Susan Taylor of Tenn. Margaret and Jacob Vann are buried in Potter Valley, Calif.

Edward Vann, father of Jacob Vann, died in 1798 in Edgecombe County, N.C. On Dec. 26, 1800 Martha House Vann, widow of Edward Vann, executed a Division of Property among her sons Micajah Vann; Jacob Vann; William Vann; and Mathew Vann. (See app. VI.) Three days later, Dec. 29, 1800, Martha Vann married Micajah Exum. In 1801 the proceeds from the sale of the property of the deceased Henry Vann, a putative uncle of the deceased Edward Vann, was made to the heirs of Edward Vann and to Edward Vann's five living brothers. Also receiving an equal part of this division is William Ryley, identity unknown. The five living brothers of Edward Vann in 1801 were Elisha Vann; James Vann; William Vann; Ely Vann; and Charles Vann. In October of 1815, Jacob Vann, with Power of Attorney for his brother William Vann sold property in Edgecombe County, N.C. that they had inherited from their mother.

We do not know which family raised Jacob Vann, after 1800. He lived in the same parts of Tennessee and Missouri as did the Pitt family and the Woodard family from the early 1820's to 1855, and later events indicate that Jacob Vann was strongly influenced by his association with these families. The Woodard family was Methodist oriented, and Pitt & Elizabeth Woodard had 12 grandsons who became Methodist preachers. Four of these grandsons were sons of Jacob & Sarah E. Woodard Vann. These four were: Pitt Woodard Vann; William Henry Vann; Jesse Smith Vann; and Robert Gordon Vann. Pitt's son, Thomas Woodard, married Susan Fambro, and from this marriage came preacher sons William S. Woodard; Edward Woodard; Wesley Woodard; and John Woodard. Pitt's daughter Elizabeth married William McKnight, and their son Daniel McKnight became a Methodist preacher. Rebecca Woodard married James Faulkner, and their son Robert Faulkner was a Methodist minister. And the youngest daughter, Cynthia Woodard, married Elisha Luter, and their two sons Thomas Luter and Edward Luter were Methodist preachers.

Jacob Vann served in the War of 1812. He enlisted as a private in Captain John Moore's Company of Infantry, First Regimental Tennessee Volunteers, commanded by Colonel William Hall, from Sumner County, Tennessee. His muster-roll is dated Dec. 21, 1812 at a camp near Nashville, and his appointment began Dec. 10, 1812. He was on the Company pay-roll until Feb. 9, 1813, when he was furlowed. His pay at that time was \$27.04.

Jacob Vann was listed on the Tax-roll of Sumner County and Davidson County Tennessee in 1816, the same year that Jacob & Sally Woodard were married in Davidson County. Jacob & Sally's marriage certificate shows May 7, 1816 as the date of solemnization. But the date of marriage in the Woodard Family Bible shows Feb. 24, 1816. This was likely the date on which the marriage license was obtained from the County of Davidson. Jacob & William Vann are in Tenn. in 1815. (App. XIII).

Jacob Vann's pattern of movement of his residence in Tennessee and Missouri from about 1824 to 1855 could easily be related to his activity as a Methodist Preacher. He was in Illinois from about 1819 to 1824. His two oldest sons, Pitt Woodard Vann and William Henry Vann, were born there in 1819 and 1823-24. He was in Sumner County, Tennessee in 1824; Cooper County, Missouri in 1830; Polk County Missouri in 1836; Newton County, Missouri in 1839; Greens County, Missouri in 1846; and in Cedar County, Missouri in 1855. Jacob & Margaret Shaw Vann were living in Greens County, Missouri in 1855, when they and their children made the move from Missouri to California, in a wagon-train captained by Jacob and the deceased Sally's next-to-eldest son William Henry Vann. By this date all of Jacob & Sally's children



had reached maturity. In fact, Taylor Shaw Vann, the oldest child of Jacob & Margaret Shaw Vann was about 19 years old when the trip to California was made. When Jacob & Margaret Shaw Vann reached California they settled first in the Napa Valley, and then moved up into Potter Valley, Mendocino County in 1860. Living conditions in that area at that time were still rather primitive. We have seen no records of Jacob's activities after moving to Potter Valley - in fact he had passed his 70th birthday. But this writer suspects that he still participated to the extent that he could in the religious activities of his community. Jacob Vann died on August 19, 1867 in Potter Valley, and is buried there. Margaret Shaw Vann, who was 13 years younger than Jacob outlived him by about 18 years. She died February 25, 1885, and is buried by her husband. (See the pictures of Jacob and Margaret, and pictures of their head-stones, taken in 1980 by Clorine Vann Story.)

(B-2) Edward Vann & Martha House had children: (cont.)

(C-5) Micajah Vann, b.	d.	m.
(C-6) William Vann, b.	d.	m.
(C-7) Mathew Vann, b.	d.	m.

(Acknowledgment of information received recently from Clorine Vann Story, Ora Ellen Wilsey, Terry Axelrod, and Thelma Vann Griner is added at this point. This information has cleared up the confusion relating to the marriages of Jacob Vann. This new information was obtained through the efforts of E.T. Stonecipher who has done extensive work on the Pitt & Woodard families. Also, at the request of Clorine Vann Story, marriage records were found of the two marriages of Jacob Vann by Barbara Vann Pommer of Nashville, Tennessee. Barbara does part-time professional genealogical work, and edits a monthly news letter.)

NEXT GENERATION(C-2) Henry Clay Vann &had children:

- \* (D-1) Wilson Wade Vann, b. 04-22-1835 in eastern Tennessee. d. 09-14-1906, m. Margaret Laduska Bishop, b. 12-22-1839. d. 11-27-1924. Both are buried in the Oakwood Cemetery in Austin, Tx. A Masonic Emblem is on his stone.
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| (D-2) Martha Vann, b.    | 1837 | d. | m. |
| (D-3) William Vann, b.   | 1840 | d. | m. |
| (D-4) Thomas Vann, b.    | 1842 | d. | m. |
| (D-5) Mary Jane Vann, b. | 1842 | d. | m. |
| (D-6) Eghart Vann, b.    | 1846 | d. | m. |
| (D-7) Harriett Vann, b.  | 1846 | d. | m. |
| (D-8) Robert Vann, b.    | 1849 | d. | m. |

The 1860 Census of Fayette County, Tn. lists W. W. Vann, age 25, born Tn. Wilson Wade & Margaret Bishop Vann moved from Tn. to Holly Springs, Miss., where they lived for an unknown period of time before moving to central Tx.

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(C-4) Jacob Vann & (1) SARAH E Woodard had children:

- \* (D-24) Pitt Woodard Vann, b. 08-12-1819, Ill., d. 02-01-1910, m. 08-14-1839  
 Spicey E. (Tracey Erwin) Davison), b. 1822, Tn.

In 1824 Pitt W. Vann's parents moved to Sumner Co. Tenn. where they resided 6 yrs ; in 1830 they moved to Cooper Co., Mo., where Pitt & Eliz. Woodard, SARAH E Woodard Vann's parents, were living; in 1839 they moved to Newton Co., Mo ; and in 1846 they moved to Greene Co., Mo. Our first known record of Pitt W. Vann in Mo. appears March 1837, when he, at age 17, is listed as one of the 12 charter members of WOODARD'S CLASS, a Methodist Sunday School organized in the home of Pitt & Elizabeth Woodard, parents of SARAH Woodard Vann, by Meth. Circuit Rider H. G. Joplin and Presiding Elder P.C.W.W. Redman. The other charter members were: Pitt & Eliz. Woodard; Jacob and Margaret SHAW Vann; Martha Woodard McKnight, dau. of Pitt & Eliz. Woodard; Thomas Woodard, son of Pitt & Eliz. Woodard, and Thomas' wife Susan; and 4 slaves named Jacob, Agnes, Jenny, and Chloe.

Pitt Woodard Vann (age 20) and Tracey Erwin Davidson (age 17) were married Aug. 14, 1839. This was the same yr that the Jacob & Margaret SHAW Vann family moved from Polk Co., Mo. to Newton Co., Mo.

Pitt Woodard Vann (age 33) followed his brothers William Henry, Thomas A., and Mathew to Calif., arriving in Napa Valley Oct. 25, 1852. The following Fall he moved to Sonoma Co. & settled 8 mi. above Healdsburg, where he remained 7 yrs. He next moved to Potter Valley in Mendocino Co. where he farmed for 10 yrs; then he moved to Point Arena for one yr; and then to Ukiah for one yr; then to a cattle ranch in the Eel River area for a yr. In July, 1874 he moved to Lake Co., and settled on 40 acres of land about 1½ mi. from Upper Lake, Ca.

Pitt & Spicey Vann had 12 children, named later, of whom 6 were "lost", presumably at early ages, tho dates of birth & death of these 6 are not known by this writer.

Pitt Woodard Vann was the first Minister of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the Potter Valley Ca. area, likely serving there first as a Circuit Rider about 1860. A building for a Meth. Church was built first at Pomo, in lower Potter Valley, in 1872. Until that date the church congregations of the area usually met under the Oak Groves.

Pitt W. Vann was one of the 4 sons of Jacob & SARAH Vann who became Methodist Ministers. Pitt's father-in-law, Pitt Woodard, had 12 grandchildren who became Meth. Preachers.

- \* (D-25) William Henry Vann, b. ca. 1822-~~ILLINOIS~~, d. 1876, age 52, Santa Ana. Angeline Cates, b. 01-17-1834, m. 03-26-1856 Polk Co., Mo. D-1878.  
b. Cedar Co., Mo., d. 1876, Santa Ana, Ca.

The above moved with his parents from Tn. to Cooper Co., Mo. at age 7 in 1830. He worked at Farming until about 1846, at which time he enlisted in the United States Army for the Mexican War, which lasted from 1846 to 1848. His brother (D-33) Azariah Vann is said to have also served in the Army during the War with Mexico. The following is from the War Record of (D-25) William Henry Vann, given at Ft Leavenworth, Ks. Sept. 1847: ".....Born Sumner Co., Tn., is now 25 yrs old, 5ft 10 in. height, fair complexion, light-colored eyes & hair, and was a farmer, when mustered." After the Mexican War, he moved to Texas in 1852. When gold was discovered at Sutter's Mill he eventually became one of the thousands who joined the Gold Rush to Calif. After a short period of working in the gold mines William Henry Vann "and two of his brothers" settled near St Helena, Napa Co., Ca. In 1854 he returned to his Mo. home by way of the Panama Route, and on March 26, 1856 in Polk Co., Mo. he married Angeline Cates, b. 01-17-1834, dau. of Ransom Cates & Edith Sweany Cates. He was abt 34 yrs old, and Angeline was 22 yrs old. Angeline's parents had lived in Person, N.C., to Tn. by 1828, and to Mo. by 1834. William Henry Vann in 1855 returned to Calif. as captain of a Wagon Train of 120 travelers, heading West. (There is a small discrepancy here, as his marriage record appears as 1856, and his return to Ca. as 1855.) On this trip to Ca. he was accompanied by his new wife and by his father, (C-5) Jacob Vann, and by his step-mother Margaret Shaw Vann, who Jacob Vann had married ca. 1834-35. At the time of the movement of the Jacob Vann family to Calif. in 1855, Jacob's 8 children by Margaret Shaw ranged in age from 5 to 19 yrs.

The above (D-25) William Henry Vann settled first, on his return to Ca., in Napa Co., but moved after a few years to Mendocino Co., Potter Valley, by 1860. By 1869 he had moved to near Ukiah, where he farmed and ranched, and preached. He was an ordained Methodist Minister, following the Preaching Profession until he lost his voice in his late years. The loss of voice was a family trait that plagued several of Jacob Vann's descendants, during their late years. Some of Jacob Vann's present-day descendants claim (partly facetiously, I think) that they have symptoms of this family malady. (It has been this writer's observation of many Vanns that the exact opposite is true - that the Voice of the Vanns increases in intensity with age - at least within his own family!)

- (D-26) Robert Gordon VANN b.  
Viny J. Doyle, b.

m. 1842 Knoxville Tn.

Robert G. Vann was one of the "preacher sons" of Jacob & SARAH E. Woodard Vann. Not very much has been learned regarding him. Jacob, his father, signed as bondsman at Robert's marriage.

- \* (D-27) Mathew Vann, b. 06-09-1823, Morgan Co., MD. m. 04-14-1852 in Pope Co., Mo. Elizabeth Lane, b. Native of Tn.

Mathew Vann was about one yr old when his parents moved from Ill. to Sumner Co. Tn. In a resume of Mathews life given many yrs later, the places of residence of his parents is given only as Tn. and Cooper Co. Mo., tho surely he lived with his parents in each of the residences indicated in the accounts of his brothers, Pitt Woodard Vann and William Henry Vann, given earlier. Mathew Vann is said to have lived near Boonville, Mo. until May 1, 1850, at which time he traveled to Calif. with two of his brothers, (D-25) William Henry Vann, and T. A. Vann (who is likely (D-28) Thomas Vann.) The wagon train with which they moved West from Springfield, Mo. arrived in Calif. on July 30, 1850. Mathew Vann settled first at Hangtown, near Placerville where he mined for gold for about 18 months. In Dec. of 1851 Mathew went back to Mo. to his home town, and married Elizabeth Lane. Less than a yr later he traveled back to Ca. with his new wife Elizabeth, settling in Napa Valley on the Yount Ranch in Sept. 1852. The following Spring Mathew bought 100 acres about 2 mi. south of St Helena, where he and Elizabeth raised grapes & other farm produce, and raised 5 sons, named later.



(D-28) Thomas Vann, b. 5-29-1825, Nashville, Tenn. m. -  
 D. 5-12-1904, Buried - Hydecoville, CA

Little has been learned by this writer concerning this son of Jacob & SARAH E. Woodard Vann. One account ventures that Thomas Vann is believed to have moved to Texas, but this has not been verified. (See mention of T. A. Vann under above account of (D-27) Mathew Vann.)

(D-31) Martha Vann, b. d. 1856 m.

Martha Vann is said to have drowned while enroute from Mo. to Calif. This most likely occurred on the trip west upon which Jacob & Margaret Shaw Vann traveled. Martha Vann would have likely been in her late 20's at her death.

(D-32) Susan Vann, b. m.

Nothing is known by this writer regarding this daughter of Jacob & Margaret Woodard Vann.

(D-33) Azariah Vann, b. d. m.

Almost nothing is recorded that we have found in family records regarding Azariah. One unverified note says that he was believed to have enlisted along with his brother (D-25) William Henry Vann to fight in the War with Mexico about 1846.

- \* (D-34) Jesse Smith Vann, b. 06-06 (Or 09)-1827 Tn., d. 02-18-1904 "heart disease"  
Buried Odd Fellows Cem., Ukiah, Ca., m. (1) 03-20-1856, Green Co., Mo.  
(2) at Ukiah, Ca.  
(3) 06-06-1888 (or 89) Mendocino, Co.
- (1) Hannah Lee, b. 09-09-1833 Blount Co., Tn., d. 12-28-1881  
(Dau. of Samuel & Mary Hackney Lee)
- (2) Amanda Burke
- (3) Mrs Elizabeth Wilson, b. ca. 1835 - Mo. native - d. 02-14-1913 Bur. Potter Valley

Jesse Smith Vann taught school from 1849 to 1854 (likely in Mo.). He was licensed to preach in 1854. In 1856 he married Hannah Lee, and moved to Napa Co., Ca. the same year, and lived in Napa Co. until 1869. From 1857 to 1875 he and Hannah had 13 children. According to the Bible Records of Jesse Smith Vann, presently in the possession of Charlotte King of Ukiah, Hannah died Dec. 28, 1881, and Jesse married Amanda Burke. There were no known children by this marriage, and Amanda Burke Vann was evidently dead by 1888, when Jesse S. Vann married Elizabeth Wilson, who survived Jesse in 1904. "Brother(Jesse Smith)Vann was ordained a Deacon by Bishop John Early, and was ordained an Elder by Bishop H. H. Kavanaugh. While a member of the East Texas Conference his (brother Vann's) health failed, and his voice was so affected that he never entirely recovered. He moved to Ukiah two years ago." (1902) The quotation is from StJohn's M.E. Church paper of Ukiah, Feb. 27, 1904, and was printed 9 days after Jesse Smith Vann's death. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge of StHelena, Ca.

(C-4) Jacob Vann & (2) Margaret Shaw had children:

- \* (D-35) Taylor Shaw Vann, b. 04-15-1836 in Mo., d. 1914 m. 02-12-1875  
 Sarah C. Conrad b. They married in Mendocino Co., Ca. Sarah Conrad was a native of Texas. (D-35) Taylor Shaw Vann at age 20 came to California with his parents on the ox-wagon train in 1855, and settled with his parents in Napa Valley, where they resided for four years. Then in the Fall of 1860 they moved to Mendocino County, California, and settled in the upper end of Potter Valley, where they were engaged in farming. When the father Jacob Vann died in 1867, Taylor Shaw Vann took over the management of the 160 acre farm. His mother, Margaret Shaw Vann lived at the home place with him. Taylor Shaw Vann did not marry until he was 42 yrs old. He & Sarah Conrad Vann had four sons & three daughters, named later.
- (D-36) Jacob Vann, b. d. Napa Co., Ca.
- \* (D-37) Logan Douglas Vann, b. 04-25-1841, Mo. d. ? m. 09-03-1876  
 Mary Adeline Bland, b. 06-24-1846, Polk Co., Mo., dau. of Elliott & Virginia Clay Bland. Virginia Clay was daughter of Jonathan & Martha Ann Taylor Clay. Logan Douglas was about 35 yrs old when he married Mary A. Bland. It appears that he lived with his parents until about the time of his father Jacob's death in 1867. At about this time Logan Douglas bought 30 acres in the center of the Valley (Potter) from R. Corner, and later bought 25 additional acres adjoining, from J. Spencer. Prior to buying these properties, he was said to have been engaged in ranching. His ability as a farmer was highly praised in an account in HISTORY AND BIOGRAPHY OF COAST COUNTIES, WRITTEN IN 1904. In 1901 he produced ten tons of dried prunes from four acres of land. He raised hay, grain, plums, apples, pears and grapes, as well as poultry. Logan Douglas Vann was a steward in his Methodist Episcopal Church.
- \* (D-38) Mary Jane Vann, b. 1842, Mo. (perhaps Newton Co.), d. 1921,  
 m. May 1, 1861 in Potter Valley, Ca. to  
 Benjamin Franklin Dashiell, b. 1815, d. 1892, son of James Whithier and Mary Milcah Jones Dashiell.
- \* (D-39) George Washington Vann, b. 02-02-1844, d. "at his home in Middle Creek Valley", 06-18-1917, at age 73. He married (1) Jan. 8, 1883 to  
 Donna McCreary, b. divorced 08-03-1887, m. (2) 08-25-1887  
 Isabelle Hust, b. 08-09-1869, Red Bluff, Ca., dau. of Franklin Harrison & Nancy Cecelia Moore Hust. Isabelle Hust Vann d. 09-28-1939 Los Angeles, buried San Francisco, Woodland Cemetery. Isabelle Hust Vann m. (2) Samuel D. Porter.
- \* (D-40) Elijah Perkins Vann, b. 02-07-1846, Mo. (Likely Greens County), d. 12-16-1924, at Upper Lake, Ca., & buried there. He m. 09-07-1884  
 Ida Mae Marston, b. 11-09-1866, d. 06-10-1948, buried Hartley Cemetery at Lakeport, Ca. Her parents were Wilmot & Lydia E. Ford Marston.
- \* (D-41) Keziah Julia Vann, b. 2/5/1848 d. 2-10-1876 PoH: RLA 114, CA. m. 10-31-1862  
 Thaddeus William Dashiell, b. 01-18-1818 d. 9/21/1892 PoH: 241101, CA.
- \* (D-42) Cynthia Ann Vann, b. Sept. 1850, d. 1925, m. 1869  
 William Eddy, b. 09-12-1837 d. 1914 Potter Valley, CA

NEXT GENERATION

(D-1) Wilson Wade Vann & Margaret Laduska Bishop had children:

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- \* (E-1) Murray Wilson Vann, b. 1864, d. 1918, m.  
Lela J. Sparks, b. 1885, d. 1946. (Both buried Lytton Springs, Tx.)
- \* (E-2) Thomas Vann, b. 5-24-1875, Kerrville, Tx., m. (1), (2),  
Sallie Gould  
Minnie Tarrin
- \* (E-3) Walter W. Vann, b. d. 1964, Kerr Co. Tx., m.
- \* (E-4) John William Vann, b. 1860 m. Julia Blanche Weston
- (E-5) Mary A. Vann, b. m. 8-12-1885, Center Point, Tx.  
Jesse G. Burney, b. (Information on this marriage of Mary Vann &  
Jesse Burney said to be recorded in TEXAS STATE GOVERNMENT, 1889, E. H.  
Loughery, pg 105-106. Mary A. Vann is said to have donated her family Bible  
to a Library in Austin Tx. A note, "Lafe Vann Austin" following the donation  
note is not clear to this writer.)
- \* (E-6) Bishop Lafayette Vann, b. m. Lonnie Lee Gibson  
(The following were named to me in 1964 by Neuman F. Vann of SanAntonio, as  
brothers and sisters of Mary A. Vann Burney, and as "probably living at  
Austin, Lockhart, and Lytton Springs, Tx.")
  - (E-6a) Mrs Maggie Brown
  - (E-6b) Mrs Etta Wright
  - (E-6c) Mrs Allie McElroy
  - (E-6d) Mrs Edna Spruill
  - (E-6e) Mrs Lomie Vann
  - (E-6f) Lafe Vann
  - (E-6g) Tom Vann (possibly E-2 Thomas Vann, above)

(E-2) Thomas Vann resided at SanAntonio, Tx most of his adult life, where he owned and operated a wholesale coffee company at 109 Crofton Ave. He came to be known as THOMAS VANN THE COFFEE MAN. A copy of a letter in this writer's possession from (E-2) Thomas Vann to Henry Clay Vann of Marlin Texas states that Thomas Vann's father used to hear from some of the Vann family at Holly Springs, Miss. The letter is dated 1940. Thomas Vann believed that his family was related to the Cherokee Indian Vann family of "Rich Joe Vann" of Frontier fame of the early 1800's. This belief may not have been founded in fact. However such claims, which occur frequently in various Vann families, could possibly exist via the distaff side of the family, rather than thru the Vann name.



(D-24) Pitt Woodard Vann &amp; Tracey (Spicey) Erwin Davidson had:

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- \* (E-38) Joel Walker Vann, b. July, 1840, Mo., d. bur. Santa Rosa, m. Mendocino  
Sarah Clay Broadbuss, b. 04-08-1858, Santa Rosa, Ca., d. 1951, Petaluma, Ca.

Sarah was the daughter of Rev. James J. & Missouri Jane Broadbuss. When Sarah was 16 her parents moved to the Hoopa Valley Indian Reservation in Mendocino County, where her father became an Indian Agent, and Sarah taught school there.

- \* (E-39) William Smith Vann, b. Mo., d. Biskiyon Co., Ca.  
Nancy Emmely Hale, b. Mo., d.

William & Nancy married in Mendocino Co., Ca. 1867.

Information remembered by William Smith Vann's present day descendants (1981) indicate that he was usually identified as Smith Vann. A photograph sent to this writer by Ora Wilsey, and identified as Smith Vann shows a man with a heavy looking rifle over his shoulder, and astride a mule, riding in timbered mountains, with several hounds following. He appears to be smaller than average in stature, with dark hair and beard, and about 25 to 35 years of age. A note on the back of the picture identifies the area as SanHedrin Mountain near Potter Valley, and says that Smith Vann "was supposed to be a great hunter." A death certificate was recently obtained by Arthur Vann of Willits Ca., which identifies his grandfather, John Martin Vann, as being the son of William Smith Vann whose wife was Nancy Emmely Hale.

- (E-40) Sarah E. Vann, b. d. m.

- \* (E-41) Martin Briggs Vann, b. 01-18-1857 d. m.  
Virginia Bucknell, b. 1855 d. 1910

Virginia is the daughter of George & Mae Clemins Bucknell

- (E-42) Thomas E. Vann, b. d. m.

- \* (E-43) Alice Vann, b. d. m.  
Edgar Bucknell, b. d.

The following named children are identified as being "lost" to their parents. They likely died at early ages.

- (E-44) John W. Vann, b. d.  
(E-45) Mary J. Vann, b. d.  
(E-46) Ellen M. Vann, b. d.  
(E-47) Martha (H or A) Vann, b. d.  
(E-48) Robert L. Vann, b. d.  
(E-49) Minnie Vann, b. d.

(D-25) William Henry Vann & Angelina Cates had children:

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| * (E-50) | Edith Clark Vann, b. 01-17-1857, StHelens, Napa Co., Ca., d. Dec. 26, ?<br>m. (1) (2) 12-16-1891<br>William Goss, b.<br>Joel Champlain Canterbury, b. 09-11-1850, d. 05-10-1908, Jasper Co., Il. |
| (E-51)   | Eugene Bird Vann, b. 03-13-1858, near Napa, Ca., m. 04-14-1880 Indian Terr.<br>Ida Moss, b. Washington, Ark.<br>Daughter of John & Rebecca Pierce Moss of Tn., Ca., & Ca.                        |
| * (E-52) | Rebecca Vann, b. Ca. d. m.<br><u>Yarbrough, b.</u>   |
| * (E-53) | William Asa Vann, b. 03-25-1864, Mendocino Co., Ca. m.<br>Mary (May) Gould, b. d. Father was Asa Gould   |
| (E-54)   | Ida Vann, b. Ca. d. m. 1902 in<br>Peter Johnson, b. Mendocino, Co.   |
| (E-55)   | Sadie Vann, b. Ca. d. m.   |
| (E-56)   | Bess Vann, b. Ca. d. m.  |
| (E-57)   | Marvin Vann, b. Ca. d. m.  |
| (E-58)   | Mark Vann, b. Ca. d. m.  |
| (E-59)   | Luke Vann, b. Ca. d. m.  |

For additional information on (E-51) Eugene Bird Vann and his business enterprises in Colusa County, Ca. see HISTORY OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AND BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD OF THE SACRAMENTO VALLEY, CALIFORNIA, by James Miller, A. M. Some few pertinent facts regarding his early life are included here: "When 2 yrs old he was taken to a farm in Potter Valley, Mendocino County, where the family remained for some years. At the age of 11 he (moved) with them to the vicinity of Ukiah, Ca. in which city he attended public school. In Oct. 1874 he (moved) to a farm near Santa Ana, and in 1878 he started out for himself as a farm laborer in Santa Barbara County. The following year (1879) he moved to Texas, farming in Montague County, later (farming) in the Chickasaw Nation Indian Territory." From there he returned to California, and worked in Los Angeles County, and from there in November of 1885 he moved to Colusa County, Ca. He married the daughter of the family of John & Rebecca Pierce while residing in Indian Territory. The Pierce family and Eugene Bird Vann had lived in the same area of California before moving to Montague County, Tex., and after Eugene's marriage to the Pierce daughter, both families lived in Los Angeles County Ca., and then to Colusa Co. Ca. Eugene Bird Vann's enterprises in Colusa Co. are highly praised, in the above document.

For additional information on (E-53) William Asa Vann see HISTORY OF THE SACRAMENTO VALLEY, by Quinn. At age 10 his parents moved from Mendocino Co. to Santa Ana, and then to Colusa Co. in 1882. He worked as a teenager on a farm at Grand Island, and after about 3 years he rented and farmed land on Dry Slough for about 5 years. In Sept. of 1890 he settled permanently on his ranch & farm in Colusa County as owner and operator. In 1892 he was elected on the Democratic ticket as Representative to the State Legislature, representing the counties of Colusa, Glenn, and Lake. In 1904 he was elected to the "Board", where he served as Supervisor for 4 years. (This was probably the Board of County Commissioners. Ed.) He "contributes" to the maintenance of the Christian Church, and is a member of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of Grand Island Lodge No. 266 at Grimes, Ca., & past Noble Grand Master; also identified with the Native Sons of the Golden West, in Colusa, Ca.

(D-27) Mathew Vann & Elizabeth Lane had children:

(E-65)	Charles R. Vann, b.	d.	m.
* (E-66)	Thomas Smith Vann, b. Mina Williams, b.	d. d.	m.
(E-67)	William F. Vann, b.	d.	m.
(E-68)	Robert M. Vann, b.	d.	m.
(E-69)	Jefferson J. Vann, b.	d.	m.

(D-34) Jesse Smith Vann & (1) Hannah Lee had children:

(E-90)	Samuel F. Vann, b. 02-27-1857, d. 04-17-1926, Napa Ca. m. 1886 Mendoc. Ca. Carrie J. Wilson, b. They are buried Ft Bragg, Ca.
(E-91)	Orceneith A. Vann, b. 07-21-1858, Napa, d. 09-01-1922, Ukiah, m. (Orcenitha?)
(E-92)	Thomas Ishmael Vann, b. 01-16-1860, Napa, d. 06-24-1882, San Fran
(E-93)	Mary Elizabeth Vann, b. 08-21-1861, Napa, d. 09-17-1917 Richmond, m. Laudrebe _____
(E-94)	Jeroame Vann, b. 05-25-1863 d. 08-08-1886 m.
(E-95)	Eugene Vann, b. 05-25-1863 d. 08-25-1863 (twin to Jeroame)
(E-96)	Melvina Medorine Vann, b. 02-10-1865 m. <sup>MELDORINE</sup>
(E-97)	Jacob Clarence Vann, b. 02-15-1867
* (E-98)	(or Jossie) Iola Florence Vann (f), b. 02-15-1867 m. 12-06-1885 (twin to Jacob) George Abbott Johnson westport, Ca.
(E-99)	Lyle Jesse Homer Smith Vann, b. 03-20-1869. d. 07-10-1897, Buried Sonora
(E-100)	Charles Lee Vann, b. 02-01-1871, d. 10-30-1890, Buried Westport m.
(E-101)	Safrona Belle Vann, b. 04-01-1873, d. 06-10-1874,
(E-102)	Mathew Loranco Vann, b. 03-20-1875, d. 10-30-1890, Buried Westport

The following is taken from the Family Bible of Jesse Smith & Hannah Lee Vann, which shows Births & Deaths from 1857 to 1926 - Bible in possession of Charlotte Johnson King of Ukiah, Ca., in 1981.

### BIRTHS

Samuel F. Vann, son of J.S. & Hannah was born in Napa Feb. 27, 1857  
 Orceneith A. Vann, son of J.S. & Hannah Vann was born in Napa July 21, 1858  
 Thomas Ishmael Vann, son of Jesse S. & Hannah Vann was born in Napa Jan. 16, 1860  
 Mary Elizabeth Vann, daughter of Jesse and Hannah Vann was born in Napa Valley  
 Sept. 21, 1861  
 Jeroam and Eugene, sons of J.S. and Hannah Vann were born May 25, 1863  
 Melvina Medorine Vann, daughter of J.S. and Hannah Vann was born Feb. 10, 1865  
 Jacob Clarence and Iola Florence, son and daughter of J.S. and Hannah were born  
 Feb. 15, 1867  
 Lyle Hommer Vann, son of J.S. and Hannah Vann was born March 20, 1869  
 Charles Lee Vann, son of J.S. and Hannah Vann was born Feb. 1, 1871  
 Safrona Belle daughter of J.S. and Hannah Vann was born April 1, 1873  
 Mathew Lorince, son of J.S. and Hannah Vann was born March 20, 1875

### DEATHS

Eugene Vann died Aug. 25, 1863 - 3 mo. old.  
 Safrona Belle Vann died June 10, 1874 - 1 yr., 2 mo.  
 Hannah, wife of J.S. Vann separated this life Dec. 28, 1881  
 "In Triumph of a Living Faith"  
 Thomas I. Vann died June 24, 1882, "Trusting in the Lord"  
 Jeroame Vann died Aug. 8, 1886 - 23 years.  
 Jesse S. Vann died Feb. 18, 1904 in Ukiah - 76 years, 9 months.  
 Mary Elizabeth Laudrebe died Sept. 17, Richmond - age 55 yrs 11 months.  
 Orceneth A. Vann died Sept. 1, 1922, Ukiah - 64 years. (Orceneith?)  
 Charles Lee Vann died Oct. 30, 1890, buried in Westport - age 19 years, 8 mo.  
 Mathew Loranzo Vann died Oct. 30, 1890 - 15 yrs. buried in Westport.  
 Jesse Homer Smith Vann died July 10, 1897, age 28, buried in Sonora.  
 Samuel F. Vann died April 17, 1926 - 69 yrs., buried at Ft Bragg.  
 Thomas Vann son of EV J.S. Vann Westport, died in San Francisco June 24, 1882.  
 Further information received from Charlotte King was that "Jesse Smith Vann married the 2nd time to Amanda Burke in Ukiah."



(D-35) Taylor Shaw Vann & Sarah C. Conrad had children:

- (E-103) John Taylor Vann, b. Jan.ca. 1880, d., accident, felling timber.
- (E-104) Anna Bell Vann, b. April, 1881 m. 1901, Mendocino, Co.  
Charles A. Johnson, b.
- (E-105) Elijah Vann, b. May, 1882, Lvd Covelo. d. 1975 Remained single
- (E-106) George Logan Vann, b. June, 21, 1883 Potter Valley d. 1967 Remained single
- \* (E-107) Francis Amanda Vann, b. July, 1885, d. 1961 m. 1901 Mendocino, Co.  
William A. Johnson, b. 1878 d. 1948 Brother to Charles A. Johnson
- \* (E-108) Addie Lee Vann, b. June, 1887 d. 1918 m. 1906 Mendocino, Co.  
Marion (Frank) Grosscup, b. d. Ukiah in late 1960's
- \* (E-109) Leslie Grover Vann, b. Oct. 1889 m.  
Emma Brown, b.

Parents of Charles & William Johnson were Neils Johnson of Sweden, & Anna Marie Rose-  
One note of family material states that (E-108) Addie Lee Vann was a sister to / muson.  
Lege, Lollie & George Vann.

(D-37) Logan Douglas Vann & Mary Adeline Bland had children:

- (E-114) Clorrie (or Clara) Vann, b. 05-17-1887 d. 03-25-1881
- (E-115) James Edward Vann, b. 02-04-1880 m.
- \* (E-116) Finis (Phinias) Logan Vann, b. 05-16-1881 d. 08-07-1956 m.  
Laura Belle Neil, b. 07-21-1887 d. 08-05-1967

## (D-38) Mary Jane Vann &amp; Benjamin Franklin Dashiell had:

- \* (E-117) John Jay Dashiell, b. 05-02-1862 Potter Valley, d. 1907 San Fran., bur. Newport Calif. in the Dashiell Family Plot. m. 07-16- (1893)  
Orpha Anna Gaskins, b. 04-25-1876, d. \_\_\_\_\_, cremated, ashes near Kibesillah.
- (E-118) Nellie Elizabeth Dashiell, b. 10-08-1864 Potter Valley, d. 07-04-1901 Oakland. Bur. Newport, Ca. in Dashiell Family Plot. Died of ruptured appendix. Never married.
- (E-119) George Logan Dashiell, b. 09-16-1866 Potter Valley, d. 02-18-1875 Westport Ca. of gangrenous arm, broken when bucked off horse. Buried Church Yard at Kibesillah.
- \* (E-120) Benjamin Franklin Dashiell II, b. 04-21-1869 Potter Valley, d. 1933 Legget Valley, bur. FtBragg on family plot. m. 05-19-1901  
Katherine (Kittie) Orr, b. 06-14-1881 10-30
- (E-121) Albert Sydney Dashiell, b. 04-01-1871 Potter Valley, d. 1940 Kibesillah, buried at Fort Bragg. Ca. in the Redman Plot, Rose Memorial Cemetery - He never married.
- (E-122) James Wyat Dashiell, b. 04-09-1873 Kibesillah, d. there in 09-18-1876 of diphtheria. He is buried at Newport, Ca.
- (E-123) Thomas Jackson Dashiell, b. 04-17-1876 Kibesillah & died there 1950. Cremated, and ashes buried in Family Plot at Newport, Calif. He never married.
- \* (E-124) Fannie Wyat Dashiell, b. 12-11-1878, Kibesillah, & died there 1960. Buried in Family Plot at Fort Bragg, Ca. m.  
James H. Orr, b. July 13, \_\_\_\_\_ Buried at FtBragg.
- \* (E-125) Mary Jane Dashiell, b. 04-15-1881 Kibesillah, d. 1940 FtBragg. Buried there in the Simpson Family Plot. m.  
Henry Simpson, b. \_\_\_\_\_ Buried FtBragg, Ca.
- \* (E-126) Florence Rose Dashiell, b. 09-28-1883 Kibesillah, d. 06-13-1951 FtBragg, and buried there in Family Plot. m. 12-10-1816  
Archie Cleveland Tyson, b. 08-08-1884 Little River, Ca., d. 02-02-1949 FtBragg. (Son of William E. and Susan Scott Tyson.)
- (E-127) Grover Cleveland Dashiell, b. 06-08-1890 Kibesillah, drowned 1907 while on picnic at "Ten Mile" Ca. (His mother was 48, and his father was 75 when Grover Cleveland Dashiell was born. His father died two years following Grover's birth.)

(D-39) George Washington Vann & (2) Isabelle Hust had children:

- \* (E-128) Grover Harrison (Harry) Vann, b. 08-14-1888 Upper Lake, d. 10-21-1973 m. 8-11-08  
 Agnes Elsie Wheeler, b. 12-29-1889, Drain, Or., d. Sept. 1959, Bur. Upper Lake  
 Daughter of Augustus Oliver & Alice Elise Hanscom Wheeler.

(D-40) Elijah Perkins Vann & Ida Mae Marston had children:

- \* (E-130) Bertha Annette Vann, b. 07-17-1885 Upper Lake d. 12-10-1968 Lakeport m. 05-16-1915 Upper L.  
 William Waverly Simpson, b. 08-30-1890 Lakeport d. 01-25-1965  
 (E-131) Franklin Lewis Vann, b. 02-08-1887 Upper Lake, d. 05-14-1960, unmarried.  
 (E-132) Frederick Eugene Vann, b. 10-22-1888 Upper Lake, d. 12-16-1969 Glendale, Ca.  
 m. 01-07-1926 Turlock, Ca.  
 Mabel Lundgren, b. d.  
 (E-133) Tina Elizabeth Vann, b. 07-04-1896, Upper Lake Ca., d. 01-20-1961 Lakeport Ca.  
 m. 10-08-1932 Ukiah, Ca. to  
 Robert Henderson, b. 1880, d. 1947, Lakeport, Ca.  
 \* (E-134) Bessie May Vann, b. 01-12-1897, Upper Lake, m. (1) 8-4-1928 Turlock, m. (2)  
 Harley Wanner, b.  
 Tom Venable, b. (They lv. Hemet Ca., 1981)  
 \* (E-135) Royal Ivory Vann, b. 10-10-1904 Upper Lake. m. 10-01-1932  
 (Retired Dentist - lvs Lakeport Ca. 1981) Pacific Palisades Ca.  
 Maxine Dorothy Reeves, b. 06-26-1908 Seattle, Wash.

(D-41) Keziah Julia Vann & Thaddeus William Dashiell had:

- \* (E-136) Addie Lee Dashiell, b. 12-28-1862 m. 12-25-1888  
 William Grover, b. 11-17-1854  
 \* (E-137) James Jacob Dashiell, b. 12-08-1864 m. 12-09-1897  
 Fannie Fern Frasier, b. 12-23-1873  
 \* (E-138) Cynthia Ann Dashiell, b. 01-11-1867 m. 10-31-1895  
 Owen William Busch, b. 01-26-1867  
 (E-139) Thaddeus Warsaw Dashiell, b. 01-12-1869  
 ANNA McINTOSH  
 \* (E-140) Robert Erastus Dashiell, b. 04-04-1871 m.  
 IACNE BROWER.  
 \* (E-141) William Dashiell, b. - - 1873 d. 1827 m.  
 FRANCES Bishop.  
 \* (E-142) Margaret Jane Dashiell, b. 12-07-1875 m.  
 VIRGIE Smith

Thaddeus William Dashiell, widower of (D-41) Keziah Julia Vann m. (2)  
 Emma L. Freeland, b. and they had children:

Fred Carrol Dashiell, b. 09-15-1880 died in infancy.  
 Frank Everett Dashiell, b. 04-26-1882  
 MYRA BARNES  
 Herbert Harvey Dashiell, b. 03-10-1885  
 EDITH COY  
 Elizabeth Emma Dashiell, b. 07-05-1888  
 IRA THOMAS

(D-42) Cynthia Ann Rebecca Vann & William Eddie had:

- \* (E-147) William Taylor Eddie, b. <sup>03-</sup>1878 Potter Valley, Ca. m.  
Alta Donahue
- \* (E-148) Estella Eddie, b. 1876 Potter Valley, Ca. m.  
Bert Whittaker
- (E-149) Mary Eddie, b. 08- -1880 Potter Valley, Ca. m.
- (E-150) Laura Eddie, b. 09- -1882 m.  
John Burgess
- \* (E-151) Della Eddie, b. 11- -1885 m.  
Frank Hughes
- (E-152) George T. Eddie, b. 1877, d. 06-04-1881 m.
- (E-153) Matilda May Eddie, b. 1872, d. 04-17-1895 m.  
Joe Thornton
- \* (E-154) James Eddie, b. 07-07-1869 Capella, Ca. d. 07-30-1942 m. 03-08-1893  
Minnie Spencer b. 10-17-1870 d. 01-06-1954 \ Potter Valley, Ca.  
Daughter of John Spencer (b. 1833<sup>Ky</sup>, d. 1899, ~~Calif~~) and Sarah  
Spencer (b. 1836<sup>Ohio</sup>, d. 1913) m. 1860, to Calif. in 1865.



NEXT GENERATION(E-1) Murray Wilson Vann & Lela J. Sparks had children:

- (F-1) Mary Vann, b. d. m.  
       Baker, b. (They lvd at Waco Tx.)
- (F-2) Anna Vann, b. d. m.  
       Charles E. Rodenberry, b. d. (They lvd Lockhart Tx.)
- (F-3) Ethel Vann, b. d. m.  
       Richard Pearson, b. d. (They lvd Caldwell Co., Tx.)
- \* (F-4) Roberta A. Vann, b. 1903 d. Waco Tx. m.  
       Walter Coe Cleveland, b. d. (They lvd Waco Tx.)

(E-2) Thomas Vann & had children:

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(E-3) Walter W. Vann & had children:

- (F-11) Amy Vann, b. m.  
       Wallace, b.

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(E-4) John William Vann & Julia Blanche Weston had children:

- \* (F-17) William Walter Vann, b. ca. 1890 m.  
       A. Gabrielle Tacquard, b.

(E-6) Bishop Lafayette Vann & Lonnie Lee Gibson had children:

- \* (F-23) Bishop Lafayette Vann II, b. m.  
       Mabel E. Smith, b.

(E-38) Joel Walker Vann & Sarah Clay Broaddus had children:

- \* (F-86) Amy Rose Vann, b. d. m.  
Manson Wilson Sutherline, b. d.
- \* (F-87) Carrie Corrine Vann, b. d. m.  
William Dunn I, b.
- \* (F-88) Ernest Joel Vann, b. 04-04-1887 ~~Coveia~~, d. 07-19-1941 San Fran. m. 1907 Ukiah  
Edna Leonard, b. Dau. of Amos & Florence Hayward Leonard

(E-39) William Smith Vann & Nancy Emmely Hale had children:

- \* (F-89) John Martin Vann, b. 11-07-1877, d. 07-11-1955 near Mt. Shasta, Ca., Bur. Ft. Jones 1905, Ukiah  
Hattie Jane Drewry, b. 03-31-1888 Harris, Ca., d. 1980, age 93.  
(Dau. of Perry Drewry & Eliz. Jane Phipps Garrison, g-dau. of Ellen Wimmer Phipps)  
Hattie Jane Drewry Vann m. (2) \_\_\_\_\_ Cinek, and they had son John Dwight Cinek  
who m. 12-29-1948 (F-302) Rose Wyat Dashiell (qv)
- \* (F-90) Charles Lee Vann, b. d. Happy Camp, Ca.

(E-41) Martin Briggs & Virginia Bucknell had children:

- (F-92) Herbert Vann, b. d. m.
- \* (F-93) Sarah Eillene Vann, b. 1880. d. 1947 m.  
Rice, b.
- \* (F-94) Fannie Belle Vann, b. 08-04-1882 d. Dec. 1962 m. April 28, 1906  
George Nobles, b. Sept. 20-1882 d. Dec. 1952
- \* (F-95) Rena Vann, b. d. m.  
John Hale, b.
- (F-96) Alta Vann, b. died young - Bur. Upper Lake Cem.
- (F-97) Lester Vann, b. d. m.  
Rena , b.
- (F-98) Violet Vann, b. d. m.  
Archie Stevensen, b.

(E-43) Alice Vann & Edgar Bucknell had children:

- (F-110) *Fred* H. Bucknell, b. 1857, d. 1926, Bur. Upper Lake Cem.  
*FANNY JONES* b.

(F-50) Edith Clark Vann & (1) William Goss had children:

- \* (F-112) Mabel Goss, b. 1871 d. m.  
William (Billy) S. Windham, b. Native of Texas - Killed by Mexican bandits  
in Mexico.
- (F-113) Jessie Goss (f), b. (Twin of male who d. infancy)
- \* (F-114) Edith May Goss, b. 05-23-1875 d. 05-01-1967 Tacoma Wa. m. (1), (2)  
Cowley, b.  
Kimble, b.
- (F-115) Elizabeth Goss, b. d. (After her father "went  
broke" she kept-house for the Cooks family) m.  
Cooks, b.
- \* (F-116) Lilliam Goss, b. d. m.
- \* (F-117) Lola Ethel Goss, b. 1893 d. m.
- (F-118) Alice Goss, b. d. m.  
(Alice was abt 12 when her mother seperated from Wm Goss)
- (F-119) Georgianna Goss, b. ca. 1881 d. m.  
(Raised by her father, Wm Goss)
- \* (F-120) Ada Goss, b. 04-04-1888, Pasadena Ca. d. 01-06-1974 m.  
Harlow Andrew Neese, b. 06-25-1886 d. Sept. 1956 Seattle, Wa.  
(Ada Goss Neese lvd Seattle when her mother died)

(F-50) Edith Clark Vann & (2) Joel Champlain Canterbury had:

- \* (F-123) Myrtle May (Debbie) Canterbury, b. 09-11-1892 Newton Ill. d. 08-17-1979 at  
Meth. Retirement Home, DesMoines, Wa., m. 12-25-1912 Olney, Ill.  
Charles Theodore Hatten, b. 12-21-1891, Noble, Ill., d. 01-06-1974 Denver.  
Bur. DesMoines, Wa.  
(Both Myrtle & Charles Hatten attended McKendree College - both Meth.  
Ministers)
- \* (F-124) George H. Canterbury, b. d. m.

(E-52) Rebecca Vann &Yarbrough had:

- (F-130) Duke Yarbrough, b. d. m.  
 (F-131) Vann Yarbrough, b. d. m.

(E-53) William Asa Vann & Mary Gould had children:

- (F-135) William Asa Vann, b. d. m.  
 \* (F-136) Maxwell Seymour Vann, b. d. Nov. 1964 m.  
           Mary May Gobel, b. d.  
 (F-137) Hubert Henry Vann, b. d. m.  
 (F-138) Gilbert Gould Vann, b. d. m.  
 (F-139) Willie May Vann, b. 05-01-1905

(E-66) Thomas Smith Vann & Mina Williams had children:

- (F-175) Wilma Vann, b. 12-28-1890 StHelena d. 07-10-1980 m.  
           John A Mitchell, b. d. Dec. 1957 (Son of Rev. James Mitchell)

(E-98) Jossie (Iola) Florence Vann and George Abbott Johnson had:

- \* (F-200) Charlotte b. m. 05-12-1920 SanF., Ca.  
           Marcellus Francis King b.  
 (F-201) George Preston Johnson b.

(E-107) Francis Amanda Vann & William A. Johnson had:

- (F-270) William Johnson, b. 1902, Branscomb, Ca., d. 1955 single.  
 (F-271) Victor Johnson, b. 1905, Branscomb, Ca., d. 1971, m.  
           Anita Zeni, b.  
 (F-272) Vera Johnson, b. 1908, Potter Valley, Ca., m. (1), (2)  
           Alvah Blair, b.  
           Douglas Henderson, b.  
 (F-273) Orval Johnson, b. 1912, Dos Rios, Ca. m.  
           Ruth Green, b. Elk Creek, Ca.  
 \* (F-274) Florence Johnson, b. 1915, Dos Rios, Ca., m.  
           Claude Rose, b.  
 \* (F-275) Hazel Johnson, b. 1917, Branscomb, Ca. m.  
           Richard Williams, b. 1904 Tulsa Ok. (Children's names not known at this writing)  
 \* (F-276) Nina Johnson, b. 1919 Dos Rios Ca. m.  
           Ralph Furlong, b. 1937  
 \* (F-277) Glen Johnson, b. 1922 Dos Rios, Ca. m.  
           Elane Robbins, b.

(E-108) Addie Lee Vann & Marion Frank Groscup had:

- (F-280) Thelma Groscup, b. m.  
 Darrel Ford, b. Covelo
- \* (F-281) Edith Groscup, b. m.  
 Ford, b.
- (F-282) Leslie Groscup, b. m.
- (F-283) Porter Groscup, b. 08-07-1916 Longvale Never married

(E-109) Leslie Grover Vann & Emma Brown had:

- \* (F-284) Grover Albert Vann, b. m.  
 Margie O'Farrell, b.
- \* (F-285) Wilma Vann, b. Oct. 21, 1920 m.  
 Lawrence Hurt, b. Son of Todd & Lulu Gravier Hurt.

(E-116) Finis Logan Vann & Laura Belle Neil had:

- \* (F-286) Eleanor E. Vann, b. 04-17-1916 Lvs Ukiah 1981 m.  
 J. R. Daur
- (F-287) Noel Henderson Vann, b. 08-05-1918 d. 07-12-193\_
- (F-288) Rose Marie Vann, b. 10-12-1928 d. 03-25-193\_

(E-117) John Jay Dashiell & Orpha Anna Gaskins had:

- \* (F-289) Aditha Jane Dashiell, b. 06-20-1895 Kibesillah <sup>did. 1983</sup> m. (1), (2)  
 James Braun, b. <sup>9/25/83</sup>  
 Craig Walters, b.
- \* (F-290) Georgia Ann Dashiell, b. 1897, d. 01-19-1925 m.  
 Homer Wells, b.
- \* (F-291) Fannie Hearst Dashiell, b. 1904 m. (1), (2)  
 Goodale, b.  
 Emmett Larkins, b.
- \* (F-292) Marie Eleanor Dashiell, b. 07-21-1906, Eureka, Ca. d. 06-17-1975, m.  
 Chester Goodale, b.

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(E-120) Benjamin Franklin Dashiell & Kathryn Orr had:

- \* (F-295) Benjamin James Dashiell, b. 1902, d. 1906 m. 1926  
Hazel Branscomb, b. 1907
- (F-296) Robert Sidney Dashiell, b. 11-24-1903, d. 03-17-1982 m. (1), (2)
- \* (F-297) Mabel Minton Dashiell, b. Sept. 3, 1905 d. July 3, 1970 m.  
Robert Cecil Hunt, b.
- \* (F-298) Thaddeus Franklin Dashiell, b. 05-15-1908 m. (1), (2)  
Jesse Buick, b. 01-02-1918 d. m. 06-30-1936  
Harriet Ellen Reid, b. 10-20-1931 d. m. 08-26-1961
- \* (F-299) George Thomas Dashiell, b. 1909 m.  
Rose Lucchessi
- \* (F-300) Orrie Orr Dashiell, b. 1912 m.  
Maxine b.
- \* (F-301) David Samuel Dashiell, b. 08-17-1917, d. Aug. 1981 m.  
Eva Dorothea Gilbert, b.
- \* (F-302) Rose Wyat Dashiell, b. 08-31-1919 m. 12-29-1948  
John Dwight Cinek, b. 11-07-1918
- \* (F-303) Frank Sherat Dashiell, b. 1921 m.  
Beth Keller, b. 07-04-1923, Logan, Utah

(E-124) Fannie Wyat Dashiell & James Henderson Orr had:

- (F-305) James Henry Orr, b. 06-02-1911 at Newport Ca. d. 10-03-1919
- (F-306) Albert Austin Orr, b. 02-29-1916 at Kibesillah, Ca. d. 11-11-1966
- \* (F-307) Eugene Victor Orr, b. 01-09-1920 at Dehaven, Ca. d. 08-24-1979 m. (1), (2)  
Joy Lyons, b.  
Carol Poe Ashelman, b. 12-10-19

(E-125) Mary Jane Dashiell & Henry Simpson had:

- \* (F-310) William Henry Simpson, b. 06-08-1911 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. d. 01-03-1959 m. 6-15-194  
Audrey Mae Koehler, b. 04-19-1920 at Berkeley, Ca. at San Francisco
- (F-311) Lester Thomas Simpson, b. 08-29-1912 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. died 5/15/83
- \* (F-312) Francis X. Simpson, b. 12-24-1915 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. 1936  
Melvene Jane Roberts, b. 04-23-1919 at Ft. Bragg, Ca.

(E-126) Florence Rose Dashiell & Archie Cleveland Tyson had:

- \* (F-315) Archie Roland Tyson, b. 01-14-1918 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. (1), (2)  
Beverly Jane Koehler, b. 11-29-1921 at Oakland, Ca., m. 12-08-1946, d. 10-04-1975  
Audrey Koehler Simpson, b. 04-19-1920, m. 11-21-1976
- \* (F-316) Gertrude Florence Tyson, b. 06-28-1919 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m.  
(G-166) Vernon Douglas Vann, b. 12-07-1910 at Harris, Ca.  
d. 06-14-1971 at Ft. Jones, Ca. & buried there.
- \* (F-317) Ora Ellen Tyson, b. 10-12-1920 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. 11-24-1937  
Wayne Melville Wilsey, b. 11-07-1915 at Little River, Ca.

(E-128) Grover Harrison (Harry) Vann & Agnes Elsie Wheeler had:

- (F-320) Wilfred Vann, b. 11-19-1910 Died in infancy.
- \* (F-321) Thelma Harriett Vann, b. 08-05-1912 Upper Lake, Ca. m. 05-07-1933  
Donald Maurice Griner, b. 12-19-1901 Lakeport, Ca.
- \* (F-322) Agnes Clorine Vann, b. 07-02-1914 Upper Lake, Ca., m. 09-03-1932  
Laurence Alonzo Story, b. 01-17-1910 Cloverdale Ca., d. 10-30-1977 Upper Lake  
(Son of Alonzo Lewis & Murrel Agatha Bonham Story).
- \* (F-323) Carroll Delbert Vann, b. 03-19-1917 Upper Lake, d. 01-29-1976, m. 10-15-1938  
Phyllis Mae Price, b. 07-08-1919 Reno, Nv.  
(Dau. of Harold L. & Mabel C. Meyer Price).
- \* (F-324) Merrill Wilson Vann, b. 08-09-1919 Upper Lake m. 08-09-1943  
Elva Eileen Carr, b. 12-17-1917 Loleta, Ca. m. 08-09-1943 San Fran.  
(Dau. of Abraham Lincoln & Mabel L. Thrapp Stone).

(E-130) Bertha Annette Vann & William Waverly Simpson had:

- (F-325) Vivian May Simpson, b. 01-06-1918 Lakeport, Ca. m.  
Elvin Hystad, b. Death prior to 1981
- \* (F-326) Waverly Eugene Simpson, b. 08-17-1919 Lakeport d. 02-11-1981 Napa m.  
Dolores Feneis, b. 01-07-1921 Dau of Joe Feneis
- \* (F-327) Ruth Elizabeth Simpson, b. 04-29-1921 Lakeport m.  
Paul Guysi, b.
- (F-328) Donald Gordon Simpson, b. 02-25-1926 Lakeport d. 04-15-1945 Italy
- (F-329) Robert Leroy Simpson, b. 06-25-1927 Lakeport

(E-134) Bessie May Vann & Harley Wanner had children:

- (F-340) Gene Wanner, b. (Step-son of Bessie May Wanner)
- (F-341) Carrol Wanner, b. m.

(E-135) Royal Ivory Vann & Maxine Reeves had children:

- \* (F-348) Virginia Eleanor Vann, b. 06-15-1935 Lakeport Ca., m. 09-08-1956  
James Frederick Lindsteadt, b. 07-22-1932 Norfolk Nb. Lakeport Meth. Ch.
- \* (F-349) James Edwin Vann, b. 06-19-1940 Lakeport, d. 1980 Fairbanks Al., m.  
Lorraine Sue Zube, b. Sacramento, Ca.
- (F-350) Roy Douglas Vann, b. 06-30-1946, Lakeport Ca., m. 09-27-1980 Sebastopol, Ca.  
Janet DeNola, b.

(E-136) Addie Lee Dashiell & William Grover had:

- (F-351) Infant daughter, b. 10-21-1891, d. 11-08-1891
- \* (F-352) Clyde Otis Grover, b. 07-12-1891, m. 05-12-1917  
Louise Sharp, b.
- (F-353) Irena Lovin Grover, b. 12-09-1894, d. 02-28-1895
- (F-354) Beatrice Blythe Grover, b. 09-01-1900
- \* (F-355) Alberta Lee Grover, b. 11-27-1902 m. 06-26-1927  
Roy Elbert Kittle, b.

(E-137) James Jacob Dashiell & Fannie Fern Frazier had:

- \* (F-359) Vera May Dashiell, b. 11-11-1898 m.  
(F-391) Clarence Alvin Whittaker, b. 11-22-1897, d. 09-13-1967
- \* (F-360) James Howard Dashiell, b. d. 1955 m.  
Muriel Elaine Neil, b.
- \* (F-361) Leona Lee Dashiell, b. 06-18-1906 m.  
(F-396) Clyde Raymond Eddie, b. 02-18-1900, d. 06-06-1949 Potter Valley

(E-138) Cynthia Ann Dashiell & Owen William Busch had:

- (F-363) Alva Ann Busch, b. 09-20-1896 m.  
Cole, b.
- (F-364) Irena Ruth Busch, b. 03-06-1900 m.  
Park, b.
- \* (F-365) Hazel Busch, b. 1904 m. 1921  
Norman Woolley, b.

(E-140) Robert Dashiell & had children:

- (F-373) Evelyn Dashiell, b. m.
- (F-374) Mildred Dashiell, b. m.
- (F-375) Doris Dashiell, b. m.
- (F-376) Geraldine Dashiell, b. m.
- (F-377) Robert Dashiell II, b. m.

(E-141) William Dashiell & had children:

- (F-380) Tyndall Dashiell, b. m.
- (F-381) William Dashiell II, b. m.
- (F-382) Lawrence Dashiell, b. m.

(E-142) Margaret Jane Dashiell & Smith had children:

- (F-386) Virgile Smith, b. m.

(E-147) William Taylor Eddie & Alta Donahue had:

- \* (F-390) Donald Eddie, b. m.  
Doris Clark, b.

(E-148) Estella Eddie & Bert Whittaker had:

- \* (F-391) Alvin Whittaker, b. m.  
(F-359) Vera Mae Dashiell, b.

(E-151) Della Eddie & Frank Hughes had:

- (F-392) Stanley, b. m.  
(F-393) Taylor, b.

(E-154) James Eddie & Minnie Spencer had:

- \* (F-394) Blythe Eva Eddie, b. 06-26-1896, <sup>Patterson Valley</sup> d. 02-01-1967 m. 05-01-1919  
Henry<sup>A</sup> Dickie, b. 08-06-1896 d. 03-21-1967
- \* (F-395) Alma Marie Eddie, b. 07-21-1898, d. 02-07-1967/08-23-1932 m.  
Theodore<sup>H</sup> Schurr, b. 12-25-1886 <sup>Patterson Valley</sup> d. 11-09-1958
- \* (F-396) Clyde Raymond Eddie, b. 02-18-1900 <sup>Patterson Valley, Ca.</sup> d. 06-06-1949 m. 06- - 1925  
(F-361) Leona Lee Dashiell, b.

NEXT GENERATION(F-4) Roberta A Vann & Walter Coe Cleveland had children:

- (G-20) Alene Cleveland, b. 1922 m.  
 H. Jack Layne, b. They lv Waco Tx. 1981

(F-17) William Walter Vann & Gabrielle Tacquard had:

- (G-55) Elizabeth Vann, b. ca. 1918 m.

(F-23) Bishop Lafayette Vann II & Mabel E. Smith had:

- (G-80) Ralph Hudson Vann, b. m.

(F-86) Amy Rose Vann & Manson Wilson Sutherland had:

- \* (G-150) Lila Edith Sutherland, b. m.  
 Ora Russel Mayes, b.

(F-87) Carrie Corrine Vann & William Dunn I had:

- (G-155) Rupert Nelson Dunn, b. m.  
 \* (G-156) Marion Velma Dunn, b. m.  
 Taylor Jackson, b. (Of Arizona)

(F-88) Ernest Joel Vann & Edna Leonard had children:

- \* (G-160) Milton Oscar Vann, b. 01-28-1908, Westport, Ca. m.  
 Glenna Robbins, b.  
 (G-162) Richard Nelson Vann, b. 09-27-1910, Westport, Ca. m. (1), (2)  
 Beva Hyman, b.  
 Dorothy Tibbets, b.  
 \* (G-163) Flora May Vann, b. 05-20-1909, Westport, Ca. m. 06-17-1941  
 Clarence Winfield Pritchard, b. 07-27-1898, d. 11-29-1980

(F-89) John Martin Vann & Hattie Jane Drewry had:

- \* (G-165) Charles Wesley Vann, b. 05-21-1906 Harris Ca., d. 05-25-1957 Crescent Cy. Ca.  
 Norma Elouise Gill Requa, b. 1910 m. 06-12-1946  
 (Norma Gill Requa Vann Park lvs Van Nuys Ca., 1981) Charles Wesley Vann,  
 a carpenter, was distantly related to Norma Gill Requa Vann's Requa husband. Hattie  
 Jane Drewry Vann married 2nd, after divorcing John Martin Vann, John D. Cinek Sr,  
 and had children: 1. John D. Cinek Jr., b. 11-07-1918 Harris Ca., m. 12-29-1948  
 Rose Wyat Dashiell, cousin to (F-210) Ora Ellen Tyson Wilsey.  
 2. Curtis K. Cinek, b. 08-27-1920 m.  
 Marcell Kettering, b.  
 \* (G-166) Vernon Raymond Vann, b. 12-07-1910, d. 06-14-1971 Ft Jones, m.  
 Gertrude Florence Tyson (F-316) b. Harris Ca., dau of Archie Cleveland Tyson  
 and Florence Rose Dashiell



(F-90) Charles Lee Vann & had children:

(G-167) Emmett Vann, b. m.  
Lvs Willits Ca., 1981.

(F-93) Sarah Eillene Vann & Rice had:

(G-170)

(G-171) (Names & number not learned)

(G-172)

(F-94) Fannie Belle Vann & George Nobles had children:

- \* (G-176) Noma Nobles, b. July 17, 1907 m. Aug. 30, 1930  
Alvin Haskins, b. Sept. 26, 1907
- \* (G-177) Ladean Nobles, b. Feb. 24 ca. 1917 m. Sept 5, 1934  
Milton Stainback, b. Nov ca. 1912  
Lvs Upper Lake - 1981
- \* (G-178) Zelda Nobles, b. Sept 15, 1922 m. Oct 21, 1941  
Joseph Huston, b. Dec. 17, 1913

(F-95) Rena Vann & John Hale had children:

(G-179) Viola Hale, b. m.

(F-112) Mabel Goss & William S. Windham had children:

(G-190) Dau., name not learned

(F-114) Edith May Goss & Kimble had children:

(G-191) Russell Kimble, b. m.

(F-116) Lillian Goss & had children:

(G-196)

2 daus., names not learned

(G-197)

(F-117) Lola Ethel Goss & had children:

(G-200)

2 daus., names not learned

(G-201)

(F-120) Ada Goss & Marlow Andrew Neese had children:

- (G-210) Edith Elizabeth Neese, b. 01-14-1911 Newton (Jasper Co.) Ill., m. 06-11-1936  
Merlin Bolcher, b.
- (G-211) Margaret Myrtle Neese, b. 01-05-1915 Spokane, Wa. m.  
James Andrew Richard Simmons, b.
- (G-212) William Goss Neese, b. 06-06-1924 (adopted) m.

(F-123) Myrtle May Canterbury & Charles Theodore Hatten had:

- \* (G-230) Thoburn Weaver Hatten I, b. 03-01-1914 Iuka, Ill., m. 01-01-1939 Alaska  
Marie Fuller, b. He died 11-05-1974 L.A., Ca.
- \* (G-231) Canterbury (Barry) Theodore Hatten, b. 08-14-1917 Richview Ill., m. (1), (2)  
Mary Gibson, b.  
Louise , b.
- \* (G-232) Myrtle Hope Hatten, b. 11-20-1922 Spokane, Wa., d. 10-14-1979, m. 11-22-1941  
Chester (Chet) Russell Slaughter  
(Farmed 35 yrs in Wapata area (Yakima Co. Wa.))
- \* (G-233) Edith (Ann) Hatten, b. m.  
Claude Coffee, b.

(F-124) George Canterbury & had children:

- (G-234) George Canterbury, b. m.
- (G-235) Joel Vann Canterbury, b. m.
- (G-236) James Canterbury, b. m.
- (G-237) Edith May Canterbury, b. m.

(F-136) Maxwell Seymour Vann & Mary May Gobel had:

- \* (G-238) Seymour Gobel Vann, b. 1916, d. 12-24-1966 m.  
Martha Hutchinson, b. 1915
- \* (G-239) Garnet Acie Vann, b. m.  
Barbara Gonzales, b.
- \* (G-240) Maxwell Seymour Vann II, b. m.  
Angela O'Sullivan, b.

(F-274) Florence Johnson & Claude Rose had:

(Names &amp; number not learned)

(F-275) Hazel Johnson & Richard Williams had:

- (G-241) Richard N. Williams II, b. Nov. 1938 m. (1), (2), (3)  
Linda Pethley, b.  
Doris Fogg, b.  
Judith Gebhardt, b.
- \* (G-242) Clyde R. Williams, b. 04-16-1942 m.  
Patty Brown, b.
- \* (G-243) Sharon Marguerite Williams, b. 05-30-1944 m. (1), (2)  
James Hixon, b.  
George Jesenko, b.

(F-200) Charlotte Johnson and Marcellus Francis King had:

- (G-240a) Robert Vann King, b.
- (G-240b) Marcellus (Mark) King, b.

(F-276) Nina Johnson & Ralph Furlong had:

- \* (G-244) Ralph Furlong II, b. 1938 m.
- \* (G-245) Naomi Furlong, b. 1943 m.  
Myers, b.
- \* (G-246) Floyd Furlong, b. 1946 m.

(F-277) Glen Johnson & Elane Robbins had:

- \* (G-247) Merrilyn Elane Johnson, b. 02-06-1945 m.  
Bobby Geio Money, b.
- \* (G-248) Shirley Ann Johnson, b. 03-28-1946 m.  
Donald Delbert Nelson, b.

(F-281) Edith Groscup &amp;

Ford had:

(G-249)

(2 sons, names not learned)

(G-250)

(F-284) Grover Albert Vann & Margie O'Farrell had:

- \* (G-310) Darwin Wayne Vann, b. 1939 m.  
Philbrick, b.
- \* (G-311) Garwin Grover Vann, b. 1939 m.
- \* (G-312) Cheryl Joanne Vann, b. 1942 m.  
Gary Lee Pinches, b. from Laytonville, Ca.

(F-285) Wilma Vann & Lawrence Hurt had:

- \* (G-316) Bill Hurt, b. m.  
Claire Henderson, b.
- \* (G-317) Brenda Hurt, b. m.  
Al Ames, b.

(F-286) Eleanor E. Vann & J.R. Daut had:

(G-320)

(F-289) Aditha Jane Dashiell & James Braun had:

- (G-330) James Martell Braun, b. 07-06-1913, d. 1959 m. (1), (2)  
Tessie Van Volkenburgh, b.  
Craig Walters, b.

(F-290) Georgia Ann Dashiell & Homer Wells had:

- (G-331) Homer Lee Wells, b. 06-24-1921, d. 1980
- \* (G-332) Phyllis Wells, b. m.  
Stockton, b.
- \* (G-333) Jack Wells, b. m.

(F-291) Fannie Hearst Dashiell &

Goodale had:

- (G-340) Josephine Goodale, b. m.

(F-291) Fannie Hearst Dashiell & Emmett Larkin had:

(G-341)

(G-342)

(G-343)

(G-344)

(Names not learned)

(F-292) Marie Eleanor Dashiell & Chester Goodale had:

- \* (G-350) Chester Charles Goodale, b. m.  
Barbara Ann Rector, b.

(F-295) Benjamin James Dashiell & Hazel Branscomb had:

- (G-355) Eugene Dashiell, b. (Died in Armed Services)

(F-297) Mabel Minton Dashiell & Robert Cecil Hunt had:

- \* (G-360) Robert Jerold Hunt, b. 05-05-1925 m.  
Cornelia Josephine VanGastel, b. 07-30-1926
- \* (G-361) Evelyn Kathryn Hunt, b. 10-22-1927 m.  
Franklin Earl Miller, b. 07-16-1925

(F-298) Thaddeus Franklin Dashiell & Jessie Buick had:

- \* (G-363) Thaddeus Richard Dashiell, b. 12-30-1937 m.  
Sharron Elaine White, b. 03-30-1943

(F-298) Thaddeus Franklin Dashiell & Harriett Ellen Reid had:

- (G-364) Katherine Ellen Dashiell, b. 07-07-1962 m.
- (G-365) Robert Reid Dashiell, b. 05-12-1964 m.

(F-299) George Thomas Dashiell & Rose Lucchessi had:

- (G-366) Charles Marcell Dashiell, b. 1936 m.  
Deanna Pavioni, b.
- (G-367) George Dashiell, b. 1936 m.
- (G-368) Jackie Dashiell, b. 1939 m.

(F-300) Orrie Orr Dashiell & Maxine had:

- (G-369) Tyrone Dashiell, b. m.
- (G-370) Sue Dashiell, b. m.
- (G-371) Craig Dashiell, b. m.

(F-301) David Samuel Dashiell & Ava Dorothea Gilbert had:

- \* (G-372) David Samuel Dashiell II, b. 04-12-1952 Scotia, Ca. m. 8-26-1971  
Neileen Margaret Lynch
- (G-373) Michael Edwin Dashiell, b. 11-13-1954 m.
- (G-374) Daniel Todd Dashiell, b. 04-25-1956, d. 02-10-1974
- (G-375) Thomas Ray Dashiell, b. 07-24-1959, d. 11-07-1971

(F-302) Rose Wyat Dashiell & John Dwight Cinek had:

- (G-377) John Dwight Cinek II, b. 01-03-1950 at Willits, Ca. m.  
 (G-378) Joseph Curtis Cinek, b. 11-09-1953 at Willits, Ca. m.

(F-303) Frank Sherat Dashiell & Beth Keller had:

- \* (G-379) Kathryn Ann Dashiell, b. 10-30-1953 at Willits, Ca. m.  
 David James Howe, b. 11-10-1955 at Choteau, Mont.  
 \* (G-380) Elizabeth Dashiell, b. 12-08-1956 at Sonoma, Ca. m.  
 Louis Michael Stritenburg, b. 09-27-1942 at Coloma, Ca.  
 \* (G-381) Janet Dashiell, b. 12-08-1956 at Sonoma, Ca. m.  
 Victor Marvin Sneed, b. 03-09-1956 at Wichita, Ks.  
 (G-382) La Ree Dashiell, b. 09-26-1963 at Napa, Ca.

(F-307) Eugene Victor Orr & (1) Joy Lyons had:

- \* (G-383) Eugene Victor Orr Jr., b. 01-24-1945 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. (1), (2)  
 Linda b.  
 Kathy b.  
 \* (G-383a) Judith Elaine Orr, b. 04-02-1946 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. (1), (2)  
 Jim Holt, b. d. 02- -1974  
 Roger Wagner, b.

(F-307) Eugene Victor Orr & (2) Carol Poe Ashelman had:

- \* (G-384) Mary Elizabeth Orr, b. 12-17-1950 m. 02-03-1970  
 Robert Glenn Paoli, b. 04-20-1941

(F-310) William Henry Simpson & Audrey Mae Koehler had:

- \* (G-385) William Koehler Simpson, b. 06-07-1943 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. 02-06-1971  
 Mollie Patricia Poole, b. 09-02-1943 in England  
 \* (G-386) Carrie Mae Simpson, b. 09-26-1944 at Paso Robles, Ca. m.  
 \* (G-387) Robert Henry Simpson, b. 06-07-1948 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. 08-29-1970  
 Jennifer Richards, b. 01-04-1951

(F-312) Francis X. Simpson & Melvane Jane Roberts had:

- \* (G-388) Terrill Francis Simpson, b. 04-29-1937 m.  
 Barbara Costilupus, b.  
 (G-388a) Richard Dean Simpson, b. 08-24-1945 m.  
 Linda May Hundley, b.

(F-315) Archie Roland Tyson & Beverly Jane Koehler had:

- \* (G-389) Linda Lue Tyson, b. 05-30-1948 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. 09-12-1970  
 Ted Innocente Christian, b. 04-06-47



(F-316) Gertrude Florence Tyson & (G-166) Vernon Douglas Vann had:

- (G-390) Raymond Archie Vann, b. 01-08-1940, <sup>Harberville</sup>Willits, Ca. m.  
Joanne Lee, b.

(F-317) Ora Ellen Tyson & Wayne Melville Wilsey had:

- \* (G-391) Harlean Kay Wilsey, b. 08-28-1938, FtBragg, Ca. m. Nov. 1960  
Myron Lee McClenny Sr., b. 10-26-1932, Oskaloosa, Ks., Lvs Redmond, Wa. 1981  
(His parents are Dean & Myra I. Rindom McClenny)
- \* (G-392) Rose May Wilsey, b. 07-21-1939, Boonville, Ca., m. 04-07-1963 Reno, Nv.  
John Sanderson Bednar, b. 08-01-1938, FtBragg, Ca.  
(His parents are Frank Ray & Olive Lola Sanderson Bednar.)
- \* (G-393) Veltha Fay Wilsey, b. 04-15-1941, FtBragg, Ca. m. 1958 Reno Nv.  
Lowell Thomas Prine, b. 01-01-1936, Arizona  
(His parents are Lowell Lee & Agnes Corrine Schultz Prine.)
- \* (G-394) Sharon Ellen Wilsey, b. 07-13-1942, FtBragg, Ca., m. 10-29-1960, Reno, Nv.  
Donald Dean Pate, b. 08-01-1939, Mesa Ariz.  
(His parents are Roy Jefferson & Julie Catherine Linker Pate.)

(F-321) Thelma Harriett Vann & Donald Maurice Griner had:

- \* (G-400) Nancy Carol Griner, b. 07-24-1935, Upper Lake, Ca., m. 06-26-1955 Upper Lake  
Pepper Seroy Wagner, b. 02-26-1936 <sup>11-8-1982 Buried Upper Lake, CA.</sup>  
(His mother is Mable Leona Seroy Wagner. His natural father is William J. Washburn. His stepfather is Earl Wagner.)
- (G-401) Donald Vann Griner, b. 05-13-1937, Upper Lake, Ca., d. 1941
- \* (G-402) Sharon Lee Griner, b. 09-09-1942, Lakeport, Ca., m. 07-10-1960 Upper Lake  
Adrian Carroll Dixon II, b. 06-02-1938, Elm City, N.C.  
(His parents were Adrian Carroll Dixon & )
- (G-403) Catherine Ann Griner, b. 04-21-1947, Lakeport, Ca. <sup>M 02-14-1982 SAN JOSE, CA</sup>  
~~Robert Hart~~ b. 06-02-1942, Cleveland, Ohio

(F-322) Agnes Clorine Vann & Laurence Alonzo Story had:

- \* (G-405) Merle Clorine Story, b. 02-27-1933, Woodland, Ca., m. 07-31-1954 Upper Lake  
Norman Lee Jones, b. 10-03-1930, Upper Lake, Ca.  
(Parents are Alonzo & Dorothy Azile Sylar Jones.)
- \* (G-406) John Laurence Story, b. 03-31-1936, Upper Lake, Ca., m.  
(1) Marie Hall @ Carson City, Nv. on Aug. 1960  
(2) Gisele Resnick @ San Ramon, Ca. on 12-10-1974
- (G-407) Harriet Lee Story, b. 11-18-1941, Lakeport, Ca., died in infancy.

(F-323) Carroll Delbert Vann & Phylis Mae Price had:

- \* (G-408) Gary Price Vann, b. 06-11-1941, Sacramento, Ca., m. Oct. 1959 Reno, Nv.  
Melba Irene Tingley, b.  
(Her parents are Irene & Milburn Willis Tingley.)
- (G-409) Cheryl Mae Vann, b. 05-16-1946. Santa Rosa, Ca., m. 12-07-1974 Santa Rosa  
James Owen Donham, b. Divorced 07-09-1976

(F-324) Merrill Wilson Vann & Elva Eileen Carr had:

- \* (G-411) Georgia Mae Vann, b. 05-09-1944, Upper Lake, Ca., m. (1) 1962 Carson City Nv.  
 Cyril Ouillette, b. (2) 1969 Santa Rosa, Ca.  
 George C. McCoy, b. (3) 1972, Oct. 21  
 Lester Lee King, b.
- (G-412) Virginia Eileen Vann, b. 10-22-1945, Upper Lake, Ca., m. 12-26-1967 Upper Lake  
 Jean Papaionnou, b. died 09-28-1973 England
- \* (G-413) Harry Leroy Vann, b. 11-18-1947, Upper Lake, Ca., d. 08-05-1967 Ukiah, Ca.  
 (Harry Leroy Vann died in traffic accident.), m. Carson City Nv.  
 Kathy Cross, b. She m. (2) Eddie Blanco, b.
- (G-414) PATRICIA CARR Female, name not learned (Step daughter) m.  
 John Risch, b. They lvd. Willits Ca. in 1967

(F-326) Waverly Eugene Simpson & Dolores Feneis had:

- \* (G-450) Shirley Simpson, b. 05-11-1946 m.  
 Ray Putnam, b. Deceased
- \* (G-451) Joanne Simpson, b. 09-14-1948 m.  
 Kenneth Jardine, b.
- \* (G-452) Debbie Simpson, b. 09-13-1961 m.

(F-327) Ruth Elizabeth Simpson & Paul Guysi had:

- (G-458) James Guysi, b. m.
- (G-459) Gary Guisi, b. m.
- (G-460) Ronald Guysi, b. m.

(F-348) Virginia Eleanor Vann & James Frederick Lindsteadt had:

- (G-500) Karen Suzanne Lindsteadt, b. 07-30-1960 m.
- (G-501) Richard Alan Lindsteadt, b. 05-08-1964, Portola, Ca. (Adopted), m.
- (G-502) Janis Faith Lindsteadt, b. 11-14-1965, Sacramento, Ca.

(F-349) James Edwin Vann & Lorraine Sue Zube had:

- (G-520) David James Vann, b. 10-19-1966, Adak, Alaska m.
- (G-521) Cheryl Sue Vann, b. 08-29-1971, Ketchikan, Alaska

(F-352) Clyde Otis Grover & Louise Sharp had:

- \* (G-530) Eleanor Ida Grover, b. 06-11-1918 m. 10-15-1944  
Hadley Barnes, b.
- \* (G-531) Albert Dashiell Grover, b. m. 11-01-1946  
Lila Cornell, b.
- \* (G-532) Jean Marie Grover, b. 12-06-1921 m. (1), (2)  
Clift L. Moore, b.  
Howard L. Merrick, b.

(F-355) Alberta Lee Grover & Roy Albert Kittle had:

- \* (G-540) Virginia Lee Kittle, b. 10-31-1930 m. 12-22-1951  
John Milton Dickson, b.
- \* (G-541) Sharon Janice Kittle, b. 06-20-1933 m. 06-30-1956  
Richard Lee Powell, b.
- \* (G-542) Charles Roy Kittle, b. 03-09-1941 m. 07-07-1963  
Harlowe Ann Bullock, b.

(F-359) Vera May Dashiell & Clarence Alvin Whittaker had:

- \* (G-560) Robert Alvin Whittaker, b. 05-05-1922 Potter Valley, Ca. m.  
Earlene Annette Johnson, b. 12-26-1923 Willits, Ca.
- \* (G-561) James Albert Whittaker, b. 06-22-1930 m. 02-23-1965 Willits Ca.  
Lurline Lynn Walter, b. 12-31-1929 Covelo, Ca.

(F-360) James Howard Dashiell & Muriel Elaine Neil had:

- \* (G-562) Charles Dashiell, b. 08-14-1928 Ukiah, Ca. m.  
Julia b. 07-17-1928 Senecaville, Ohio
- \* (G-563) Donald Keith Dashiell, b. Died in traffic accident. m.
- \* (G-564) James Frazier Dashiell, b. 07-12-1933 Potter Valley m.  
Iona Morris, b. 01-03-1936 Gravette, Ark.

(F-361) Leona Lee Dashiell & Clyde Raymond Eddie had:

- \* (G-565) Helen Lee Eddie, b. 01-31-1929 Potter Valley m. 03-26-1950  
Andrew M. Blundell, b. 05-22-1923
- \* (G-566) Janet Louise Eddie, b. 02-05-1931 m. 02-03-1951  
Milo LaDean Cain, b. 09-19-1930 Klamath Falls
- \* (G-567) James Clyde Eddie, b. 05-21-1935 Potter Valley m. 01-30-1959  
Judith May Dightman, b. 12-13-1939 Ukiah, Ca.

(F-365) Hazel Busch & Norman Woolley had:

- (G-600) Bill Woolley, b. Died in accident
- (G-601) John Woolley, b.
- (G-602) Norma Woolley, b. m.  
Vernon Clark, b.
- (G-603) Tom Woolley, b. m.
- (G-604) Shirley Woolley, b. m.  
Cook, b.
- (G-605) Buzz Woolley, b. m.
- (G-606) Sue Woolley, b. m.  
Marshall, b.

(F-390) Donald Eddie & Doris Clark had:

(G-630) Bill Eddie, b. m.

(G-631) Charles Eddie, b. m.

(F-391) Alvin Whittaker & (F-359) Vera Mae Dashiell had:

See (F-359) Vera Mae Dashiell, page 37.

(F-394) Blythe Eva Eddie & Henry Dickie had:

- \* (G-640) Roberta<sup>Alma</sup> Dickie, b. 10-31-1919 Potter Valley Ca. m. 09-12-1942  
 Clarence<sup>Harvey</sup>, b. 09-25-1910  
 Berry Son of Ira Berry Harvey, b. 08-14-1873, m. Annie Christine Spotswood, b. 1870 d. 1919
- \* (G-641) <sup>Minnie</sup> Lucille<sup>Arthur</sup> Dickie, b. 12-25-1923, Potter Valley m. 10- -1945  
 George<sup>Arthur</sup> Harder, b.

(F-395) Alma Marie Eddie & Theodore<sup>H</sup> Schurr had:

- (G-650) Lorraine Schurr, b. 10-17-1922 m.  
 William Mathews, b.
- \* (G-651) James<sup>Theodore</sup> Schurr, b. 09- -1925 m.  
 (v) Dorothy b.
- \* (G-652) Dorothy<sup>Marie</sup> Schurr, b. 1931 m.  
 Emmett Roades, b.

(F-396) Clyde Raymond Eddie & (F-361) Leona Lee Dashiell had:

See (F-361) Leona Lee Dashiell, page 37.

NEXT GENERATION(G-150) Lila Edith Sutherland & Ora Russel Mayes had:

(H-300) Ora Russel Mayes II, b. m.  
Mary Dean Chafin, b.

(G-156) Marion Velma Dunn & Taylor Jackson had:

(H-320) Thad Jackson, b. m.

(G-160) Milton Oscar Vann & Glenna Robbins had:

(H-340) Ernest Henry Vann, b. m.

(G-163) Flora May Vann & Clarence W. Pritchard had:

(H-346) Luann Flora Pritchard, b. 7-20- 1942 FtBragg, Ca. m.

\* (H-347) Nancy Ellen Pritchard, b. 9-18- 1945 FtBragg, Ca. m. 10-22-1966  
Ronald Arthur Kram, b. 12-19-1941 Petaluma Co., Ca.

(G-165) Charles Wesley Vann & Norma Elouise Gill Requa had:

\* (H-355) Jane Elizabeth Vann, b. 05-25-1948, Ukiah, Ca. m. 08-01-1975  
Louis Bernadino McDowell, b. ca. 1933 Calistoga, Ca.  
(H-356) Arthur Brian Vann, b. 02-06-1952, Pasadena, Ca. m.

(G-166) Vernon Raymond Vann & (F-309) Gertrude Florence Tyson had:

(H-358) Raymond Archie Vann, b. 01-08-1940, <sup>05</sup>Willits, Ca. m.  
Joanne Lee, b.

(G-176) Noma Nobles & Alvin Haskins had children:

\* (H-360) Donald Haskins, b. <sup>JUNE 16, 1931</sup> m. <sup>MAR. 2, 1953</sup>  
Marge Hudspeth, b. <sup>NOV. 22, 1933</sup>

(G-177) Ladean Nobles & Milton Stainback had children:

(H-363) Shirley Stainback, b. <sup>NOV. 25, 1935</sup>

(G-178) Zelda Nobles & Joseph Houston have children:

(H-365) Mitchel Dean Houston, b. <sup>NOV. 29 1953</sup> Lvs Upper Lake m.

(G-230) Thoburn Weaver Hatten I & Marie Fuller had:

(H-400) Terry Tho Hatten, (f), b. m.  
David Axelrod, b.

(H-401) Thoburn (Sonny) Weaver Hatten II, b. m.



G 173 Ruth Rice & Zema1 McConnell

H 386 June McConnell

G 181 Carrol E. Bucknell & Kathleen Timothy Garner

H. 387 Leland C. Bucknell b Sept 18, 1937 Lakeport  
m. Sept 7, 1958 Sandra L. Crabill b

H 359 James M. Bucknell b. May 31, 1945 Lakeport  
m. Barbara E. Watson

(G-231) Canterbury (Barry) Theodore Hatten & (1) Mary Gibson had:

(H-408) John Hatten, b. 1955, Seattle, Wa. m.

(H-409) Charles Theodore Hatten, b. 1957, Seattle, Wa.

(G-231) Canterbury (Barry) Theodore Hatten & (2) Louise had:

(H-410) John Barry Hatten, b. m.

(H-411) Charles (Chuck) Theodore Hatten, b. m.

(G-232) Myrtle Hope Hatten & Chester Russell Slaughter had:

\* (H-412) Ann Marie Slaughter, b. 06-18-1942, Yakima, Wa., m. 10-12-1959

William (Bill) R. Broderson, b. 06-16-1938, Stevens, Mt.

(Ann Marie & Bill Broderson lived at Harrah, Wa. in 1981. Ann Broderson was the first of the present day (1981) descendents of Jacob Vann with whom this writer established contact, about 1979. She has been instrumental in keeping the interest alive, among the Vanns of the west coast, in their family heritage. Ora Ellen Wilsey describes Ann, whom she met June 1981, as "a lovely person, and very pretty.")

\* (H-413) Cheryl Hope Slaughter, b. 04-02-1945, Yakima, Wa., m. 1965 (by Chas. Hatten)  
Dan Hoffman, b.

(H-414) Russell Chester Slaughter, b. 03-31-1947, Yakima, Wa. m.

\* (H-415) Erick (Rick) Hatten Slaughter, b. 10-13-1955, Yakima Wa., m. 1975  
Peggy Sagen, b.

(G-233) Edith Ann Hatten & Claude Coffee had children:

\* (H-430) Margaret (Maggie) Ann Coffee, b. m.  
Steven R. Harris, b. m.

(H-431) Debbie Coffee, b. m.

(H-432) Chris Coffee, b. m.

(H-433) Susan Coffee, b. m.

(H-434) Robert Hatten Coffee, b. ca. 1964 m.

(G-238) Seymour Gobel Vann & Martha Hutchinson had:

(H-456) Sarah Crapser Vann, b. 1947, d. 12-24-1966

(H-457) Seymour Gobel Vann, b. 1949 d. " "

(H-458) Deborah Hutchinson Vann, b. 1953 d. " "

(H-459) May Vinette Vann, b. 1960 d. " "

(This family died when their home burned)

(G-239) Garnet Acie Vann & Barbara Gonzales had:

- (H-460) William Benard Vann, b. m.  
 (H-461) Garnet Acie Vann Jr., b. m.

(G-240) Maxwell Seymour Vann Jr. & Angela O'Sullivan had:

- (H-463) Sharon Marie Vann, b. m.  
 (H-464) Gary Maxwell Vann, b. m.  
 (H-465) Jane Cecilia Vann, b. m.  
 (H-466) Angela Joelyn Vann, b. m.

(G-241) Richard N. Williams & had children:

- (H-467) Richard A. Williams, b. 05-26-1961  
 (H-468) Carla Williams, b. 05-09-1963  
 (H-469) Melissa Williams, b. 07-10-1971

(G-242) Clyde R. Williams & Patty Brown had:

- (H-470) Todd Williams, b. 06-15-1962  
 (H-471) Trevor Williams, b. 05-25-1966  
 (H-472) Marlene Williams, b. 08-02-1968

(G-243) Sharon Marguerite Williams & Scott Hixon had:

- (H-473) Scott Hixon II, b. 04-28-1964

(G-243) Sharon Marguerite Williams & George Jesenko had:

- (H-474) John Jesenko, b. 07-04-1970  
 (H-475) Kristin Jesenko, b. 02-01-1977

(G-244) Ralph Furlong & had children:

- (H-476) Julie Furlong, b. 1958  
 (H-477) Vickie Furlong, b. 1961  
 (H-478) Kirk Furlong, b. 1964

(G-245) Naomi Furlong &Myers had:

(H-479) Lisa Myers, b. 1960 m.

(H-480) Kenneth Myers, b. 1964 m.

(G-246) Floyd Furlong &had:

(H-481) Steven Furlong, b. 1974 m.

(H-482) Jeff Furlong, b. 1976 m.

(G-247) Merrilyn Elane Johnson & Bobby Geio Money had:

(H-488) Kimberly Renee Money, b. 05-26-1962 m.

(H-489) Colleen Rochelle Money, b. 06-12-1963 m.

(H-490) Michael Gus Money, b. 01-27-1969 m.

(H-491) James Kieth Money, b. 04-06-1975, d. 05-05-1975

(G-248) Shirley Ann Johnson & Donald Delbert Nelson had:

(H-493) Deborah Lynn Nelson, b. 11-03-1963 m.

(H-494) Randall Glenn Nelson, b. 12-27-1967 m.

(G-310) Darwin Wayne Vann &Philbrick had:

(H-520) Donna Vann, b. m.

(H-521) Ronny Vann, b. m.

(H-522) Randy Vann, b. m.

(G-311) Garwin Vann &had:

(H-523) Eric Vann, b. m.

(H-524) Sherri Vann, b. m.

(G-312) Cheryl Joanne Vann & Gary Lee Pinches had:

(H-528) Marty Pinches, b. m.  
 Debbie \_\_\_\_\_

(G-316) Bill Hurt & Claire Henderson had:

(H-550) Rod Hurt, b. m.  
 (H-551) Bob Hurt, b. m.

(G-317) Brenda Hurt & Al Ames had:

(H-552) Lisa Ames, b. m.  
 (H-553) Jonie Ames, b. m.

(G-332) Phyllis Wells & Stockton had:

(H-570) Sharon Ann Stockton, b. 09-05-1939 m.

(G-333) Jack Wells & had:

(H-571)  
 (H-572) (Names not learned)  
 (H-573)

(G-350) Chester Charles Goodale & Barbara Ann Rector had:

(H-574) Charles Edward Goodale, b. 1960 m.  
 (H-575) Chester Michael Goodale, b. 1960 m.  
 (H-576) Timothy Joel Goodale, b. 1962 m.  
 (H-777) Kelly Goodale, b. m.

(G-360) Robert Jerold Hunt & Cornelia Josephine Van Gastel had:

\* (H-580) Karen Louise Hunt, b. 06-14-1948 m.  
 Paul Douglas Maurer, b. 01-23-1947  
 \* (H-581) Ronald Keith Hunt, b. 06-02-1950 m.  
 Gladys Marie Burton, b. 07-30-1951  
 \* (H-582) Debra Dianne Hunt, b. 05-01-1953 m.  
 Walter Lynn Ballinger, b.  
 (H-583) Rodney Allen Hunt, b. 01-09-1956 m.

(G-361) Evelyn Kathryn Hunt & Franklin Earl Miller had:

\* (H-584) Cherryl Lee Miller, b. 01-17-1947 m.  
 Michael Morris, b. 06-11-1947

(G-363) Thaddeus Richard Dashiell & Sharron Elaine White had:

(H-590) Tamera Ann Dashiell, b. 04-18-1964 m.  
 (H-591) Rodney Blain Dashiell, b. 04-18-1965

(G-372) David Samuel Dashiell II & had:

(H-600) David Samuel Dashiell III, b. m.  
 (H-601) Hillary Ann Dashiell, b. m.  
 (H-602) Robert Dashiell, b. m.  
 (H-603) Paul Dashiell, b. m.

(G-379) Kathryn Ann Dashiell & David James Howe had:

(H-615) Sarah Serena Howe, b. 11-16-1980, Fort Bragg, Ca. m.



(G-380) Elizabeth Dashiell & Louis Michael Stratenburg had:

- (H-620) Shane Michelle Stratenburg, b. 09-06-1965 at Napa, Ca. m.  
 (H-621) Heidi Lou Ann Stratenburg, b. 12-08-1968 at Vallejo, Ca. m.  
 (H-622) Carrie Dawn Stratenburg, b. 08-09-1970 at Vallejo, Ca. m.  
 (H-623) Daniel Scott Stratenburg, b. 10-10-1971 m.

(G-381) Janet Dashiell & Victor Marvin Sneed had:

- (H-628) Sarah Elizabeth Sneed, b. 05-18-1981, Auburn, Ca. m.

(G-383) Eugene Victor Orr Jr. & (1) Linda had:

- (H-630) Dodie Ann Orr, b. 08-09-1965 m.  
 (H-631) Robert Orr, b. 08- -1966 m.  
 (H-632) James Orr, b. m.

(G-383a) Judith Elaine Orr & (1) Jim Holt had:

- (H-633) Jennifer May Holt, b. 04-30-1966 m.  
 (H-634) Heidi June Holt, b. 01-04-1968 m.

(G-383a) Judith Elaine Orr & (2) Roger Wagner had:

- (H-635) Jonathan David Wagner, b. 01-06-1982 m.

(G-384) Mary Elizabeth Orr & Robert Paoli had:

- (H-637) Aaron Michael Paoli, b. 03-25-1976

(G-385) William Koehler Simpson & Mollie Patricia Poole had:

- (H-640) Kenneth Robert Simpson, b. 12-06-1972 in England m.

(G-387) Robert Henry Simpson & Jennifer Richards had:

- (H-641) Robert William Simpson, b. 04-19-1974 m.  
 (H-642) Richard Thomas Simpson, b. 01-08-1977 m.

(G-388) Terrill Francis Simpson & Barbara Costilupus had:

- (H-643) Michael<sup>Henry</sup> Simpson, b. 09-13-1960 m.  
 (H-644) Karen Ann Simpson, b. 09-21-1963 m.

(G-389) Linda Lue Tyson & Ted Innocente Christian had:

- (H-650) Aaron David Christian, b. 05-03-1975 m.  
 (H-651) Ryan Tyson Christian, b. 09-21-1977 m.

(G-391) Harlean Kay Wilsey & Myron Lee McClenny had:

- (H-655) Myron Lee McClenny Jr., b. 05-01-1961 at San Fran., Ca. m.  
 (H-656) Kristin Kay McClenny, b. 02-10-1964 at Los Gatos, Ca. m.

(G-392) Rose May Wilsey & John Sanderson Bednar had:

- (H-658) Michele Wilsey Bednar, b. 07-11-1969 at Ukiah, Ca. m.  
(H-659) John Sanderson Bednar Jr., b. 09-17-1974 m.

(G-393) Veltha Fay Wilsey & Lowell Thomas Prine had:

- (H-662) Michael Thomas Prine, b. 04-12-1959 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. 09-06-1980  
Lisa Bowers, b.  
(H-663) Patrick Wayne Prine, b. 01-25-1961 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m.  
(H-664) Kelly Suzanne Prine, b. 04-01-1963 at Ft. Bragg, Ca. m. 04-03-1982  
Steven Mercer Auradou, b.

(G-394) Sharon Ellen Wilsey & Donald Dean Pate had:

- (H-666) Barton Dean Pate, b. 09-08-1961, Fort Bragg, Ca. m.  
 (H-667) Lorrene Ellen Pate, b. 02-17-1964, Ukiah, Ca. m.  
 (H-668) Quentin Todd Pate, b. 10-25-1969, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(G-400) Nancy Carol Griner & Pep Seroy Wagner had:

- (H-700) Donald Earl Wagner, b. 07-21-1956, Lakeport, Ca., m. 05-26-1979 San Jose Ca.  
 Gatha Lou Harris, b.  
 (H-701) Michael Seroy Wagner, b. 02-06-1959, San Pablo, Ca., m. 08-09-1980 LosGat s  
 Lorna L. Little, b.

(G-402) Sharon Lee Griner & Adrian Carroll Dixon had:

- \* (H-706) Deborah Carol Dixon, b. 04-25-1961, Ukiah, Ca. m. 06-23-1979  
 Paul William Thomas, b.  
 (H-707) Jennifer Ann Dixon, b. 10-05-1964, Ukiah, Ca. m.  
 (H-708) Adrian Christopher Dixon, b. 04-11-1967, Sacramento, Ca. m.

(G-405) Merle Clorine Story & Norman Lee Jones had:

- (H-715) Norman Andrew Jones, b. 09-16-1956 Fresno Ca., m. 10-14-1978 Placerville  
 Tonya Louise Adkins, b.  
 \* (H-716) Kathleen Marie Jones, b. 06-08-1958 Lakeport Ca., m. 02-14-1981 Reno Nev.  
 Phillip Gary Clay, b. 05-25-1958 Morocco - son of Paul Henry Clay & Mary  
 Elizabeth Georgina of England.

(G-406) John Laurence Story & Gisele Resnick had:

- (H-718) Karen H. Resnick, b. 06-26-1962, Indianapolis, Ind. m.  
 (H-719) Ingrid H. Resnick, b. 09-10-1959, N.Y., N.Y.  
 (Step-children of John Laurence Story)

(G-408) Gary Price Vann & Melba Irene Tingley had:

- (H-720) Kimberly Dana Vann, b. 07-10-1960, Davis, Ca. m.  
 (H-721) Richard Bernard Vann, b. 05-16-1963, Redwood City, Ca. m.

(G-411) Georgia Mae Vann & (1) Cyril Quilette had:

- \* (H-730) Teresa Helene Quilette, b. 05-09-1963, Gardnerville, Nev. m. 06-26-1982  
 Dale Henry Marcum El Reno, Okla  
 (H-731) Nicholas Cyril Quilette, b. 01-31-1965, Willits, Ca. m.

(G-411) Georgia Mae Vann Quilette & (2) George McCoy had:

- (H-732) Stephanie Dawn McCoy, b. 12-16-1969, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(G-413) Harry Leroy Vann & Kathy Cross had:

- (H-736) Margory Lee Vann, b. 01-18-1967, Ukiah, Ca. m.  
 (Kathy Cross Vann married (2) Eddie Blanco)

(G-450) Shirley Simpson & Ray Putnam had:

- (H-800) Stacey Putnam, b. 10-03-1974 m.  
 (H-801) Sharon Putnam, b. 06-16-19\_\_ m.

(G-451) Joanne Simpson & Kenneth Jardine had:

- (H-805) Jenny Jardine, b. 10-26-1974 m.  
 (H-806) Cameron Jardine, b. 07-08 1978 m.

(G-452) Debbie Simpson & \_\_\_\_\_ had:

- (H-807) \_\_\_\_\_ (Name not learned)

(G-530) Eleanor Ida Grover & Hadley Barnes had:

- (H-840) Pamela Jean Barnes, b. 12-15-1945 m. 07-09-1967  
 Leroy Stage, b.

(G-531) Albert Dashiell Grover & Lila Cornell had:

- (H-841) Louise Ray Grover, b. 08-28-1947 m. 07-09-1967  
 William Bouck, b.

(G-532) Jean Marie Grover & (1) Clift L. Moore had:

- \* (H-842) Eleanor Louise Moore, b. 06-08-1943 m. 12-28-1960  
 Paul Parsinnen, b.  
 (H-843) Charlotte Irene Moore, b. 11-20-1944 m. 10-04-1963  
 Thomas Maxwell, b.

(G-532) Jean Marie Grover & (2) Howard L. Merrick had:

- (H-844) Howard Grover Merrick, b. 10-03-1953 m.

(G-540) Virginia Lee Kittle & John Milton Dickson had:

- (H-848) Jean Elaine Dickson, b. 11-08-1952 m.  
 (H-849) Kathleen Marie Dickson, b. 05-15-1954 m.  
 (H-850) Steven James Dickson, b. 07-06-1955 m.

(G-541) Sharon Janice Kittle & Richard Lee Powell had:

- (H-851) Gregory Lee Powell, b. 01-28-1959 m.  
 (H-852) Susan Lynn Powell, b. 04-05-1961 m.

(G-542) Charles Roy Kittle & Harlowe Ann Bullock had:

- (H-853) Alexander Roy Kittle, b. 09-23-1966 m.

(G-560) Robert Alvin Whittaker & Marlene Annette Johnson had:

- \* (H-870) Robert Johnson Whittaker, b. 04-12-1945, Willits Ca. m. 05-19-1971  
 Jodie Lynn Littleton, b. 07-11-1947 Santa Rosa  
 \* (H-871) Annette Lynn Whittaker, b. 05-11-1950 Willits Ca. m. 09-07-1974  
 Arthur Stanley Cooley, b. 05-17-1950 Montegue

(G-561) James Albert Whittaker & Lurline Lynn Walter had:

(H-895) Larry Edward Whittaker, b. 02-23-1965 m.

(G-562) Charles Dashiell & Julia had:

(H-900) Howard Neil Dashiell, b. 12-07-1960, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(H-901) Michael Wayne Dashiell, b. 05-29-1962, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(G-563) Donald Keith Dashiell & had:

(H-908) Donald Keith Dashiell II, b. m.

(G-564) James Frazier Dashiell & Iona Morris had:

(H-912) Trent Nelson Dashiell, b. 09-03-1960, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(H-913) Brenda Elaine Dashiell, b. 02-02-1962, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(G-565) Helen Lee Eddie & Andrew M. Blundell had:

\* (H-918) Clyde Andrew Blundell, b. 12-06-1953 Potter Valley, Ca. m. 07-06-1976  
Shereen Hilt, b. 02-18-1955

(H-919) Clayton Edward Blundell, b. 03-12-1956, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(H-919a) Kevin Mullin Blundell, b. 10-25-1961, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(G-566) Janet Louise Eddie & Milo LaDean Cain had:

(H-920) Raymond Milo Cain, b. 02-13-1952, Ukiah, Ca. m. 06-12-1977  
Connie Jean Curran, b. 04-01-1959

(H-921) Mary Helen Cain, b. 01-29-1954, Ukiah, Ca. m. 06-09-1972  
Ronald Dean Proctor, b. 08-30-1952, Portland, Oregon

(G-567) James Clyde Eddie & Judith May Dightman had:

(H-930) Jan LeWayne Eddie, b. 12-07-1959 m.

(H-931) James Warren Eddie, b. 04-28-1961 m.

(H-932) Kathrene Leona Eddie, b. 02-29-1968 m.

(G-640) Roberta<sup>A</sup> Dickie & Clarence<sup>B</sup> Harvey had:

\* (H-1020) Marilyn<sup>Elizabeth</sup> Harvey, b. 01-14-1950, Ukiah, Ca. m. 09-30-1979  
Lloyd Lee Pettenger b.

\* (H-1021) Robert<sup>Clarence</sup> Harvey, b. 02-05-1952, Ukiah, Ca. m. 07-03-1976  
Betty Lee Deaver b. 12-29-1953

(H-1022) Kenneth<sup>Michael</sup> Harvey, b. 11-29-1958, Ukiah, Ca. m.

(G-641) Lucille<sup>Minnie</sup> Dickie & George<sup>A</sup> Harder had:

\* (H-1025) Bruce<sup>Aden</sup> Harder, b. April 26, 1950, Sacramento, Ca. m. 08- - 1975  
Pamela Cameron b.

(G-651) James Theodore Schurr & Dorothy had:

(H-1050) James Theodore Schurr, b.

(H-1050) Sandra Schurr, b.

(G-652) Dorothy Marie Schurr & Emmett Rhoades had:

(H-1060) Ann Marie Rhoades, b.

(H-1061) Todd Rhoades, b.



NEXT GENERATION(H-347) Nancy Ellen Pritchard & Ronald A. Kram had:

(I-500) Darin Arthur Kram, b. 05-14-1971, Santa Rosa, Ca. m.

(I-501) Elaine Luann Kram, b. 11-17-1973, Santa Rosa, Ca. m.

(H-355) Jane Elizabeth Vann & Louis Bernadino McDowell had:

(I-520) Anthony McDowell, b. 11-17-1978, Healdsburg, Ca. m.

(H-360) Donald Haskins & Marge Hudspeth had:

(I-540) Randy Haskins, b. MAR. 10 1959 m.

\* (I-541) Richard Haskins, b. NOV 29, 1956 m.  
 Lorri HILLMAN, b. MAR. 31 1956

(I-542) Debbie Haskins, b. Aug. 22, 1955 m.

(H-412) Ann Marie Slaughter & William R. Broderson had:

(I-600) Trudi Ila Broderson, b. 09-18-1961, Yakima, Wa. m.

(I-601) Thomas Ray Broderson, b. 07-17-1963, Yakima, Wa. m.

(I-602) Debra (Debby) Theo Broderson, b. 09-25-1973 Yakima, Wa. m.

(H-413) Cheryl Hope Slaughter & Dan Hoffman had:

(I-608) Dana Chere Hoffman, b. m.

(I-609) Paul Rayan Hoffman, b. m.

(H-415) Erick (Rick) Hatten Slaughter & Peggy Sagen had:

(I-615) Chet Sagen Slaughter, b. 12-28-1979 m.

(H-430) Margaret Ann Coffee & Steven R. Harris had:

(I-650) Scott Harris, b. m.

(I-651) Stefanie Harris, b. m.

(H-432) Chris Coffee & had:

(I-660)

(Names not learned)

(I-661)

(H-580) Karen Louise Hunt & Paul Douglas Maurer had:

(I-700) Eric Alan Maurer, b. 01-20-1969 m.

(I-701) Dierdre Jeanne Maurer, b. 06-01-1970 m.

(I-702) Kelly Ann Maurer, b. 02-11-1973 m.

(H-581) Ronald Keith Hunt & Gladys Marie Burton had:

(I-710) Lisa Marie Hunt, b. 12-30-1975 m.

(I-711) Lori Diana Hunt, b. 03-01-1978 m.

H 366 Leland C. Bucknell & Sandra L. Crabill

- I 543 Gary D. Bucknell b. Oct. 31, 1961
- I 544 Nancy Lee Bucknell b. Aug. 16, 1963
- I 545 James D. Bucknell b. Sept. 7, 1964

H 367 James M. Bucknell & Barbara E. Watson

- I 546 Timothy M. Bucknell b. Sept. 30, 1966
- I 547 Mathew E. Bucknell b. May 14, 1970

(H-582) Debra Dianne Hunt & Walter Lynn Ballinger had:

- (I-715) Nicholas Nathan Ballinger, b. 09-12-1978 m.  
 (I-716) Deanna Rochelle Ballinger, b. 08-01-1981 m.

(H-584) Cherryl Lee Miller & Micheal Morris had:

- (I-730) Stacey Kristine Morris, b. 04-15-1969 m.  
 (I-731) Micheal Scott Morris, b. 09-21-1971 m.

(H-706) Deborah Carol Dixon & Paul William Thomas had:

- (I-800) Jonathan Paul Thomas, b. 04-02-1981 m.

(H-716) Kathleen Marie Jones & Phillip Gary Clay had:

- (I-840) Shawn Phillip Clay, b. 12-04-1981, Sacramento, Ca. m.

(H-842) Eleanor Louise Moore & Paul Parsinnen had:

- (I-900) Cindy Ann Parsinnen, b. 09-07-1961 m.  
 (I-901) Christin Louise Parsinnen, b. 02-10-1964 m.  
 (I-902) Mathew Porter Parsinnen, b. 01-06-1966 m.

(H-870) Robert Johnson Whittaker & Jodie Lynn Littleton had:

- (I-910) Ryan Johnson Whittaker, b. m.  
 (I-911) Mandie Jean Whittaker, b. m.

(H-871) Annette Lynn Whittaker & Arthur Stanley Cooley had:

- (I-915) Casey Lynn Cooley, b. 07-26-1977 m.  
 (I-916) Stanley Robert Cooley, b. 01-29-1980 m.

(H-918) Clyde Andrew Blundell & Shereen Hilt had:

- (I-1000) Joleen Ann Blundell, b. 01-12-1980 m.

(H-925) Mary Helen Cain & Ronald Dean Proctor had:

- (I-1030) Tania Sue Proctor, b. 09-05-1975 m.

(H-662) Michael Thomas Prine and Lisa Bowers had:

(I-672) Thomas Michael Prine, b. 06-13-1983 at Ukiah, Ca.

(H-664) Kelly Suzanne Prine & Steven Mercer Auradou had:

(I-680) Joshua Thomas Auradou, b. 07-13-1983 at Ukiah, Ca.

NEXT GENERATION(I-541) Richard Haskins & Lorri

hadchildren:

(J-1000) Stephen Haskins, b. Oct 2, 1976

m.

(J-1001) Jonathan Haskins, b. JAN 30, 1979

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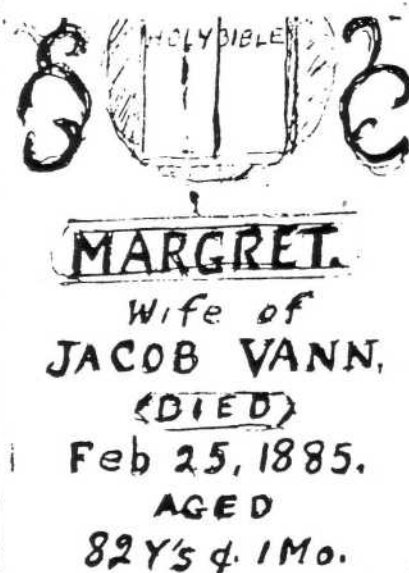
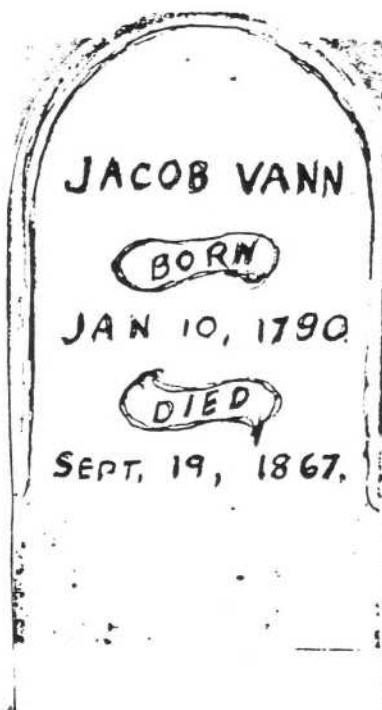
(D-40) Elijah Perkins Vann seated.  
 Ida Mae Manton Vann standing.  
 Children on left, <sup>(E-131)</sup> Frank & <sup>(E-132)</sup> Fred in  
 dress, on right, <sup>(E-130)</sup> Bertha & <sup>(E-133)</sup> Lina is  
 the baby.

(D-40) Elijah & Vann son of Jacob and  
 Margaret Spaw Vann <sup>(C-4)</sup>



*The family say he is wearing  
home made pants with opening  
on the sides*  
(C-4) Jacob Vann

*wife of  
Jacob Vann*  
Margaret Shaw Vann



*Headstones in the Potter Valley, Calif. Cemetery of  
Jacob Vann & his wife Margaret  
Pictures taken by Clorine Strong*





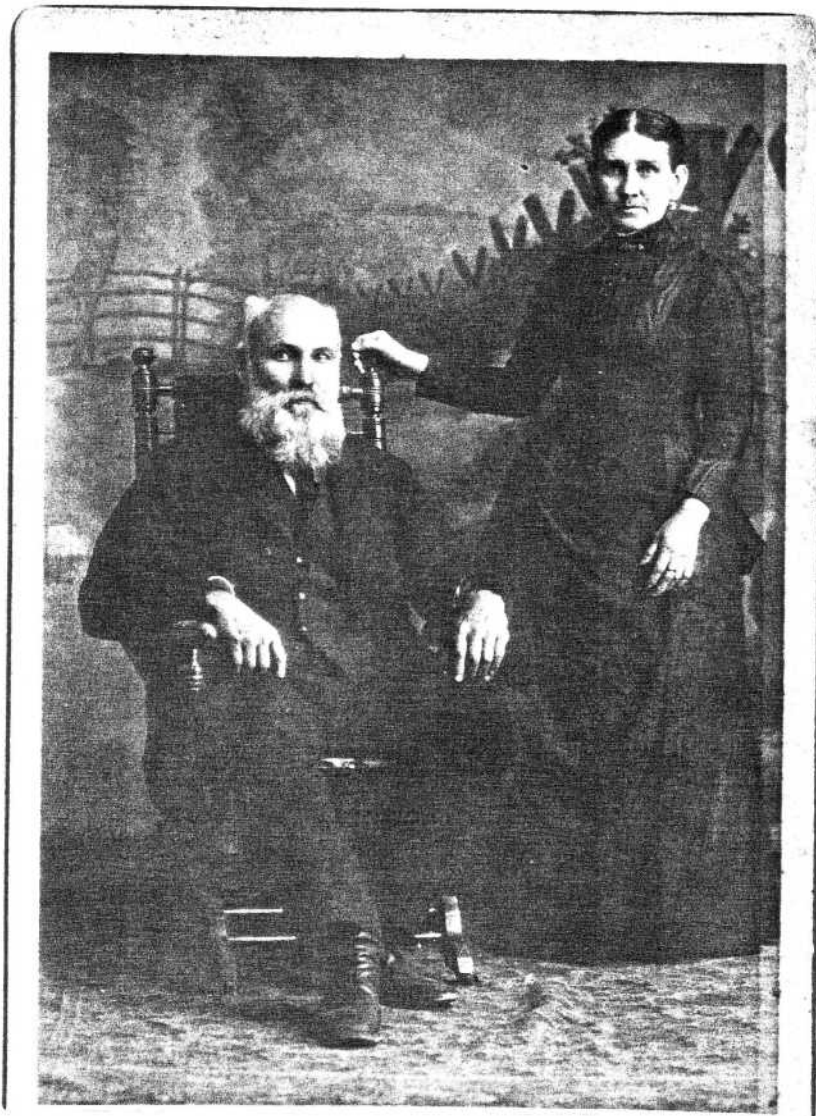
Thaddeus William Dashiell  
married (D-41) Kiziah J Vann



Kiziah Julia Vann  
(D-41)



Emma L. Freeland  
2nd wife  
of Thaddeus Wm.  
Dashiell



'D-42) William Eddie + Cynthia Ann Rebecca Vann (Eddie)



(G-567) James Clyde Eddie, Judith May Eddie, (H-930) Jan LeWayne Eddie.  
(H-932) Kathleen Leona Eddie. (H-931) James Warren Eddie.



(E-38) Joel Walker Vann  
and wife Sarah Broddus  
Vann (seated) with son

(F-88) Ernest Joel Vann and  
daughter (F-87) Carrie  
Corinne Vann Thompson.



Terry Gromes Mayes, Mary Dean  
Mayes, Melanie Mayes, (G-150)  
Lila Sutherland Mayes, Ryan  
Gromes



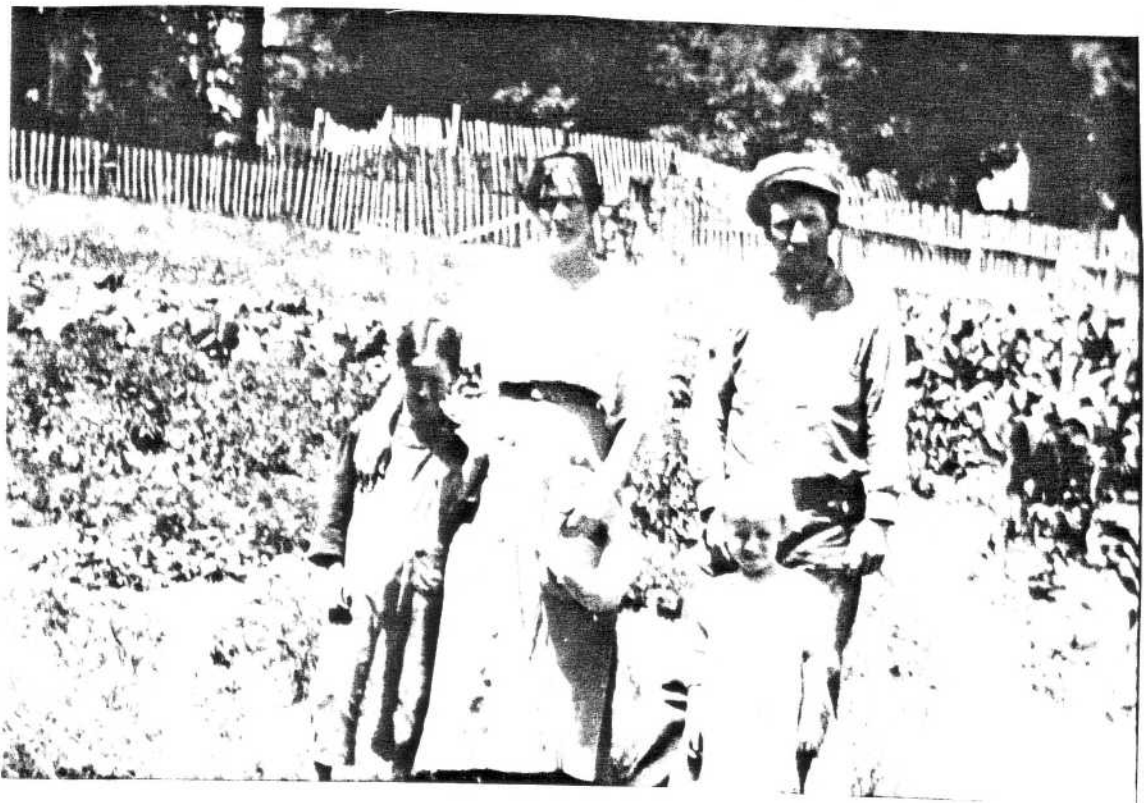
(G-150) Lila Mayes, (G-160) Flora  
and Clarence Prichard. Standing.  
(H-346) Lou Ann Prichard, (H-347)  
Nancy Prichard Kram. Front- (I-500)  
Darin and (I-501) Elaine Kram.



Terry Gromes, Ryan Gromes, Mary  
Dean Mayes, (H-300) Russell  
Mayes, Melisa Mayes



(E-39) William Smith Vann



Hattie Jane Drewry (Vann) + Jonny Martin Vann (F 89)  
 (G-165) Charles Wesley Vann (G-166) Vernon Raymond Vann



(E-109) Leslie Grover Vann + Emma Brown Vann



(F-285) Wilma Vann, (F-284) Grover Vann





(E-106) George Logan Vann



(E-105) Elijah Alvin Vann



(E-109) Leslie Grover Vann



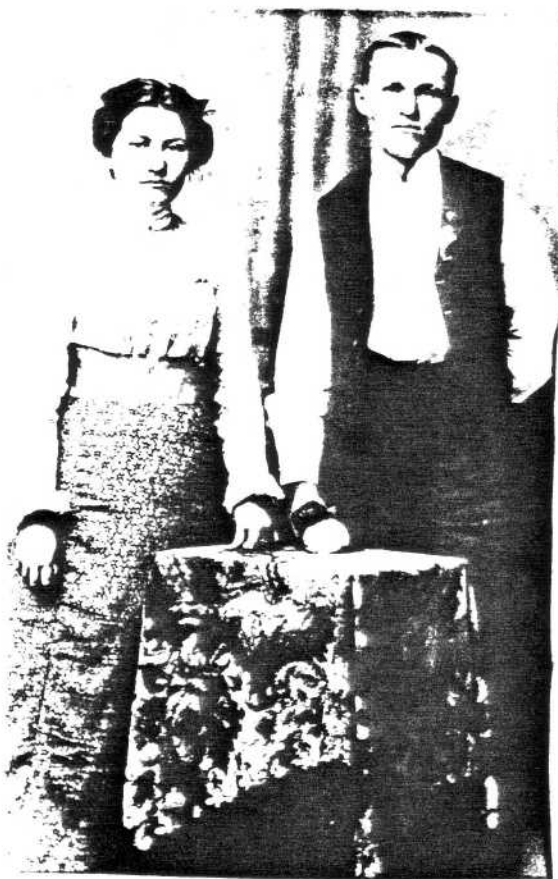
(E-103) John T. Vann  
(John Taylor Vann)



(E-104) Anna Bell Vann Johnson



(E-108) Addie Vann Groscup  
(F-280) Thelma Groscup  
(F-281) Edith Groscup

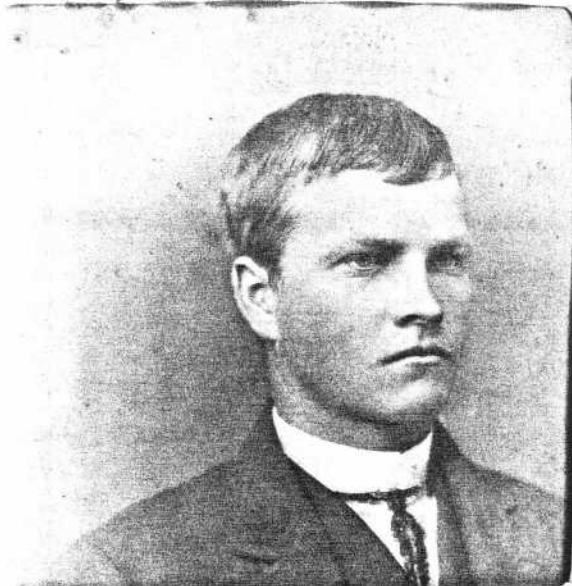


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William A Johnson



(E-105) Elijah Alvin Vann





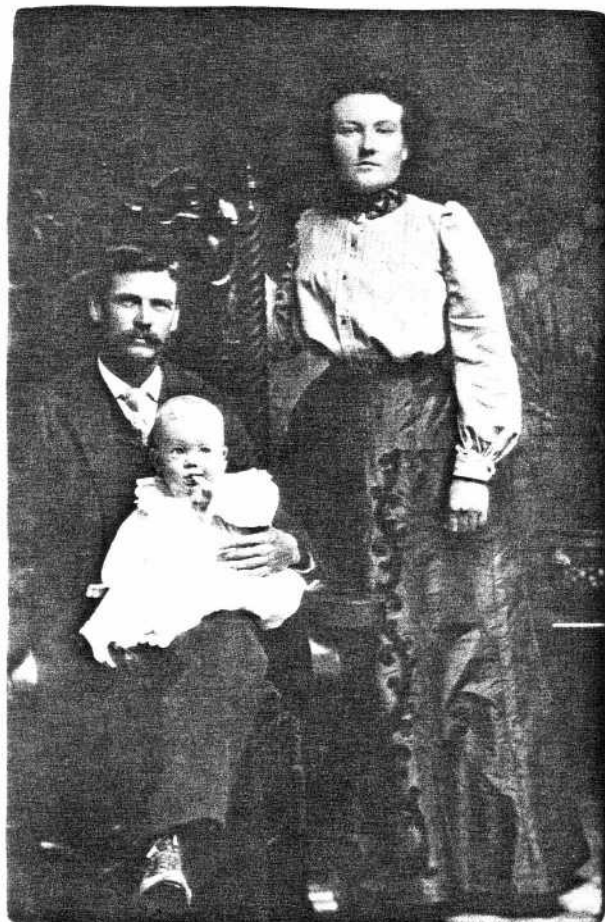
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(E-118) Nellie Elizabeth Dashiell



(E-117) John Jay Dashiell  
Orpha Anna Gaskins Dashiell



(E-120) Benjamin Franklin Dashiell II  
Katherine (Kittie) Orr Dashiell  
(F-295) Benjamin James Dashiell



(E-121) Albert Sydney Dashiell



(E-123) Thomas Jackson Dashiell



(E-121) Albert  
Dashiell



(E-124) Fannie + (E-125) Mary Dash  
James Orr



James H Orr

(E-124) Fannie Wyatt Dashiell Orr



(E-126) Florence Rose Dashiell Tyson  
Archie Cleveland Tyson



(E-125) Mary Jane Dashiell Simpson  
Henry Simpson



(E-124) Fannie & James Orr  
50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary



(E-125) Mary Jane, (E-126) Florence Rose, and  
(E-124) Fannie Wyat Dashiell.





(E-136) Addie Lee Dashiell  
(Grover)



(E-136) William Grover + Addie Lee Dashiell  
(Grover)



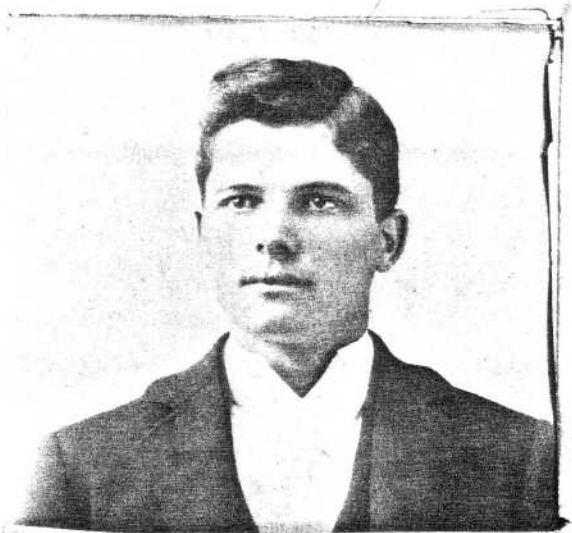
(E-135) Cynthia Ann Dashiell  
(Busch)



F-355 Alberta Lee Grover Kittle  
daughter of William + Addie Grover



(E-140) Robert Erastus Dashiell



(E-141) William Dashiell



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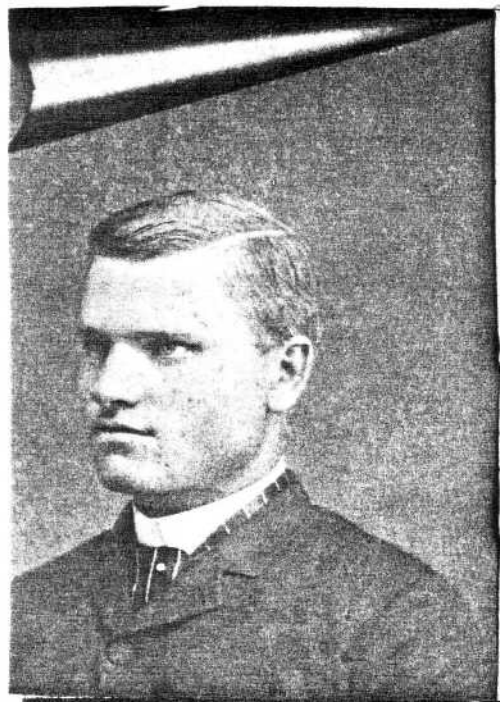


(E-137)  
James Jacob Dashiell



(E-118) Nellie Elizabeth Dashiell and

(E-138) Cynthia  
Ann  
Dashiell  
(Busch)



(E-139) Thaddeus Warsaw Dashiell



ELIZABETH  
EMMA DASHIELL  
daughter of  
EMMA + THADDEUS  
DASHIELL



FRANK EVERETT + HERBERT HARVEY  
DASHIELL

(Children of Thaddeus W. and Emma Freeman Dashiell)



(E-137) James Jacob Dashiell





(F 348) VIRGINIA VANN LINDSTEADT Maxine VANN (G 500) RARER  
LINDSTEADT (E 135) Roy L VANN (G 502) James LINDSTEADT, (F 350) ROY  
DOUGLAS VANN (G 501) RICHARD A. LINDSTEADT, - ~~PERMANENT~~ ROW  
(G 520) DAVID J. VANN (G 521) Cheryl S. VANN (G 502) JARIS LINDSTEADT



(E 135)  
ROY VANN +  
WIFE MAXINE



(F 350) DOUGLAS VANN, MAXINE VANN,  
(E 135) ROY L VANN (F 348) VIRGINIA LIND  
STEADT (F 349) JIMMY VANN



(F 350) DOUGLAS VANN



(F 349) JIMMY VANN  
+ WIFE LORRAINE





Daughters of (D-42) Cynthia Ann Rebecca Vann +  
William Eddie.

(E-148) Estella, (E-149) Mary, (E-150) Laura,  
(E-151) Della, (E-153) Matilda

Listed in order of birth; not identified on picture.



Monroe  
14 E. MAIN ST.  
SEASIDE, N. J.  
Bert & Estella Whittaker

Bert Whittaker

(E-148) Estella Eddie Whittaker

### † TELLING IT TO GRANDMA †

It was a cold and rainy day,  
Ann Marie could not go out to play.  
"I wish tomorrow would be a good day.  
I'm going to ask God tonight when I pray."  
Next day was beautiful and bright with sun  
And Ann Marie had wonderful fun.  
That night the evening story was read,  
Tired out she knelt by her bed,  
She used words that children are taught to say,  
Then—"Thank you, God, for a beautiful day."  
With radiant face she jumped into bed,  
I tucked the covers about her head.  
Next day she stood on a chair by the sink  
To help with the dishes, "What do you think?  
Last night when I prayed and said 'Amen'

I whispered to God and said it again.  
I said: 'Thank you, God, for my lovely day!  
It was fun to run in the sun and play.'  
I said it as quiet and soft as could be.  
And do you know what God said to me?"  
"No, I don't dear. Can you tell me?"  
"Well, God said—'You're welcome, Ann Marie.'"



(F-123) Myrtle Canterbury Hatten  
Charles Theodore Hatten

### A SMALL BOY'S OPINION

Don't ask me to catch a Bumble Bee  
There was a time when I wanted to see  
How a Bumble Bee would look all over  
Then I saw one crawlin' in the clover  
He was dressed in a black velvet coat  
A golden collar buttoned at his throat  
I picked him up with great curiosity  
And he up and stuck a sliver in me  
Golly it hurt! I threw him away  
I yelled—If that's how you act, I won't play  
No Sir! I won't fool with a Bumble Bee  
I don't want any more slivers stuck in me.

### A SMALL BOY'S FIRST PARADE

The horses pranced, the bugles played  
A little boy watched his first parade  
He stood on the curb with big wide eyes  
With no word to express his glad surprise  
Then a steam calliope came along  
All red and gold, and tootin' a song.  
"What is that thing?" was his happy shout  
"I can see the music a-squirtin' out."

### To My Husband CHARLES THEODORE HATTEN

#### TOGETHER

Together have we shared one common purpose,  
A single roof and humble, homely fare;  
Together with high hopes, have faced the  
morning,  
At evening known the weariness of care.  
Now, each for the other, there is high regard,  
Charged by the poignant memories of the years;  
For we have lived and loved and laughed  
together,  
And tasted deep the fellowship of tears.

### A SMALL BOY IN A REFLECTIVE MOOD

A small boy stood by the window  
As the day light faded away  
And the dusky shadows of twilight  
Made the world look dim and gray  
He called, "Come Mother, come and see  
"Our yard looks nice, just like a park.  
It isn't dark and it isn't light  
I think it's pretty when it's just LUKE DARK."



(I-602) Debra Broderson

(G-232) Hope Hatten Slaughter

(F-123) Myrtle Canterbury Hatten



(H-400) Terry Tho Hatten Axelrod



(H-412) Marie Slaughter Broderson  
+ William R Broderson



# Max Vann, Canal And Farm Leader, Is Dead



(F-136) MAX SEYMOUR VANN  
Dedicated Farm Leader Mourned

## Williams Rites Set Wednesday

Max Vann, great friend of the farmer, organizer and leader in the long campaign to bring Central Valley Project water via the Tehama-Colusa Canal to the west side of the Sacramento Valley, and known for three decades as Colusa County's "Mr. Farm Credit," is dead.

### Headed PCA Board

Max in 1932 helped organize the farm credit system in Colusa County. The headquarters were then in Chico. He served as vice president of the board of directors until 1940, when a production credit office was established in Colusa. He was elected president of the board of the Colusa-Glenn Production Association and served as such until his retirement in 1963, being succeeded by George Lodi of Arbuckle.

As president of the board Max gave freely of his time in serving the needs of this farming area and one of his proudest moments came a number of years ago when the association became wholly farmer owned.

At each annual meeting of the association Max gave his report and was paid many tributes for his close attention to the farmer financing operations of the association. Through the years, therefore, he was referred to, at meetings such as these, as "Mr. Farm Credit."

### Organized Canal Group

Max was also widely known as the organizer and president of the Sacramento Valley Irrigation Committee, a group formed at Red Bluff more than 10 years ago to bring water to the west side of the valley via the Tehama-Colusa Canal.

Death came to the widely known and respected leader in water, farming, production credit and state reclamation board affairs at 4:40 P.M. Saturday in Woodland Memorial Hospital. He had been a patient there only five days but had been in poor health for some time.

Funeral services for Mr. Vann, who farmed all of his adult life, growing grain and raising livestock at the Vann ranch 4½ miles southwest of Williams, will be conducted at 2 P.M. Wednesday in the Williams Methodist Church. Interment will be in the Grand Island Cemetery near Grimes with McNary-Moore directing.

### Born In Sycamore

Max Seymour Vann was born in the Sycamore area east of Colusa August 2, 1892. His parents, native Californians, were the late Mr. and Mrs. William A. Vann. His father, son of a California pioneer of 1850, was elected on the Democratic party ticket in 1892 to represent Colusa, Glenn and Lake Counties in the state legislature and in 1904 was elected to represent the Second District on the Colusa County Board of Supervisors. His mother, the former May Gould, was a native of Grand Island and a daughter of Asa Gould, the latter a California pioneer of 1849.

Three brothers and a sister.



Bill Robertson + ( ) Jean  
 Johnson Robertson  
 (daughter of (E 104) Anna Bell Vann  
 Johnson)



(ANITA ZENT JOHNSON wife of (F 271)  
 (F-275) Hazel Johnson Williams



Ruth Green Johnson  
 (F-273) Orval Johnson



(F-271) Victor Johnson  
 (F-270) William Johnson



Tall hay on the Lawrence Hurt Ranch  
at Covelo, California.  
(G-316) Bill Hurt



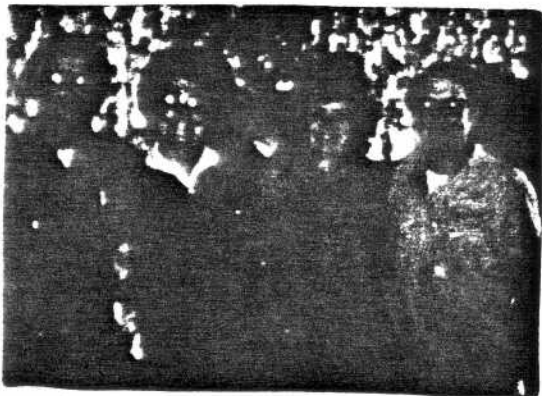
(F-285) Wilma Vann Hurt  
Lawrence Hurt



(G-317) Brenda Hurt Ames  
(G-316) Wm. (Bill) Hurt



(H-551) Bobby Hurt, (H-553) Joni Ames,  
(H-552) Lisa Ames, (H-550) Rodney Hurt



(F-284) Grover Vann + Marge Vann  
(F-285) Wilma Hurt + Lawrence  
Hurt.



(G-316) Bill Hurt, (H-553) Joni Ames,  
(H-551) Bobby Hurt  
(H-550) Rodney Hurt, Bobby Baggs,  
(H-552) Lisa Ames





(F-289) Aditha Jane  
(Dashiehl) Braun  
and  
James Braun



(F-289) Aditha Jane, (F-291) Fannie Hearst,  
(F-292) Marie Eleanor, (F-290) Georgia Ann  
Orpha Anna (Gaskins) Dashiehl

Children of (E-120) Benjamin F. Dashiell + Kittie Orr Dashiell



Back Row: (F-303) Frank Sherat, (F-301) David Samuel, (F-300) Orrie Orr,  
(F-299) George Thomas, (F-298) Thaddeus Franklin.  
Front Row: (F-296) Robert Sidney, (F-297) Mabel Minton,  
(F-302) Rose Wyatt, (F-295) Benjamin James.



(F-295) Benjamin James Dashiell  
and Hazel Branscomb Dashiell



F-302 Rose Wyatt  
Dashiell

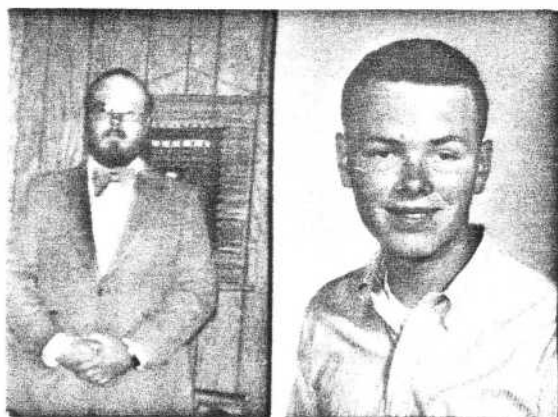


(E-120) Benjamin Franklin Dashiell Family

(Top Row, L to R) Maxine, Dick (G-363), Jessie, Thaddeus (F-295), Frank (F-303), George (G-367), Jack (G-368), Robert (F-296), Budd Miller, George (F-299), Charles (G-366).

(Middle Row, L to R) Evelyn Miller (G-361), Eva w/Michael (G-313) Beth w/Kathryn (G-379) Mable Hunt (F-297), Hazel, David (F-301), Rose Cinek (F-302) w/Joe (G-378), Benjamin (F-295), Connie Hunt w/Debra (H-582).

(Bottom Row, L to R) Cherryl Miller (H-584), John Cinek (G-377), Karen Hunt (H-580), Rise, Susie (G-370), Orrie (F-300), Tyrone (G-369), David (G-312), John Cinek, Jerold Hunt (G-360), Ronald Hunt (H-581).



(G-377) John Dwight Cinek



(G-378) Joseph Curtis Cinek

Vann-Dashiell-Tyson Family Reunion July, 1980  
Dashiell Family



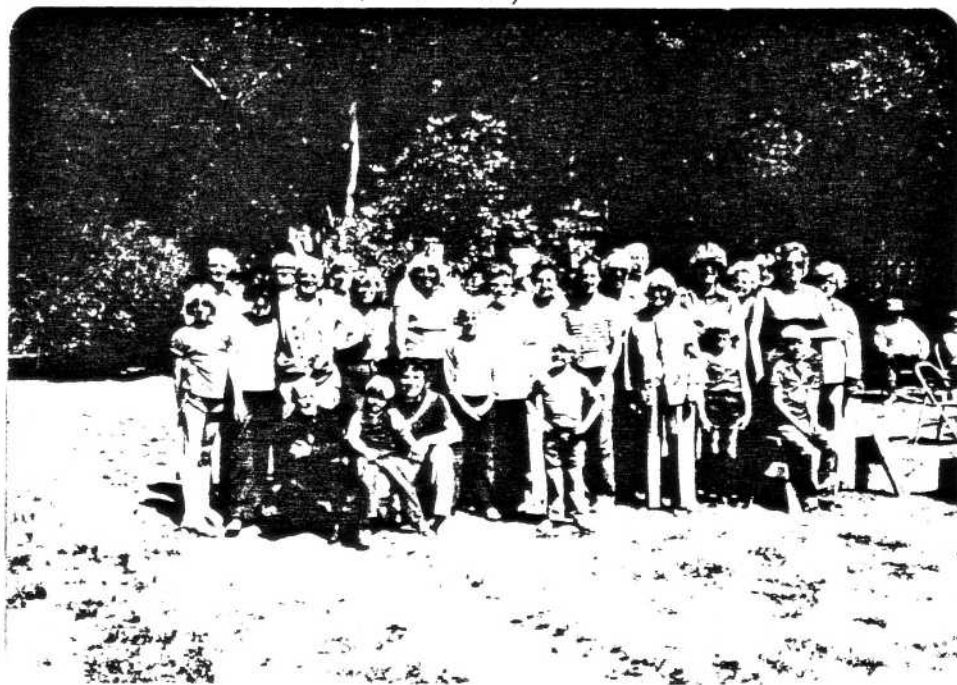
Standing: L to R: Sharon Dashiell, (F-298) Thad Dashiell, (G-363) Dick Dashiell, (H-590) Tammy Dashiell, (H-621) and (H-622) Heidi and Carrie Stritenberg, Dave Howe, (G-379) Kathryn Howe, (F-303) Frank Dashiell, Beth Dashiell, (G-382) LaRee Dashiell, (H-662) Mike Prine, (H-591) Rodney Dashiell [Behind Mike Prine], (G-393) Veltha Prine [top of head only], (F-317) Ora Wilsey, (F-315) Archie Tyson, (G-392) Rose Bednar, (F-302) Rose Cinek, (F-316) Gertrude Vann [face hidden], (G-386) Carrie Simpson, (F-312) Francis (Babe) Simpson, (F-311) Lester Simpson.

Kneeling: (H-620) Shane Stritenberg, (G-380) Liz Stritenberg, (H-623) Scott Stritenberg, (G-381) Janet Sneed, (H-658) Michele Bednar, (G-387) Bob Simpson, (G-389) Linda Christian.

Children at right: (H-650) Aaron Christian, (H-651) Ryan Christian, (H-642) Richard Simpson



Vann-Dashiell-Tyson Family Reunion: July, 1980  
Vann Family



Standing, L.to R.: (H-658) Michele Bednar, (G-363) Dick Dashiell, Audrey Tyson, (F-303) Frank Dashiell, (F-298) Thad Dashiell, (G-393) Veltha Prime, (G-389) Linda Christian, (G-394) Sharon Pate, (G-387) Bob Simpson (behind Sharon), (G-386) Carrie Simpson, (F-322) Clarine Story, (F-315) Archie Tyson, (F-321) Thelma Griner, (H-707) Jennifer Dixon, (G-163) Flora Vann Prichard, (Larence (Happy) Prichard, (G-150) Lila Sutherland Mayes, (H-347) Nancy Prichard Kram, (F-317) Ora Wilsey, (G-392) Rose Bednar, (H-346) Luann Flora Prichard, (F-316) Gertrude Vann.

Kneeling and Children: (F-311) Lester Simpson, (H-650) Aaron Christian, (H-662) Mike Prime, (H-668) Quentin Pate, (H-641) Robert Simpson, (I-501) Elaine Kram, (I-500) Darin Kram



Back Row { F-296 - ROBERT SIDNEY DASHIELL  
F-295 - BENJAMIN JAMES DASHIELL  
F-297 MABLE MINTON DASHIELL

middle Row { F-298 THADDEUS FRANKLIN DASHIELL  
F-299 GEORGE THOMAS DASHIELL

Front - F-300 ORRIC ORR DASHIELL



(F-310) William Henry Simpson



(G-386) Carrie Mae Simpson  
(G-387) Robert Henry Simpson

(G-385) William Koehler Simpson, Audrey Koehler Simpson



(G-385) William Koehler Simpson



(G-386) Carrie Mae Simpson



(H-642) Richard Thomas Simpson  
(G-387) Robert Henry Simpson  
Jennifer Richards Simpson  
(H-641) Robert William Simpson



(H-640) Kenneth Robert Simpson





(G-388a) Richard Dean Simpson, (G-388a) Michael Henry, (F-312) Francis X. (H-644) Karen Ann, (G-388) Terrill Francis, (F-311) Lester Thomas.

(F-312) Francis X Simpson,  
Melvina Jane Roberts Simpson  
(G-388) Terrill Francis Simpson



(G-388) Terrill Francis Simpson  
Barbara Costilupus Simpson



(G-388a) Richard Dean Simpson  
Linda May Hundley



(E-125) Mary Jane Dashiell Simpson



(F-311) Lester Thomas Simpson



Beverly Koehler Tyson  
 (G-389) Linda Tyson Christian  
 (F-315) Archie R. Tyson



(G-389) Linda Lue Tyson



(H-650) Aaron David Christian  
 (H-651) Ryan Tyson Christian



(F-315) Archie R. Tyson and Audrey Koehler Tyson



(G-166) Vernon Raymond Vann



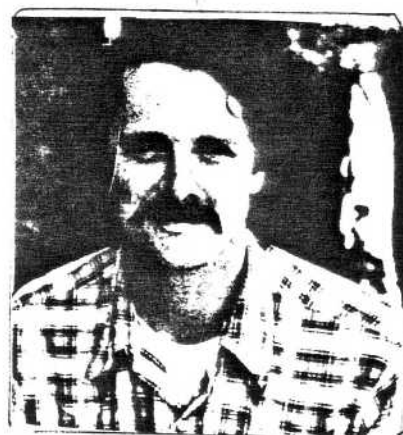
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Vann



(H-358) Raymond Archie Vann



(G-165) Charles Wesley Vann



(H-356) Arthur Brian Vann



(H-355) Jane Elizabeth Vann





(F-307) Eugene Victor Orr



(G-383) Eugene Victor Orr



(G-383a) Judith E. Orr Holt Wagner



(G-384) Mary Elizabeth Orr Paoli



(F-317) Ora Ellen Tyson Wilsey



(F-317) Ora + Wayne Wilsey



(F-317) Ora + Wayne Wilsey  
(G-394) Sharon Ellen Wilsey Pate

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## 'Grandma' Hazel Woolley in

Cynthia Dashiell and Owen Busch were born and raised in Potter Valley, and fell in love here. They married and raised their family here.

Cynthia was a very talented painter — so talented, in fact, that the "Painter Lady," Grace Hudson, gave young Cynthia lessons and was very proud of her students' work. Some of Cynthia's paintings hang in beautifully carved and decorated frames in her daughter Hazel's home today.

Cynthia and Owen had three daughters: Elva (Cole), Ruth (Park), and "Little Girl" Hazel (Woolley). Cynthia did a painting of a golden-curved little boy after her daughters were born, and although it was not really a portrait of anyone (just a fantasy child) she referred to him as "her little boy".

Hazel was born in the northwestern corner of Potter, then known as White Oak, and when she was four years old her family moved into a new house built on the land by her father, Owen. Even though moving only involved crossing a large field, it was still a harrowing experience, she said. As the horses pulled the heavy wagon across the bumpy meadow, the load shifted and



(F-365) HAZEL WOOLLEY  
Celebrates 75th birthday

the household chairs fell off. The crashing scared the chickens and they flew back to the old home and had to be retrieved later.

Hazel recalls another anecdote about horse and buggy days which involved the late George Busch. Hazel and her older sister Elva were returning home in their buggy from the Potter Valley Store one evening when they ran into (quite literally) George going the other way. Elva was driving, and somehow the buggies passed too closely and the girls' buggy was scraped in such away that the horse was freed and took off as the front end of the buggy crashed to the ground, leaving the young women sitting in a genuine horseless carriage. They caught the horse and walked home.

Norman Woolley came to Redwood Valley with his family from Missouri when he was two years old, but didn't meet Hazel until about eighteen years later. He was dating Hazel's older sisters until one day he asked Hazel what she would do if he took her up in an airplane and asked her to either marry him or jump out.

"Jump out!" replied the spunky 15-year-old. Norman was so heartbroken

## Invites town to 75th birthday

that he returned to Missouri and stayed there for about a year, Hazel said. But he was in love and returned to Potter Valley at Christmas 1919 intent upon marrying Hazel. He invited her to the Christmas dance, but the still spunky young lady already had another date and so invited a girlfriend to accompany Norman.

Not being one to give up before the final whistle, Norman persisted and came to the dance with Hazel's friend and a diamond ring for Hazel. She finally accepted his proposal and they were married in 1921.

The young couple made their first home in Potter Valley at what is now the Stroh ranch. They had seven children over the years: Bill (who was killed in an accident several years ago), John, Norma (Clark), Tom, Shirley (Cook), "Buzz", and Sue (Marshall).

Hazel celebrated her 75th birthday Monday and she and her family will host an open house at the Potter Valley Grange Hall (the hall is being provided to the family without charge because Hazel has been a lifelong and very active member) Saturday, April 21, from 1 to 6 p.m. Hazel's daughter Norma is baking and decorating a cake to feed 300 people. Coffee, punch and other goodies will be served to all the celebrants. The Woolley clan (if you spell their name with only one "l" they politely ask you not to "knock the 'l' out of them") join in extending an invitation to all of Hazels' friends and neighbors to drop in at the Grange Saturday and share in the celebration.



(F-365) HAZEL WITH ONE OF HER MOTHER'S PAINTINGS  
Cynthia Dashiell Busch was student of Grace Hudson





(G-238) Seymore Goble Vann and Martha Hutchinson (Vann)



(G-238) Seymore Goble Vann



(G-238) Seymore Goble Vann

(H-457)  
Seymore  
Goble  
Vann





(G-391) Harlean Kay Wilsey  
McClenny



(G-393) Veltha Fay Wilsey Prine  
Lowell Thomas Prine



(G-394) Sharon Ellen Wilsey  
Pate



(G-392) Rose May Wilsey Bednar



(G 405) Merle Story Jones  
And Norman L. Jones



(G 406) John L. Story and Gisele <sup>Story</sup>  
And Daughters -  
(H 719) Ingrid H. Resnick  
(H 718) Karen H. Resnick



(H. 716) Kathleen  
Marie Jones Clay  
Phillip Clay



(H 715) NORMAN  
ANDREW JONES.



(I 840) Shawn Phillip  
Clay





(G 400) NANCY GRIER WAGNER  
AND POP. S. WAGNER



(H 700) DONALD EARL WAGNER  
AND GAYTHA H. WAGNER



(H 70) MICHAEL  
SCROY WAGNER  
AND LORNA  
L. WAGNER



(I 735) JASON  
DOUGLAS WAGNER



(G 403) CATHERINE GRIM  
HART AND ROBERT  
HART.



(G 402)-2nd from R. Sharon  
GRINER DIXON AND ADRAIN DIXON

(H 706) BRIDE DEBORAH DIXON THOMAS  
AND PAUL THOMAS

(H 707) JENNIFER ANN DIXON

(H 708) CHRISTOPHER C. DIXON



(I 800) JONATHAN  
PAUL THOMAS.



(G 408) GARY PRICE VANN AND  
MELBA T. VANN

(H 720) KIMBERLY DANA VANN

(H 721) RICHARD BERNARD VANN



(G 409) CHERYL MAE VANN



(G412)  
VIRGINIA VANN  
PAPAIONNOU



(G413) Harry Leroy VANN

L2R (H730) Teresa DuLette & Daughter  
(F736) James Danna Willcutt (G411) Georgia  
Vann King, (H732) Stephanie Dawn  
McCoy.



(H730) Teresa DuLette



(H736) MARGORY Lee VANN





(H-655) Myron Lee  
McClenny, Jr.



(H-656) Kristin Kay  
McClenny



(H-658) Michele Wilsey Bednar  
(H-659) John Sanderson Bednar, Jr.



(H-662) Michael Thomas  
Prine



(H-663) Patrick Wayne  
Prine



(H-664) Kelly Suzanne  
Prine



(H-666) Barton Dean Pate



(H-667) Lorrène Ellen  
Pate



(H-668) Quentin  
Todd Pate

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LISA BOWERS PRINE MICHAEL THOMAS PRINE (H-662)

## Local lad comes home

He may not be a local boy made good, yet, but Safeway Bakery Manager Michael Prine seems determined to try.

Michael was on hand last Friday evening explaining the operation of his department to interested people during Safeway's grand opening party.

While the store itself and the equipment is all brand new Michael himself is getting the opportunity to retrace his roots.

He's finally returning home.

Michael was born in Fort Bragg in 1959 and spent five years here before his family moved to Ukiah. And even though he is 22 the years have passed quickly.

He originally started working for Safeway at the company's Ukiah store as a cleaning person and then worked his way into the meat department. This took him through high school and then his by-now career received an unex-

pected boost.

Michael, just graduated from high school in Ukiah, was offered an apprenticeship in the bakery department.

And, later, he was offered the opportunity to manage the bakery department at the new Fort Bragg store. It was a chance Michael said he jumped at.

It also brings him back home.

Under Michael's supervision are five bakers and eight front counter attendants.

"It's a big change, a big change," he says. Michael is also bringing his wife of a year and one-half to the coast as well. He and Lisa, 19, are both pleased to be on the coast, if a bit taken back by the unanticipated changes, most noticeable of which is the weather.

But as Michael said he and Lisa are glad to be here and should become accustomed to the area very quickly.



STEVEN & KELLY PRINE AURADOU (H-664)

LISA BOWERS PRINE & MICHAEL T. PRINE



(I-672) -- Thomas Michael Prine



I-672  
Thomas Michael Prine



Joshua Thomas Prine  
(I-680)



(F-307)



(F-307) Eugene V. Orr



(F-310) William H. Simpson





(F-311) Lester Thomas Simpson



(G-238) Seymore Goble Vann

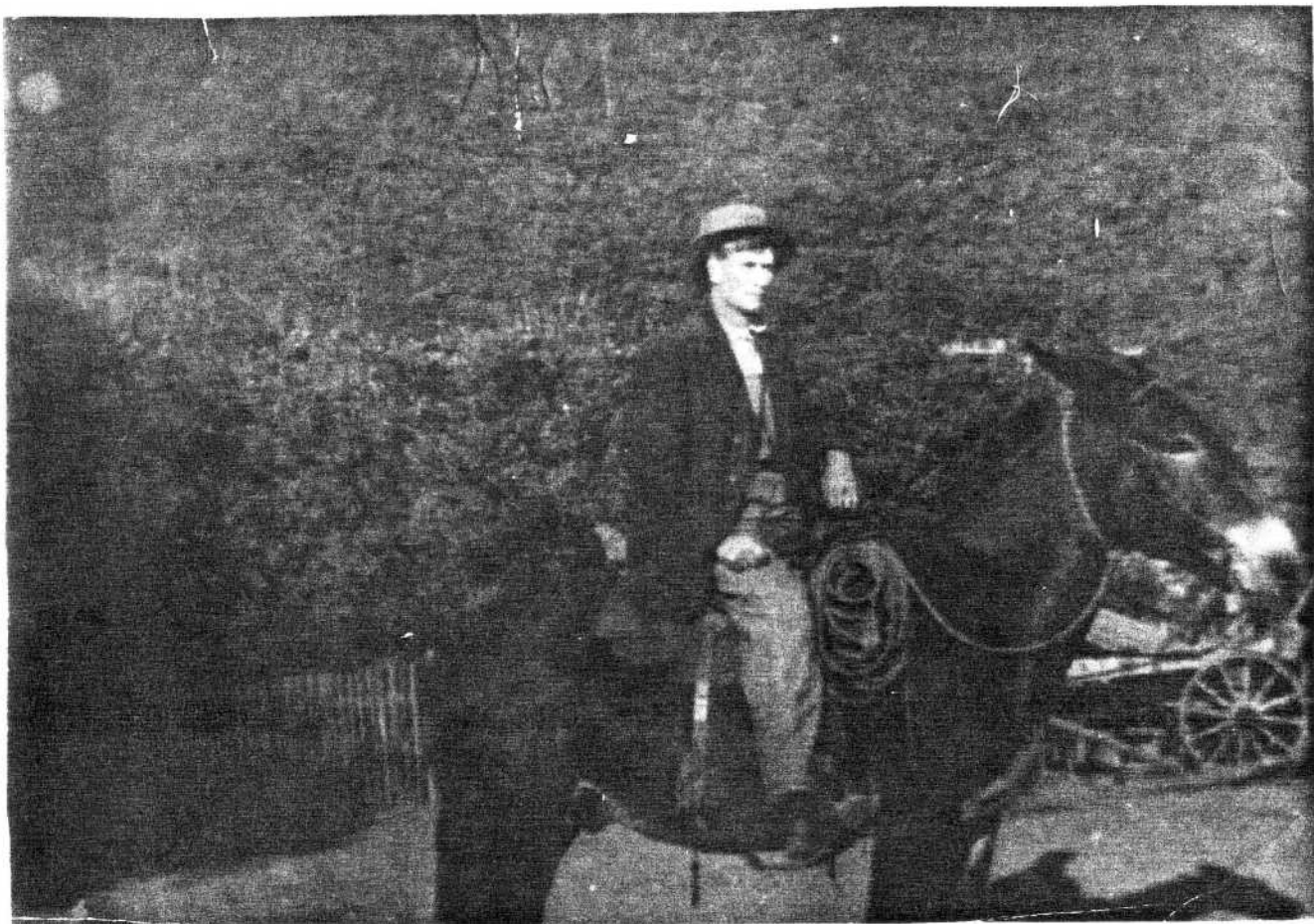


(F-301) David Samuel Dashiell



(G-165) Charles Wesley Vann





(E-121) Albert Sidney Dashiell



(F-307)  
Eugene Orr

(F-316)  
Gertrude  
Tyson

(F-315)  
Archie  
Tyson

(F-317)  
Ora E.  
Tyson

(F-306)  
Albert Orr

Anyone Know These People





? ( ) Jessie Vann



? Anyone Know these People.



Jessie Vann's nieces



① ?

② Rose Dashiell ③ MARY DASHIELL  
3. Nettie English



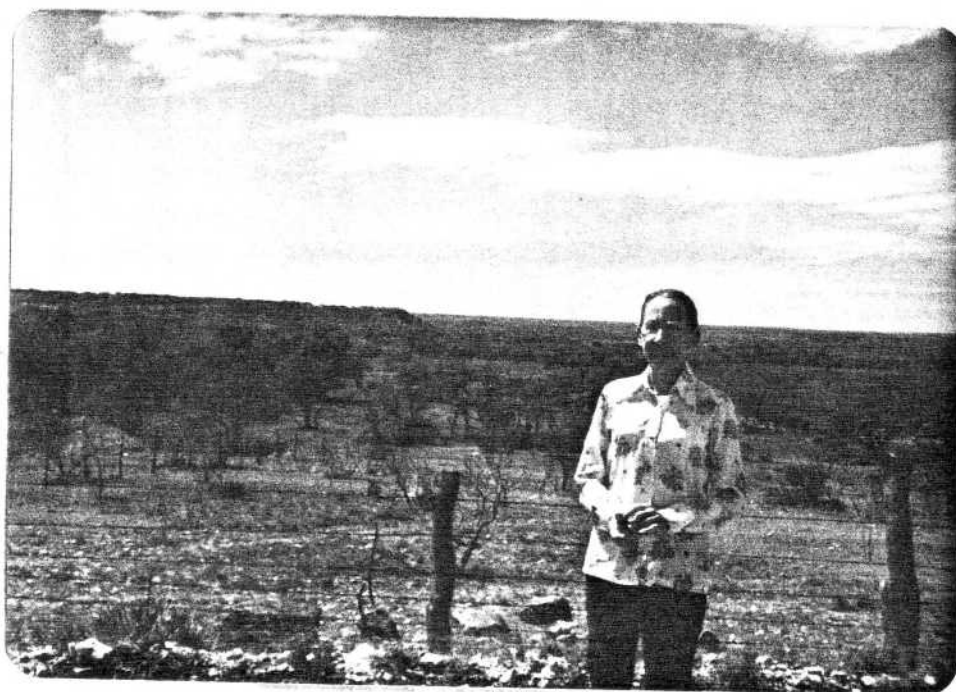


Archie Tyson Sue Spindle Vann William H. Vann II  
 TAKEN IN FORT WORTH TEXAS.  
 AT VANN'S HOME.  
 1983



Audrey K. Tyson Sue Spindle Vann William H. Vann II  
 1983





LUCILLE VANN COHEN 1983



Sue Spindle Vann - WILLIAM H. VANN II  
1983

## WHERE VANNS MOVED TO FROM VIRGINIA ABOUT 1705

This account has been taken partly from the early history of Thomas Vann, who is a putative younger brother of William Vann (wife Rachel). Both William and Thomas Vann lived in the area of present Gates County, North Carolina. Thomas Vann is the documented ancestor of William H. Vann II of FtWorth, Texas. Jacob Vann, the patriarch of this folder, and ancestor of many who presently live in California, is the son of Edward Vann and Martha House Vann. Edward Vann is one of six sons of William Vann (wife Rachel.)

On present (1978) maps of Gates County, N.C., there is a creek flowing southwest near Buckland, N.C., which is named Buckland Mill Branch, and which flows into Cole Creek just west of Buckland, N.C.

Cole Creek (called Sarum Creek in old records) is formed by the juncture of old Knotty Pine Swamp (presently Buckland Mill Branch) and Hacklan (presently Hackley Branch). Sarem, N.C., lies on Hacklan Branch, and is about 3/4 mile west of Buckland, N.C.

Bennett's Creek is formed by the headwaters of Duke Swamp (Creek) and Harrell Swamp (Creek), (which Creeks drain the area south and east of present Buckland, N.C.) and by Raynor Swamp (Creek) which flows from the southeast part of Gates County to join Duke Creek and Harrell Creek. Bennett's Creek flows through present Gatesville, N.C., within a stone's throw from the Gates County Courthouse. Both Cole Creek and Bennett's Creek empty into the Chowan River Bay, which is at the northwestern tip of Albemarle Sound.

Dismal Swamp lies about 9 or 10 miles east of Buckland, N.C. Timber abounds in this part of Gates County, including pines and cypress. The land is generally sandy red clay, and not overly productive. Hogs are said to have been one of the staple food animals of the early settlers of the area.

The pine trees which grew along Knotty Pine Swamp evidently had the propensity of producing an abundance of sap and resins. One of the money crops of the early settlers along Knotty Pine Swamp was pine tar and turpentine. These products had a ready sale to ship-building industries. Records show that Edward Vann, Joseph Vann and Thomas Vann dealt (at least partly) in the products from pine trees, which were obtained through a controlled-burning process of pine knots and other resinous pine material.

It was into this area of Knotty Pine Swamp and Bennett's Creek headwaters that our Vann ancestors first came to North Carolina. Later generations moved into this same area directly from Britain, but the first documented Vann settlers came from the southern counties of Virginia. By the middle of the 17th century there are several Vann men recorded as living in southern Virginia. They were William Vann, John Vann, Joseph Vann, and Edward Vann. No documentation has been found to define their relationship. By the first decade of the 18th century Vanns are resident in Chowan County, N.C. It appears likely that William Vann, Edward Vann, Joseph Vann, and John Vann, who begin to appear in the North Carolina records in the early 1700's are descendants of the earlier Vanns in Virginia. More than a little speculation will be the constant spectre of the Vann genealogist through the frontier period of North Carolina (as well as all family researchers in this area), because of recurring gaps of missing records.

Thomas Vann's living on and selling in 1789 the land in Gates County, N.C., which land was originally granted to old William Vann of Nansemond County, Virginia, lends credibility to the conclusion that Thomas Vann is in old William Vann's direct line. In the following discussion of the facts and probabilities relating to Thomas Vann's family heritage, for purposes of clarity, Old William Vann of Nansemond County, Virginia, who secured the land patent in Chowan County will be identified as William Vann I, and his putative grandson, William, will be identified as William Vann II. William Vann II had six known sons, one of whom was a William Vann. The William Vann, son of William Vann II will be identified, if referred to, as William Vann III.

William Vann I of Chowan County, writes a will in 1735, mentioning his wife Sarah, a son Edward Vann, several daughters, and a grandson William Vann (William Vann II). William Vann I dies in 1740, in Chowan County, N.C. (See Appendix II, p. 407.)

It is most likely that our Thomas Vann I is also a grandson of William Vann I, and younger brother (by 20 or more years) of William Vann II.

Edward Vann of Chowan County (putative son of William Vann I, and putative father of our Thomas Vann I) wrote a will in Chowan County in 1738, in which he mentions his wife Mary, a son Edward Vann, daughters Ann Vann, Sarah Vann, and Elizabeth Vann. He also refers to "young children," but does not name them. (See Appendix III, p. 409.)

He leaves his son, Edward Vann, land lying on Brady Pine Swamp. He wills his daughter Ann Vann a tract of land along the south side of Knotty Pine Swamp. Edward Vann's will is signed by William Vann, John Lewis, and John Vann. The William Vann who signs this will is likely Edward's oldest son, William Vann II, who is the grandson of William Vann I. Edward Vann's wife Mary Vann is possibly a wife of a second (or later) marriage of Edward Vann, as there seems to be a considerable swing of years between William Vann II and younger siblings. Our Thomas Vann I is born in 1747, nine years after Edward Vann writes his will, and five years before his death in 1752. (The witness to Edward Vann's will, John Lewis, may be a relation to the John Lewis who signed the deed of sale from Thomas Vann to Mills Lewis fifty years later. The signatures differ markedly.)

John Vann, the third witness to Edward Vann's will, leaves an interesting mark for his signature, inasmuch as it is quite similar to Edward Vann's own mark of signature.

There is at present only one known record of Thomas Vann I for the period of lost Hertford County records, 1759-1779. This record was found among John Vann Papers in the North Carolina Archives and History in Raleigh, N.C., and is as follows:

June 21, 1768 - Received from Thomas Vann Four lard barrels Turpentine for Gibson & Granberry - signed for by Sam'l Donaldson. (At this date Thomas Vann I was 21 or 22 years old.)

Gates County had been formed for about four years when records of Thomas Vann's residence there begin to appear. In 1783, Thomas Vann signs as a witness to a deed of sale from Dempsey Odom to Henry Lee. Thomas Vann I was thirty-six years old in 1783.

The area around Knotty Pine Swamp was a part of Chowan County, N.C., until 1759. In this year the area of about the west half of present Gates County was included as a part of the newly formed county of Hertford, so the residents living around Knotty Pine Swamp suddenly found themselves citizens of Hertford County. Twenty years later, in 1779, the county of Gates, N.C. was formed, including all the area around Knotty Pine Swamp where Vanns had lived since about 1705. The fact that the Vanns had lived in three different North Carolina Counties from 1757 to 1779, although they had not necessarily moved an inch, would not cause a very great problem to Vann researchers except for one thing, - the Hertford County records from 1759 to 1779 are lost. This twenty-year period, unhappily, is the period of the early proliferation of several Vann families in this section of North Carolina, including the family of the patriarch, Thomas Vann I. This period of lost records covers Thomas Vann's life span from age 12 to 32. During this time, Thomas Vann came of age, married, fell heir to (or bought) land, and began raising a family. We shall now examine some records which may help to identify the parents of Thomas Vann I.

In 1704, William Vann of Nansemond County, Virginia (the county across the state line from present Gates County, N.C.) applied for a patent of land in Chowan County, N.C. Present Gates County, N.C., was a part of Chowan County until 1759. From ENGLISH DUPLICATES OF LOST VIRGINIA RECORDS we find that William Vann was granted a patent of 530 acres in Nansemond County, Virginia, which patent was signed in Oct. 1706. The patent is recorded as being surveyed by Thomas Milner on March 20, 1705. The patent applied for in Chowan County in 1704 was for 130 acres, and according to 1889 records (when Thomas Vann sells one-half, or "one moiety," of this Chowan County patent to Mills Lewis), the number of acres sold was 65. Thus the 1705 and 1789 records regarding William Vann's Chowan patent are substantiative. And although William Vann was granted 530 acres in Nansemond County, Virginia, in 1706, he reportedly moved into Chowan County, N.C., where he was living in 1705.

In 1794, Thomas Vann is recorded for the last time in Gates County, N.C., when he sells 100 acres "more or less" to William Baker. In this 1794 sale, the tract of land is bounded by Mills Lewis' line, William Warren's line, and James Brady's line. This tract was "formerly owned by Demsey Rooks, Sr."

Five years earlier in 1789, Thomas Vann sold Mills Lewis 65 acres, as indicated earlier, which was one-half of the William Vann patent in Chowan County, N.C., 1704-1705. Other evidence suggests that this Mills Lewis may have been Thomas Vann's brother-in-law.

It appears that the combined land holdings in Chowan County of old William Vann, at his death in 1740, lay a little east of Knotty Pine Swamp. In the 1789 deed of sale (on the following page) you will notice that the 65 acres which Thomas Vann sells, lies bounded "westerly on the land of William Vann." This William Vann is surely the son of Edward Vann I, and the grandson of old William Vann I. He is also the putative brother (or half-brother) of our Thomas Vann I, and possibly is brother (or half-brother) to Henry Vann, Charles Vann, Dempsey Vann, and Jesse Vann. Of these last named, Charles Vann and Jesse Vann are identified as brothers in an Inventory of Property by Jesse Vann at the death of Charles Vann in 1785, in Gates County.

Other records relative to the above named, who are possible brothers to Thomas Vann I, will be submitted and discussed later.



A copy of the 1789 Deed of Sale from Thomas Vann to Mills Lewis, of the land patented in Chowan County by old William Vann of Nansemond County, Virginia, follows:

THIS INDENTURE made the fourteenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Nine BETWEEN Thomas Vann of Gates County & State of North Carolina of the one part and Mills Lewis of the same place of the other part WITNESSETH that the said Thomas Vann for and in consideration of the sum of twenty five pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Mills Lewis at and before the sealing and delivery hereof the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath bargained sold made over & confirmed, and by these presents doth bargain sell make over & confirm unto the said Mills Lewis his heirs & assigns forever A certain parcel of land situate Lying and being in the County aforesaid & is the same tract of land whereon the said Thomas Vann now lives containing sixty five acres be the same more or less with all & singular its appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining to the same, and is bounded and described as followeth beginning at the end line of the said patent South Easterly to a corner gum of the said patent thence North East two hundred & Sixty four poles along an old line of Marked Trees to a corner pine thence North Westerly along the line of Other end of the patent to Red Oak thence South Westerly a straight line the whole length of the patent to the Beginning Red Oak, and is intended for one Moiety of Tract of Land Granted by Patent to William Vann Bearing date One Thousand Seven Hundred and Five Pucorse (sic) being had thereto will Appear & is bounded by the Land of Willis Hughs to the South West, Easterly on the Land of James Baddy (Brady) & Joseph Holland North Easterly on the Land (of) William Warren & Westerly on the Land of William Vann To Have and To Hold the aforesaid Bargained and sold Premises with all and singular the appurtenances to the same to the said Mills Lewis his heirs and assigns forever & to no other use intent or purpose whatever and the said Thomas Vann for himself his heirs Executors Administrators & Assigns Doth Covenant Promise & Agree to Warrent and Defend the aforesaid Land & premises to the said Mills Lewis his heirs and assigns forever Against all manner of Person or Persons by these Presents In Testimony whereof he hereunto his hand hath set & seal affixed the day & year above Written Signed Sealed & Delivered

Thomas Vann

In the presents of us interlined before assigns.

John Lewis  
Edward Gatling  
North Carolina  
Gates County

fs May inferior Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions  
1789 The within Deed was in Open Court Duly Recorded  
by the Oath of Edward Gatling one of the subscribing  
witnesses Thereto and on Motion was ordered to be  
Registered.

Christ. Reddick PR

A copy of this deed is also listed as Appendix XI, p. 443.



In the name of God amen Aprill the: 16th Day: 1735 I William Vann of Chowan precinct-In North Carolina being sick and weak of body but sound mind and perfect memory praise be to Almighty God for it Do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say first and principally I comend (sic) my Soul into the hands of Almighty God hoping through the meritorious Death and passion of our Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and to Inherit Everlasting Life and my body comit (sic) to the earth to be decently buried at the descesion (sic) of my Executors hereafter named and as touching all such Temporall (sic) Estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to besto (sic) upon me I give and disposs (sic) thereof as followeth first my will is that all my just debts and honorable charges be honestly paid and discharged

Item I give and bequeath to my son Edward Vann my plantation I live on and all the land belonging to it and also all of land I have on the swamp between Thomas Haris and Stephen Shepard I give the said plantation and also the low land to him during his naturall (sic) life and after his death to my Grandson William Van (sic) the son of that Edward Van (sic) I give to him and his heirs forever Item I give to my son Edward Van (sic) a piece of land I have on the landow (LANDS RIDGE) between Joseph Braddy (sic) and James Braddy (sic) I give to him and his heirs forever Item I give to my daughter Sarah Hughs one shilling Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Ann Vann all the cattell (sic) Horoses (sic) mares and hogs that is now called hers I give to her and her heirs forever

Item I give to my grandson (sic) William Vann the son of Edward Vann my gun Item I give to my son Edward Vann my hand mill and iron doages (?) and after his decease to my grandson William Vann Item I give to my son Edward Vann my riding horse bridle and saddoll (sic) and mare and yearling coalt (sic) and a two year old horse and my wearing cloes (sic) I give to him and his heirs forever Item I give my loving wife Sarah all the remainder part of my estate both within doors and without I give to her and to her own disposing and lastly I nominate and appoint my dear loving wife Sarah and my son Edward Vann to be sole and lone executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all other will or will (sic) that hath been made by me heretofore In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my seal the day and year above written

his  
James X Braddy  
mark

John Brady (signature)  
Henry Goodman (signature)

his  
William X Vann  
mark

August ye 11th 1740

Came before me James and John Braddy and made oath that they saw William Vann sign seal and publish ye above as his last will & testament, that he was of sound & disposing mind at that time & that Henry Goodman signed as a witness thereunto.

W. Smith CJ (signature)


F. J. V

In the name of God Amen February the fourteene day one thousand seven hundred and thirty eight I Edward Var. (sic) of Chowan not being sick and weak of boddy but sound and perfit memory praise be to almighty God for it do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say first & principally I commend my soul into the hands of almighty God having through the meritorious death and passion of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and to inherit everlasting life and my body comit to the earth to be decently buried at the descretion of my executors hereafter named and as touching all such temporal estate as it hath pleased Almighty God to bestow upon me I give and dispose thereof as followeth First my will that all my just debts and honorable charges be honestly paid and discharged—

Item I give my dearly beloved wife Mary my plantation which I live on during her lifetime or widowhood Item I give my son Edward Van free privilege to build him a house where he will upon my land Item I give unto my son Edward Van part of a tract of land I have upon the head of Brady Pine Swamp lying on the north side of the swamp and from the head of the swamp after it north to the line I give to him and his heirs forever Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Ann Vann the other part of it the tract on the south side of the swamp and so through to the line I give to her and her heirs forever only if their mother had a notion to make use of that tract of land on the head of the knotty pine swamp for want in the time of her widowhood shall sell it to another for (A. J. V.?) of herself and her young children (ONE?)

Item I give to my daughter Sarah one shilling Item I give to my daughter Elizabeth one shilling Item I give to my daughter an (sic) four butter dishes and two cows and yearlings one feather bed and furniture belonging to it Item I give to my son Edward one feather bed and furniture belonging to it I give him three cows and yearlings and (F. A. V.) of hogs that he (HATH?) Item I give to my wife Mary (ONE?) Negro Boy during her lifetime or widowhood and every \_\_\_\_\_ within and without and lastly nominate and appoint my dear beloved wife Mary and my son Edward to be executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all other wills or wills that hath been maid (sic) by me heretofore in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my seal Signed and sealed in the presents of us

his  
John  Vann  
mark

his  
Edward  Vann  
mark

North Carolina

William Vann (signed)

John Lewis (signed)

I Gabriel Johnston Esq Governor and Commander in Chief in & over the province do hereby certifie that this day William Vann one the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing last will & testament of Edward Vann personally appeared before me & made oath that he saw Edward Vann sign seal & deliver the same as and for his last will and testament and that at the time of his signing thereof he was of sound & disposing mind & memory and that he saw John Vann & John Lewis sign the said will as evidence thereto. Given under my hand this 4th day of June 1752.

Gab Johnston (signed)

Chowan  
County

July Court 1752

I hereby certify that the last will and  
testament of Edward Van (sic) was exhibited  
into open court by Edward Vann an executor  
who was duly qualified by law

Letters of the 16th  
July 1752

8 copy sheets

Edw Vann qualified

The foregoing was copied by Sue Vann, my wife, and me from a photostatic copy of the original last will and testament of Edward Vann which was on file in the Department of Archives & History at Raleigh, North Carolina, the photostatic copy dated Oct. 11, 1971. The photostatic copy showed the original will to be very faded, smudged, and difficult to read. In the places where a missing word is underlined, we found it impossible to make any judgment as to the interpretation of the smeared word or words. The spelling of words on our copy is for the most part as it appears on the original, except in a few instances when I overlooked the archaic spelling without intending to do so. For instance "yearling" in the original was spelled "Earling". The general form of this will is almost an exact replica of the earlier will of William Vann of Chowan pct, which was written 4-16-1735 and exhibited into court 8-11-1740, in which he mentions his son Edward Vann and his grandson William Vann. One of the signers of Edward Vann's will is William Vann, who may be an older son of Edward Vann, and the "grandson William" referred to in William Vann's will of 1735. Notice in the latter part of Edward's will his reference to "herself (Mary, his wife) and her young children." Her young children are not named. However we do know that Thomas Vann, who sold the "homeplace" (the same land patented by William Vann in 1705) was born in 1747, after the writing of this will by Edward Vann, and before it was probated in 1752.

in 1738

William Henry Vann, Jr.  
Aug 1, 1975 age 63  
Fertworth Def.

I, William Vann of Gates County in the State of North Carolina being in sound mind and memory think proper to make this writing my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following my Desire is that my Loving Wife Rachel Vann shall take all my living in her care and my young Children and give them school provi'd she lives single if she marries for to have one bed and furniture and one forth part of the movebles and Jesse Vann to take care of the rest and to do as he thinks best with it if the Children and my wife dont agree for Jesse Vann to take care of them as he thinks best and not bind them out but let them be raised on the Estate and when the youngest comes of age to divid my living amongst them all and my land amongst my Sons but for them not to sell only-only to one another,

And Lastly I constitute and appoint my Loving wife Rachel Vann and Jesse Vann and my Son William Vann, my hole and sole Escutours of this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all former Wills by me hereby have made and confirmed this to be my Last Will and Testament in witness whereof I have set my hand and fixed my seal this Twenty first day of May Anno Domm 1788.

Signes, Sealed, Published and declared in the Presents of William Vann. (SEAL) TEST. James Bristow, Judith Baker, William Vann (of the)? State of North Carolina, Gates County for August Inferior Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions 1788.

The within will was exhibited into Court by Rachel V Jesse Vann and William Vann, Escutours therein appointed and was proved by the oath of James Bristow one of the Subscribing Witnesses thereto. Then the said will was ordered to be Recorded at the same time the said Escutours came into Court and Qualified themselves for that office, and Prayed an order for Letters Testamentary thereon which was accordingly Granted.

Teste. Law Baker, C.S.C.

Wm. H. Vann  
JAN 24 - 1917

This William Vann is believed to be the son of Edward Vann, who wrote a will in Chowan Precinct in 1738, probated in 1752. This William Vann was surely a brother of Thomas Vann who died in Madison County, Ala. in 1839-40, and likely a brother of Jesse Vann, the administrator of this will. Other likely brothers were: Charles Vann, who died intestate in Gates County in 1785, Dempsey Vann & Henry Vann who died in Edgecombe County in 1790 & 1801, respectively and Edward Vann Jr., mentioned in his father Edward Vann's will of 1738-52.



AN INVENTORY OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM VANN DECEASED

(Inventory signed Aug 16, 1788, Gates Co., NC, by Rachel )  
( Vann, wife of the dec'd. & by Jesse Vann, )  
( & William Vann, co-executors of the deceased's will )

Three beds (beds) & furnety (furniture) two beads & two Sheets &  
two beadstids & Cords with them four Puter Dishes twenty three plates  
& six basins and thirty two Spoons & three puter mashers & one Chist  
& three tabels & three wheals & six Chears one Cass of botels &  
one box two meal Tubs & two meal Sifters & three trays & five & five  
(sic) mugs & five drinking Glases & Six tee Cup & Sasers two Stons (sic)  
pots & one Earthen pot five Gugs Eleven black botels & one Cass (sic)  
botel one Cup Eleven tubs pails & pigins(sic) four pots & hooks one  
Stue pot & two frying pans & one flesh forks one Cass of Nives &  
forks thirteen Books Eight Baskets one pair of fire Tongs & one box  
iron & heater one tub of Huney one peper box one Salt Seller & one  
Grater one pair of Stillards (sic) three Iron wedges Seven axes thirt-  
een hoses five guns three Ridin. Sadel's four bels one Reep hook Sum  
Shoemakers Tules twelve Earels of Sider twenty old barrels aple mill  
& Still one mare and Colt and Hors three Bridels two tin meashers Sum  
Cupers tuls three Chishels one Gouge & two orgers Twenty five Head  
of Cattle Sixty Eight Head of Hogs twelve head of Sheep & Ninteen Gees  
three Rasers two pair of Spicktels (spectacles) one Skillit two lanskit  
three plows one laughing (sic) hamer one iron pesel (pestle) one  
homery Sifter fourteen bee Hives & one loom & Gear & two ink Stands  
Two Carts and wheals and one pair of Gears two Pair of money Scales  
& sum bees wax & six Sids (sides) of leather & two Rora hids (raw-  
hides ?) one pair of Spoon molds Notes to the amount of Thirty Two  
pound Sixteen & Ninepence Nine pound Ticket Accounts Thirteen pound  
four Shillings and Eightpence fifteen Shillings paper money Seven  
pound Eighteen Shillings & ninepence two Rum Cocks (?) Two Negros &  
two barrels & a Peace of Lawines (?)

16th Day Aug 1788

Jesse Vann (signed)

his (sic)

Rachal X Vann  
mark

William Vann (signed)

(this Wm Vann is one of deceased's  
sons.)

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Inventory of the Estate  
of William Vann dec'd.

State of North Carolina)  
Gates County

} The above and within Inventory of the  
Estate William Vann dec. was exhibited  
into Court by Rachel Vann Administrator  
& Jesse Vann & William Vann Ex'ors and  
on motion was ordered to be Recorded

Test. L. Baker CC

Recorded in Book A Folio 333

Test L. Baker CC



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA  
GATES COUNTY

February County Court of Pleas — 1808

Present The Worshipfull Justices

It was then and there ordered that Hillory Willey Esq., Messrs  
John Cross, Jonathan Williams Sr, William Goodman (of uel),  
George Kittrell, with Patrick Hagerty the County Surveyor  
Make a division of the real estate of William Vann deceased  
agreeable to the last Will & Testament of the said deceased  
and you the said Commissionwrs or a Majority of you to-  
gether with the surveyor are hereby required as soon as you  
can to make a return to Court of Your proceedings and  
apportioning under your hands and seals apertaining  
with \_\_\_\_\_ the different \_\_\_\_\_ or parcels of Lands  
Lotts and Houses allotted to each with actual surveys of  
the same and return the same to this Court here unto assessed.

Test            J. Sumner, Clk.

Edgecombe County NC Court Record, in which Martha Vann in Dec 26, 1800 deeds all of her property left to her at the death of her husband, Edward Vann of Edgecombe County, to her 4 sons and to her father. On Dec 29, 1800 Martha Vann married Micajah Exum in Edgecombe Co. Richard Pitt, bondsman - Sam'l Wren, witness.

To all people to whom these presents shall come I Martha Vann of the County of Edgecomb & State of N. Carolina send greeting. Know Ye that I the said Martha Vann for and in consideration of the maternal love & affection which I have and bear unto my beloved Children Micajah Vann Jacob Vann William Vann and Mathew Vann of the county and State aforesaid and for divers other good causes & considerations me (?) hereunto moving have given and granted unto the said Micajah, Jacob, William & Mathew all and singular my goods and Chattels following to be equally divided among them as they arrive to the age of twenty one years, namely to Micajah Vann I give my third of land to him his heirs and assigns forever I also give and bequeath unto Jacob Vann one feather bed and furniture. I also give unto William Vann one feather bed and furniture to them theirs and assigns forever. I also give unto Mathew Vann Eighteen head of Hogs. also three head of Cattle to him his heirs and assigns forever - I also give unto my father the remaining part of my property for the supporting of my children. To Have hold and enjoy all and singular the said Goods Chattels and personal estate aforesaid unto the said Micajah Jacob William & Mathew their Executors & Administrators and Assigns to the only proper use and behoof of them the said Micajah Jacob William & Mathew & their Ex'ors Adm's and Assigns forever and I the said Martha Vann all and singular the aforesaid Goods, Chattels & premises to the said Micajah Jacob William & Mathew their ex'ors adm's & assigns against all persons whatsoever shall and will warrent and forever defend by these presents for witness whereof I have hereunto Set my hand and seal this 26th day of December 1800

John House

her  
Martha X Vann  
mark

her  
Elizabeth X House  
mark

Edgecombe County February Court 1801 The within deed of Gift was duly executed in open Court.

DIVISION OF PROPERTY OF WILLIAM VANN OF GATES CO. N.C. MAR. 4, 1808

Pursuant to an Order of Court hereunto Annexd — — —  
 We the Subscribers being duly Qualified for the purpose of making a  
 Division of the Real Estate of William Vann dec'd between the heirs  
 of said dec'd Report as followeth viz ---

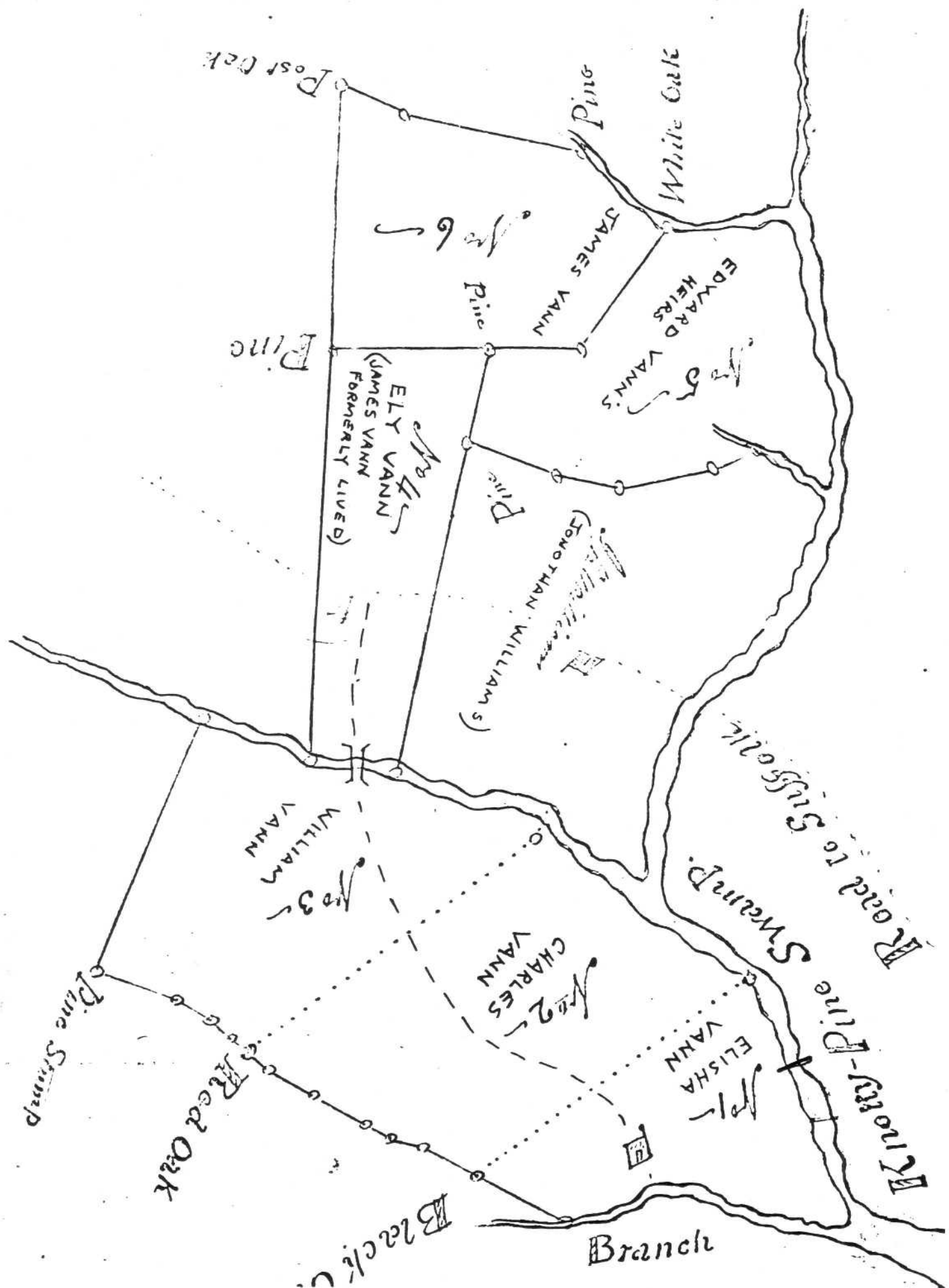
Set a Part to Elisha Vann Survey No 1 - containing Twenty and five  
 Acres Beginning at a Black Gum in Brady's line thence on said line  
 S 10 W 31 po to a gum On a Branch thence down the said branch to the  
 Run of the Knotty pine Swamp thence up said Run to a Gum thence by a  
 line of Marked trees thro the plantation N 55 W 108 pole to the first  
 Station this Includes the Old Dwelling Orchard -----

Set a Part to Charles Vann Survey No 2 - Containing Fifty Acres  
 Beginning at his Brother Elisha's Corner Black Gum in Brady's line  
 thence on his line S 55 E 108 pole to the Run of the Knotty pine Swamp  
 thence up said run to a Gum a Corner thence to the Center of three  
 Gums in a Bottom thence N 55 W 114 poles to a Corner Red Oak in Bradys  
 line thence S 25 W 9 po thence S 11 W 35 pole thence S 16 W 9 pole  
 thence S 4 W 10 pole to a Sasifrax thence S 10 W 20 pole to the first  
 Station -----

Set a Part to William Vann Survey No 3 Containing Forty & five Acres  
 Beginning at his Brother Charle's Corner Red Oak in Bradys line thence  
 S 55 E 114 pole to the Center of three Gums in a Bottom thence to the  
 Run of the Knotty pine thence up said run to Hillary Willeys line  
 thence On said line N 86 W 86 pole to a pine Stump Bradys Corner thence  
 on said line S 27 pole thence S 16 W 11 pole thence S 25 W 15 pole to  
 the first Station — — —

Set a Part to Ely Vann Survey No 4 Containing Thirty Acres It being  
 the place where James Van (sic) formerly lived Beginning at a Gum a  
 little above Vanns Bridge Sumners Corner thence On said line N 16  $\frac{0}{76}$   
 E 132 po to a Corner pine thence S 20 E 48 pole to a pine a Corner  
 thence S 85 W 140 pole to the Run of the Knotty pine Swamp thence up  
 the Main Run to the Beginning

Set a Part to the Heirs of Edward Vann dec'd Survey No 5 Containing  
 Thirty Acres Beginning at a Corner White Oak in a branch in Jonathan  
 Parkers line thence down said Branch to the Knotty Pine thence down the  
 Run to the mouth of a small branch thence up said branch binding on  
 Jonathan Williams bound 25 po thence N 47 W 14 po thence NW 30 po  
 thence N 10 W 20 po then N 29 po to a pine Corner thence N 85 E 30 po  
 S 20 E 30 (S 20 E 30) po to Sweet Gum a Corner thence S 78 E 50 poles  
 to the first Station ----- (cont.)



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COURT CHARGES FOR DIV. OF PROP. OF WILLIAM VANN OF GATES CO. 1808

State of North Carolina

To the Sheriff of Gates County, Greetings

You are hereby commanded that of the Goods & Chattels lands & tenements of Charles Vann, Elisha Vann, William Vann, James Vann & Ely Vann (the Petitioners) (if to be found in your bailiwick) you cause to be made the sum of One Pound Nine Shillings & Six Pence for the costs & charges of the Partition of the lands belonging to the estate of William Vann - dec'd which was lately in our County Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions adjudged for the costs and charges of the said Partition expended whereof the said Charles, Elisha, William, James & Ely Vann are liable by law, and have you the said Money, besides your fee for this service, before our said Court at Gates aforesaid on the third Monday in February next, then and there to render unto the Officers - their Costs & Charges aforesaid. Herein fail not and have you then and there this amt. Witness Jas M (?) Sumner Clerk of the said Court at Gates the 20th day of November in the XXXIV year of our Independence Anno Dom 1809.

J. Sumner, Clk

OBLIGATION OF PAYMENT TO JESSE VANN, EXECUTOR, ACKNOWLEDGED

We or others (?) of us do promise to pay or Cause to be paid unto Jesse Vann Executor to the Estate of William Vann Deceased The Just and full (sic) of Twenty one pounds Nine Shillings and five pence to be paid Six months after date. It being for Value Rec'd as Witness Our hands and Seals this 10th day of January 1799 -

Witness ---

Pa Hegerty  
Sam C Smith  
John Vann

Willis Moodley (?) (seal)  
Miles Galling (or Gatling) (seal)  
David Reddock (seal)



appendix -

Aug. 21, 1809

JAMES VANN of Northampton Co N.C. (1) & his Brother CHARLES VANN  
of Gates Co, (the) other part, \$100.00

a tract of land allotted me by the division of my Father's Estate,  
to wit 1st, on the White Pat <sup>(c 9k?)</sup> Poceson containing 50 acres,  
beg. at a Pine formerly Demsey Parker's corner -----near Baker's  
folly (?);

another tract beg. a red oak my Brother Ely's corner in Sumner's  
line, thence on Ely's line nearly S to a pine my Brother Edward's  
line, to a sweet gum in a Branch in Jonathan Parker's line, 40 acres  
-----which 2 tracts I have sold -----to Charles Vann.

George Hagerty

Fa Hagerty pr

Aug Ct 1809

Gates

James Vann (signed)

8-47, Reel 40004  
Raleigh NC Archives

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May 16, 1814 WILLIAM VANN of Northampton (Co.) (1) & HARDY WILLIAMS  
of Gates Co.----- \$103.00

small tract in Gates on W/S Knotty pine Swamp beg at a corner of the  
Dividing line between said Vann (&) CHARLES VANN in the Knotty pine  
Swamp, thence on said CHARLES VANN line to BRADYS line to HILLERY  
WILLY'S line to the Knotty pine Sw. to the Beg.---- 40 acres

P. Hagerty pr

George " Gates Co. Nov 1814

William Vann (signed)

10-52, Reel 40004  
Raleigh NC Archives

In Oct. of 1815, Jacob Vann, with power of attorney for his brother William Vann, sells property in Edgecombe County that had belonged to Edward Vann their putative father, deceased. Jacob & William Vann are surely two of the four sons of Martha Vann, who deeded property to them in Edgecombe County in 1800. Jacob & William Vann are residents of the State of Tennessee in 1815.

This Indenture made this 24th day of October in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & fifteen, between Jacob Vann of the State of Tennessee for his own part, and as attorney for his brother William Vann of the same place of one part, & Zachariah Maner of the State of No. Carolina of the other part. Witnesseth that the said Jacob Vann for himself, and as attorney as aforesaid, have bargained sold & conveyed & by virtue hereof doth hereby bargain, sell & convey unto the said Zachariah Maner (sic) two thirds of a certain tract of land situate lying & being in s'd Edgecombe County on the No. side of Tar-River containing in whole one hundred & twenty five acres, for the consideration of the sum of three hundred & thirty three dollars, before the sealing & delivery of those presents, the receipt whereof the s'd Vann doth hereby acknowledge & himself therewith fully satisfied contented & paid the said Tract being the same which Edward Vann deceased, died siezed & possessed of. Beginning at a White Oak, Rich'd Odoms corner in Sarah Manors line, thence N 88 E 78 poles along Sarah Maners line to a Black Gum Zach Maners own corner then along his line S 180 po. to a Red Oak in Jas. L. Battle's line, then along the same West 136 poles to creek run, then up by S. Swamp to a Maple, Rich'd Odoms corner, then along his line of marked trees to the first Station. To have & to hold the said tract of land, together with all & singular the appurtances thereunto belonging, or in any wise appurtaining, and I Jacob Vann for my part as attorney for Wm Vann, doth hereby bind our heirs Ex'ors or Adm's jointly & generally by these presents always to support & forever defend, unto s'd Zachariah Manor his heirs & assigns forever, a good & lawful right & ditto in fee simple, to & for the said tract of land, who shall & may from time to time & at all times forever hereafter have, hold, use, occupy, enjoy & possess the said two thirds against the lawful claim or deed and of every other person or persons whosoever. In Witness whereof I've hereunto set my hand and seal, the day & date above written - Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence of us —

James L. Battle    Elias Bryan    -    Jacob Vann

Seal

Edgecombe County, Feb. Court, 1816. The within deed of sale was duly exhibited in open Court, proved by the Oath of James L. Battle and ordered to be registered.

Teste                      C. Hall    C.C.

Set a Part to James Vann Survey No 6 Containing Forty Acres Beginning at his Brother Elys Corner pine in Sumners line thence with said line N 76 E 86 poles to a Post Oak a Corner thence S 8 W 23 poles to Black gum Jonathan Parkers Corner thence On his line S 7 E 58 po to a Marked pine at the Head of a Branch thence down said Branch 35 po to a Corner White Oak thence by a line of Marked trees N 78 W 50 pole to a Sweet gum a Corner thence N 20 W 78 po to the first Station - Also another tract of Fifty Acres of Pocason Land On the Head of the White pat- Comprised in the Whole Ninety Acres to be his part -----

NB: No 5 pays No 2 \$7 & No 4 pays No 2 \$3

Given under Our hands & Seals this 4th day of March 1808 ----

Jonathan Williams (seal)  
Hillary Willey (seal)  
John Cross (seal)  
(seal)  
(seal)  
Pa Hegerty Sur (seal)

State of North Carolina  
Gates County

May County Court of Pleas \_\_\_\_ 1808

The within Division of the Real estate of William Vann dec'd was exhibited into Court by Jonathan Williams, Hillary Willey and John Cross the Commissioners, and on Motion was ordered to be Registered.

Test J Sumner Clk

The within Division of land is Registered in the Registers office of Gates County in Book No 7 Folio 197-198-199 -----  
May 18th 1809 -----

Isaac Pipkin P R

Division of the lands  
of Wm Vann Dec'd among  
his Heirs ----

STATE OF TENNESSEE, DAVIDSON COUNTY

# Marriage Certificate

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE

*Rite of Matrimony*

Between *Jacob Vann* Age \_\_\_\_\_

and *Fanny Woodward* Age \_\_\_\_\_

was solemnized by *S. Shannon*

on *7* day of *May* - *1886*, as

the same appears of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of the  
aforesaid County at Nashville, Tennessee.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the said Court, at office, this the *1*

day of *March*, 19*83*

*Bill McPherson*

Clerk of the Davidson County Court

*Eva Revakowski*

Deputy Clerk

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STATE OF TENNESSEE, DAVIDSON COUNTY

# Marriage Certificate

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE

Rite of Matrimony

Between Jacob Vann Age \_\_\_\_\_  
and Margaret Shaw Age \_\_\_\_\_  
was solemnized by S. Shannon J.P.

on 16 day of July 1833, as  
the same appears of record in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of the  
aforesaid County at Nashville, Tennessee.

WITNESS my hand and seal of the said Court, at office, this the 24  
day of March, 1983

Bill McPherson

Clerk of the Davidson County Court

Eva Devahouse  
Deputy Clerk

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Date of marriage should be 1835 instead  
of 1833. Mistake was probably made when  
copying from old records as sometimes  
the writing is very poor.  
Since Jacob's first wife didn't die until  
1834, and his second wife Margaret's first  
child was born in 1836.