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PURPOSE

To aid each member in compiling his, or her, own family genealogy
To preserve and publish genealogical data pertaining to Sutter,
Yuba, and other nearby Northern California Counties. Such data
to include; Cemetery, Church, Bible, Family, County Records, etc.

MEETINGS

The meetings are held the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7:30
P.M. in the Sutter County Library. (Corner of Forbes & Clark
Avenues in Yuba City)

COST

Membership is \$8.00 per calendar year. This includes four
issues of the "Diggers' Digest"

SOCIETY'S LIBRARY

The library holdings of the Society are located in the California
Room of the Marysville-Yuba County Public Library, 303 2nd Street,
Marysville, California. In addition to material pertaining to the
local area, our exchange quarterlies and genealogical books are
\$here. Everyone is welcome to use the material, but it can not
be checked out.

DIGGERS' DIGEST

Four issues per year are published. Queries are welcome, and
there is no charge for this service; but members will be given
preference for the available space. Members of the Query
Committee will check the available indexes for queries pertaining
to this area, and notify the sender as to what is available-----
IF A SASE IS ENCLOSED.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

February 1984

Greetings!

While we are into the year 1984, we wish to review - and to give credit to those responsible for the interesting and informative programs and activities of 1983. Dorothy Pearce, an outstanding chairman, arranged the schedule as follows:

January 24 We were given a comprehensive introduction to the use of computers in the storing of genealogical information and research by Dan Hamilton of Concord, California.

February 22 Sutter County Clerk, Lonna Smith, talked about the wealth of records stored in the County Archives.

March 22 Yuba County Clerk, Frances J. Fairey, reported on the resources available at the Yuba County Court House.

April 26 A visit to the Community Memorial Museum. Director Jean Gustin had prepared an excellent exhibit, indicating the types of material for research that is held there.

May 24 Barbara Wood brought displays, and demonstrated the use of forms to be used in recording and organizing research.

June 28 Nancy Hunter, recently from the Salt Lake City LDS Genealogical Library, explained holdings and methods for research at that facility.

September 27 Jean Waller and Stacey Brucker presented the system they are marketing -- Pat Beadle's book on Organizing Your Family Tree.

October 25 The 10th Anniversary of the founding of the Society was observed with a gala celebration.

November 22 Anita Laney, local historian and 'woman of many talents' presented a showing of Vintage Apparel, 1860-1910, with a talk on how old photos, unidentified and undated, can be approximately dated by observing the styles of clothing worn by the subjects and comparing them with illustrations of a known era.

We hope to further expand the possibilities for research here in the local area, and have available information for research in all other areas. The Society Library, in the California Room, Packard Library, Marysville, is growing; and due to much work by our librarian and helpers, the material has been organized and classified.

Lorna Richards, President

DON'T WRITE THE RUSSIAN EMBASSY

Take heed from one who did! It is entrapment.

If you see a notice in any Genealogy magazine, Brochure, Periodical, etc., that suggests you can write the Russian Embassy in Washington, D.C. and receive assistance on how to secure Genealogical information from behind the Iron Curtain, Forget It!

I saw such an ad and since I teach a Genealogy Class, I thought this might be helpful information to have available. (I do not personally have any Russian Ancestors.)

I received a large package containing 24 manuals; from 2 page folders to 242 page paperback books, with such titles as "Peace Plan & Progress," Ereshnev, "Our Course, Peace & Socialism," "USSR, 1000 Questions and Answers," to pamphlets on "Stop The Spread of Nuclear Weapons," and "Stop the Death Cloud," Nothing pertaining to Genealogy. All propaganda. Approximately one month later I received an out-dated magazine "Soviet Life." Still nothing pertaining to Genealogy.

My husband and I took it as a joke on us, until a policeman friend of ours mentioned that our Government might be keeping a record of these packages going to private citizens of the United States; and, at some later date, if one of our children or grandchildren wanted to get into certain Government service, This Joke might come back to haunt us. Think about it.

We are going to turn this material over to a Government Agency.

(This was written by Mrs. Robert Waller, Treasurer of the Sutter-Yuba Genealogical Society)

Editor's Notes

I hope everyone is aware of the new program called FAMILY REGISTRY, began this year by the Genealogical Department of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints -- AND, not only aware of it but becoming active participants. I believe it can be one of the greatest aids offered to genealogical researchers. For those who may be unaware of this program, or desire more information on it, the following article is taken from a pamphlet entitled, The Family Registry - Cooperation in Research, published by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, Salt Lake City, Utah, 1983.

What is the Family Registry?

The Family Registry is a new service available to anyone interested in genealogical research. It is offered without charge by the Genealogical Department of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints.

What can the Family Registry do for you?

The Family Registry can help you find others who are doing research on the same family lines you are working on. You can then contact them to coordinate your efforts and share results. When you coordinate your research with others, your research can be more thorough, and you can avoid costly duplication of time, money and effort.

For a family organization, this provides a way to tell others about your organization. Those interested may support your research efforts.

For those wishing to coordinate research, this lets you tell others what you are doing and find out what they are doing. You can then contact researchers working on your lines, and they can contact you.

For those seeking genealogical information, this helps you learn about individuals or family organizations researching your lines.

How does the Family Registry work?

The service consists of two parts: registration and inquiry.

1. Registration: Individual researchers and family organizations may register by submitting forms to the Genealogical Library or one of its branches.

2. Inquiry: Microfiche copies of the registration forms and an index of the registry will be available for searching at the Genealogical Library in Salt Lake City and at branch genealogical libraries.

Who should register?

1. Active researchers: If you are actively doing genealogical research, you can register the names of the deceased individuals you are currently researching. If you want to share information you have previously researched, you may also register those names. Others may then contact you to coordinate future research and share results.

2. Family organizations: If you are involved in genealogical research as a family organization (even though your organization may be small), you can register so that others who want to coordinate research, provide funds, or otherwise participate may contact you. If you are interested in forming an organization, you may also register.

Two types of family organizations may be registered. a. Ancestral

Editor's Notes - Family Registry (continued)

family organizations, which coordinate genealogical activity on common family lines. b. surname organizations, which search records for a selected surname in a specific locality and time period. Researchers may piece the families together from the information they have collected.

Note: Do not register grandparent or immediate family organizations centered around living individuals, because this information is already known by descendants.

How do I register?

If you are an active researcher, register by completing the Research Coordination Registration Form (LFGS2501).

If you are a representative of a family organization or are interested in forming one, register your organization on the Family Organization Registration Form. Family organizations may also register lines they are actively researching on the Research Coordination Registration Form (LFGS2512).

You may pick up and return registration forms at the Genealogical Library in Salt Lake City or at any of its branch libraries. You may also write:

Genealogical Department--Family Registry
Fourth Floor, West Wing
50 East North Temple Street
Salt Lake City, Utah 84150

How do I search the Family Registry?

The Family Registry alphabetically lists the surnames being researched together with the names and addresses of those who have registered. You will be able to search the registry to find if other individuals or family organizations are researching your lines. You can then contact them. If you register, others may contact you.

What does this cost?

Both registration and inquiry services are free.

What is my responsibility?

If you register, you are expected to respond to others who wish to coordinate with you. Whenever you write to a registrant, remember to include a stamped, self-addressed envelope. If you request information, registrants may expect you to reimburse them for photocopy expenses.

The Family Registry is not intended for mass registration or mass contacting of registrants for commercial purposes.

It is expected that the microfiche Family Registry index and copies of the submitted registration forms will be distributed to the Genealogical Library in Salt Lake City and branch genealogical libraries in mid 1984.

It will be possible to submit corrections and update material submitted in this program. Information on this may be obtained through Salt Lake, or the branch libraries.

Editor's Notes: CHECKLIST FOR GENEALOGICAL INFORMATION SOURCES

Many of us doing genealogical research become very discouraged at times in our quest for that elusive information necessary to solve our problem. The following list of various sources of information may help. I know the list is very incomplete; and I would appreciate your sending to me a list of the other sources you have used. I will print those contributed in a later publication. In this way, we may all benefit.

I have divided these sources into the various categories where my own experience indicates they may be found. They may not always be in the correct division, and many may be found in more than one location. They may also be known by other names, depending on the locality.

HOME

Baby Books
Brands
Business Records
Certificates for various events
Church Affiliations
Diaries
Family Bibles
Friendship quilts, etc.
Insurance Papers
Land Record Information
Letters
Memberships in Organizations
 Fraternal
 Hereditary & Patriotic
 Social
 Vocational

Medical Records
Military Records/Certificates
Newspaper Clippings
Note Books
Passports
Pension Documents
Photographs
Receipts & Accounts
RELATIVES
School and University Items
 Albums
 Diplomas
 Misc. Records
Scrap Books
Souvenirs
Prophies

CHURCH

Annulments
Banns
Baptisms
Births
Burials
Christenings
Clergy & Minister Records
Communion Lists
Confirmations
Contracts

Deaths
Disciplinary Proceedings
Disputes Between Members
Divorces
Marriages
Membership Lists
Meeting/Session Records
Registers
Transfers for Members
Vestry Books

Editor's Notes (Continued) GENEALOGICAL SOURCES

TOWN/COUNTY

PROBATE RECORDS

(In addition to books, packets and loose papers may contain these records)

Administrator/Executor appointed, approved, bonded, & sworn	Distribution of Estate
Advertisements in the paper (death, locate heirs, sale, etc.)	Division of estate
Affidavits of Various Nature	Dower papers
Applications/Petitions to sell property	Estate Sales
Appraisers appointed	Final return
Appraisers' reports	Guardianships (where minors or incompetents are concerned)
Annual Returns (accounting for estate to court)	Inventory of Estate
	Letters of Dismissal for Administrator/Executor, and Appraisers

LAND AND PROPERTY

This listing includes both proceedings and documents
Always check direct and indirect indexes

Abstracts	Leases
Affidavits	Lot Books
Agreements	Lotteries
Applications	Marriage Contracts
Assessment Rolls	Patents
Bills of Sale	Permiss
Certificates	Power of Attorney
Deeds (Gifts, Quitclaim, Trust Forced, Partition, etc.)	Pre-emption Rights
Dower Rights	Proprietor lists
Easements	Quit rent rolls
Fee books	Rateables
Foreclosures	Real estate and chattel mortgages
Grants	Releases and assignments
Homesteads	Rent rolls
Indentures	Sales and releases
Inheritances	Slaves
Land Claims	Surveys and Plats
Land Entry Record	Tax records
Land Owner Maps	Tithable
	Warrant

Editor's Notes (Continued) GEOLOGICAL SOURCES

VITAL STATISTICS

Birth Record (including delayed, Marriages
Certificate Applications
Register entries Plans
Deaths Bonds
Certificates
Certificates Contracts
Register entries Intentions
Licenses
Emissions
Registers
Returns

COURT/LEGISLATIVE RECORDS

(Not included in Land, Probate, or Vital Statistic Sections)

Proceedings Record Forms
Affidavits Aliases
Bonds Adoptions (Records closed)
Grand Books Aliens
Case Files Appeals
Census (special) Bastardy
Court Minutes Civil Cases
Day Books Coroner's Report
Declarations Apprenticeship
Decrees County Officials
Depositions Criminal Cases
Dockets Disputes
Indexes Divorce
Journals Equity
Judgements Foreclosure
Justice Books Guardianship
Order Books Incorporations
Plea Books Indentured Servants
Recognizance Books Jurors
Register of Voters Law and Equity
Sales - Bills Licenses/Permits
Subpoenas Lunacy
Witness Books Naturalization (prior to 1906
Writs this kept mostly in County)
Declaration of Intention
Final Papers
Certificate of Naturalization
Oath of Allegiance
Petition
Passports
Road/Bridge (building & repairs)
School Records

Editor's Notes (Continued) GENEALOGICAL RESOURCES

STATE

Controller records
Corporation information
Department of Education records
Early land records, especially those created before statehood
Executive appointments
Military records pertaining to the State Militia
Southern states have pension information on those Confederate veterans who applied for a pension while residing in that state
Miscellaneous records pertaining to state mandated programs
Special Census schedules for state or communities in that state
State personnel records
Various records turned over to the state for safe-keeping by the counties
W.P.A. County Record Surveys

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

CENSUS SCHEDULES

Population schedules for decennial years, 1790-1880, 1900-1980
1857 schedule for the Minnesota Territory
1864, 1866, 1867 and 1869 schedules for Arizona
1885 schedules for Colorado, Florida, Nebraska, and New Mexico
1890 special census of Union veterans or their wives
Mortality schedules were taken for the Federal Government for 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880, and 1885; but only the 1885 schedules are in the National Archives. The others were placed in non-federal deposits

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL RECORDS

CLAIM RECORDS AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT

DIRECT TAX LIST FOR PENNSYLVANIA (Oct 1, 1798)

Lists names of occupants and names of property owners

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA INHABITANTS' RECORDS

DEATH RECORDS FOR AMERICANS DYING ABROAD

INDIAN RECORDS

Lists relating to Indian removals	Estate files
Annual census rolls	Claims relating to the Eastern Cherokees
Annuity payrolls	Special rolls relating to the Eastern Cherokees
Carlisle Indian School Files	

LAND ENTRY RECORDS FOR PUBLIC LAND STATES

Entries based on purchases or special conditions of settlement

June 30, 1800 - 1908

Credit entry files

Cash entry files

Donation files (Florida, Oregon, & Washington donations)

Homestead entry files

Private Land Claims Records

MILITARY RECORDS FOR THE UNITED STATES

Military service records for the regular army, navy & marines

X Military records of the Revolutionary War

Records collected or compiled by the Adjutant General's Office

Pay records of the Treasury Department

Military service records of volunteer organizations

Records of the post-Revolutionary War period

War of 1812

Indian Wars and Related Wars

Mexican Wars

Civil War

Spanish-American War

Records for more recent wars

Miscellaneous Military records, 1784-1815

Civil War Draft Records

Burial records of soldiers

Records of burials at U.S. military installations

Records of World War I soldiers who died overseas

Records of tombstones furnished for veterans

Records of Births, Marriages and civilian deaths at army posts

Records of Veterans Benefits

Pension applications

Rev. War invalids

Old War series

War of 1812 series

Mexican War series

Indian Wars series

Civil War and later series

Pension payment records

Bounty Land Warrant Application Records

Records of Federal Homes For Veterans

Records concerning the Confederate States of America

Compiled military service records

Citizens' File

Amnesty and Pardon Records

Cotton sale records

NATURALIZATION RECORDS

(meager before 1906)

Editor's Notes (Continued) GENEALOGICAL SOURCES

PASSPORT APPLICATIONS

PASSENGER LISTS

RECORDS CONCERNING AMERICAN MERCHANT SEAMEN

LIBRARIES & MUSEUMS

These depositories have many of the records generated in the homes, etc. and given into their care, also old Town/County Records. In addition to these, they may have:

Biographies

City/County Directories

County Histories

Family Histories and Genealogical material--especially pertaining to the area they serve

Gazateers

Maps

Newspaper collections (Often with indexes to same)

Phone Books

Photos

MISCELANEOUS

NEWSPAPER OFFICES

Birth announcements

Burial notices

Death notices and obituaries

Engagement announcements

Family reunions

Marriage announcements & reports

Miscellaneous social events / news items

CEMETERY & MAUSOLEUM

Monument Inscriptions

Sexton's Book

TOMBSTONE COMPANIES

Salesbooks

INSURANCE COMPANIES

BUSINESS AND EMPLOYMENT RECORDS

GENEALOGICAL AND HISTORICAL SOCIETIES

Genealogical & Historical Info., especially for local area

SOCIETIES (Patriotic, Fraternal, Beneficial, etc.)

Information on members

Many, such as NSDAR have genealogical collections

MORTUARY / UNDERTAKER

Information from this source is sometimes more complete than found on official record, or in cemetery records.

LDS GENEALOGICAL LIBRARY OF SALT LAKE & THE BRANCH LIBRARIES

The Genealogical Library at Salt Lake is the largest genealogical library in the world and contains microfilm copies of census records; county, state, and federal records; family records; etc., from all over the world. It also contains histories, genealogies, and other records too numerous to mention here. The best feature of this library is that through the branch libraries, these holdings are made available to people all over the world. There are also several special programs available that all genealogists may use to their great advantage. Among the programs available are:

Temple Index Bureau	Family Registry
International Genealogical Index	Church Records Archives Section

Books that may be helpful in your research are:

"Guide to Genealogical Records in the National Archives"
by Meredith B. Colket, Jr. & F.E. Bridgers

"The United States Census Compendium"
published by The Everton Publishers, Inc.

"The Researcher's Guide to American Genealogy"
by Val. D. Greenwood

"Building an American Pedigree"
by Norman E. Wright

"DAR Patriot Index" (2 Volumes)
Published by the NSDAR

"Index of Revolutionary War Pension Applications"
Published by the National Genealogical Society

++National Archives Microfilm Publications & Other Publications
On records Available From The Federal Government

"North Carolina Research, Genealogy and Local History"
by Helen F. Leary and Maurice R. Stirewalt

All the above books except the one marked (++) are available at the Gridley Branch LDS Library. The last book in the list while written for North Carolina, can be applied to almost any research problem & I have personally found it to be the best book I have read on how to use the information you find.

ABOUT ANCESTORS

Ancestors are to be found along with antique furniture and closet skeletons in nearly all of the well regulated families. They consist of forefathers, foremothers, foreuncles, and foreaunts, not to mention forecousins, who became famous in history like, for example being beheaded by a king, or who managed to become a mayor or something like that. This enables an ancestor to be pointed out with pardonable pride by his descendants forever more.

Come to think about it, an ancestor is one of the easiest things to come by and the most fascinating objects of all of our earthly possessions. Being an ancestor consists merely of being boasted and toasted by one's descendants. Many ancestors have, therefore, been enabled to make good long after they are gone from this world. More than a few of our ancestors who departed this life as poor and obscure characters, only a few jumps ahead of the sheriff, have had the good fortune, centuries later, to become the ancestors of many ambitious families, with plenty of money, fame and publicity, and as a consequence of which their tombstones have had to be greatly enlarged and adorned.

Ancestors are one of the most valuable and satisfying of all of our worldly possessions. They are non-taxable, and they can not be stolen. Their upkeep is practically nothing, and they do not deteriorate with age. As a matter of fact, ancestors increase in value as they become older and older. Ancestors who were here hundreds of years ago are worth a thousand times more than our grandparents.

Adam is our oldest and best known ancestor. If he were still around he would be about six thousand years old. Adam had a fairly good earthly record considering that the serpent, his wife, and the apple turned out to be his booby trap. But Adam is everybody's ancestor; he is taken for granted just like rain or sunshine, or like education or ignorance, like taxes or liberty, so he does not rate a very great number of coupon books at the shopping center. Nearly all people own and operate ancestors, even the poorest of People. Many a man who has only one shirt to his back and the other in the washing machine often can boast of having ancestors who are the envy of all of his friends and neighbors.

The moral of this story is that everyone should be proud of his ancestors. To be sure, there were a handful or two who did not or could not walk the straight and narrow; but, what the heck, they weren't your ancestors!

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SIMPSON, William Edward b. 16 Aug 1868, Illinois
d. 20 Aug 1947, Oroville, CA

SIMPSON, William Josiah b. 31 Jul 1850, Prairie Co., Michigan
d. 28 Jan 1938, Gridley, CA

SINGH, Banta b. _____, India
d. 6 Jun 1940, Butte Co.

SINGH, Johnnie b. 8 Apr 1942, Gridley, CA
d. 20 Sep 1944, Gridley, CA

SINGH, Kartar b. ca 1899, India
d. 1 Oct 1934, Biggs, CA

SINGH, Memel b. 8 Jul 1930, near Biggs, CA
d. 12 Jul 1930, near Biggs, CA

SINGH, Poora b. ca 1884, India
d. 13 Jun 1919, near Gridley, CA

SINGH, Rosie b. 25 Jul 1949, CA
d. 5 May 1950, Oroville, CA

SINGH, Waram b. _____, India
d. 14 Mar 1943, East Biggs, CA

SIZZLOVE, Hanna J. b. 16 Jul 1868
d. 14 Nov 1939, Oroville, CA

SIZELOVE, Winifred Gladys b. 7 Sep 1927, Oroville
d. 12 Sep 1927, Oroville, CA

SKILLING, Alexander b. 24 May 1845, Scotland
d. 24 Jul 1923, Live Oak

SKLAVOS, Mary b. 3 Sep 1935, Oroville, CA
d. 3 Sep 1935, Oroville, CA

SLAGLE, Marie Gladys b. 22 Sep 1903, Kansas
d. 26 Mar 1946, Oroville

SLAYDEN, Raven Levin b. 6 Dec 1942, San Antonio, Texas
d. 24 Jun 1946, Gridley, CA

SLIGAR, Carl James b. 3 May 1894, Biggs, CA
d. 24 Aug 1945, Biggs, CA

SLIGAR, Joseph H. b. 8 Aug 1845, Tenn.
d. 2 Jan 1935, Oakland, CA

SLIGAR, Nancy Emma b. 1 Nov 1861, Columbus, Iowa
d. 19 Nov 1938, Marysville, CA

SLIGAR, Thos. Richard b. 18 Dec 1843, Tenn
d. 19 Mar 1920, Gridley

SMART, Milford Augustus b. 1 Feb 1875
d. 10 Jun 1937, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Almon b. 3 Dec 1859, Bangor, CA
d. 23 Mar 1943, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Alvin Loyd b. 11 Jun 1927, Live Oak
d. 3 Jan 1928, Live Oak, CA

SMITH, Baby b. 1 Dec 1940, Gridley, CA
d. 1 Dec 1940, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Baby b. 31 Aug 1942, Oroville
d. 31 Aug 1942, Oroville, CA

SMITH, Blanche Mabel b. Dec 1895, Iowa
d. 11 Nov 1918, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Caroline Melinda b. 18 Nov 1861, Gentryville, Missouri
d. 28 Nov 1952,

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SMITH, Catherine b. 20 Feb 1855, Raggerville, Ohio
d. 11 April 1922, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Charles William b. 6 May 1907, Burnside, KY
d. 1 Sep 1928, Gridley, CA

SMITH, David Lorenzo b. 3 Aug 1872, Brigham City, Utah
d. 2 Mar 1954, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Della Mae b. _____
d. 20 Jul 1937, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Emma J. b. 17 Oct 1867, Minden, Utah
d. 23 Oct 1945, Live Oak, CA

SMITH, Eunice E. b. Apr 1855, Farmington, Utah
d. May 1927, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Evelyn Jeanette b. 4 Apr 1853, Bangor, Maine
d. 19 Apr 1933, Biggs, CA

SMITH, Fanny Fern b. 2 Feb 1862, Michigan Bluff, CA
d. 14 Apr 1932, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Frank M. b. 29 Jun 1869
d. 30 Mar 1924, San Francisco, CA

SMITH, Glenn Lee b. 26 Dec 1952, Yuba City, CA
d. 28 Dec 1952, Yuba City, CA

SMITH, Guy (known as Jack Leroy Love) b. _____, Texas
d. 17 Dec 1945, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Gwyn Lou b. 26 Dec 1952, Yuba City, CA
d. 27 Dec 1952, Yuba City, CA

SMITH, Henry b. _____
d. 9 Jan 1946, Oroville, CA

SMITH, John McCall b. 15 Jul 1855
d. 13 Dec 1920, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Lee Fletcher b. 7 Dec 1886, Belfast, Tenn.
d. 17 Jun 1936, Bakersfield, CA

SMITH, Lloyd Albert b. 18 Jan 1889, Elk Creek, CA
d. 22 Jul 1950

SMITH, Martin Francis b. 6 Sep 1884
d. 10 Jun 1919, near Biggs

SMITH, Maryetta b. 5 Dec 1900, Idaho
d. 1 Dec 1932, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Newell J. b. 1920, Calif.
d. Dec 1922

SMITH, Pearl Elydia b. 18 Sep 1891, Utah
d. Apr 1924, Gridley, CA

SMITH, Perlle Hirst b. 15 Jun 1865, Apple River, Illinois
d. 19 May 1937

SMITH, Ray Allen b. 4 Jul 1938, Oroville, CA
d. 5 Jul 1938, Oroville, CA

SMITH, Rhoda Ann b. 12 Oct 1910, Kentucky
d. 22 Sep 1943, Yuba City, CA

SMITH, Ruby b. 4 Apr 1884, Iowa
d. 18 Oct 1944, Marysville, CA

SMITH, Samuel McTate b. 13 Aug 1850
d. 15 Jul 1919, Gridley, CA

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SMITH, Thomas Chapman b. 10 Oct 1864, Toole, Utah
d. 6 Oct 1936, Live Oak, CA

SMITH, Walter M. b. 25 Jul 1871, Pleasant Valley, CA
d. 10 Jul 1936, Bakersfield, CA

SMITH, Warren Minton b. 12 Dec 1869, Sonoma Co., CA
d. 12 Nov 1940, Biggs, CA

SMITH, William F. b. _____
d. 13 Jan 1946, Oroville, CA

SNIPES, Benjamin b. 27 Jul 1872, Marion, North Carolina
d. 26 May 1932, Gridley, CA

SNOWDEN, Jefferson H. b. 26 Dec 1873, Missouri
d. 6 Jan 1950, Honcutt, CA

SNOWDEN, May b. 25 May 1880, Nelson, CA
d. 7 Jul 1947, Oroville, CA

SNYDER, Edna Adeline b. 13 Oct 1852, Georgia
d. 17 Jul 1941

SNYDER, Jacob b. 16 Jun 1849, Pennsylvania
d. 18 Feb 1928, Oroville, CA

SNYDER, Marcella b. 28 Dec 1932, Missouri
d. 7 Aug 1940, Gridley, CA

SOARES, Antoinette b. 18 Jun 1928, Gridley, CA
d. 27 Mar 1933, Oroville, CA

SOARES, Jerome b. 31 Jan 1919, Alvarado, CA
d. 30 Mar 1927, Oroville, CA

SOARES, Nora Rose b. 7 Mar 1896, Centerville, CA
d. 31 Mar 1923, Marysville

SOETH, Flossie Geneva b. 12 Oct 1887, Nobab, Kentucky
d. 11 May 1936, Gridley, CA

SOETH, Herman N. b. 30 Aug 1884, Germany
d. 6 Dec 1933, Gridley, CA

SOETHE, Peter H. b. 27 Dec 1847, Germany
d. 27 Jun 1930, Oroville, CA

SOHREY, Guy Milton b. 28 Feb 1950, Oroville, CA
d. 28 Feb 1950, Oroville, CA

SOHNREY, Henry Frederick b. 9 Apr 1874, Hazeville, Ohio
d. 20 Oct 1927, E. Biggs, CA

SOHNREY, Milton b. 29 Jul 1895, Newton, Kansas
d. 3 Dec 1936, Oroville, CA

SOOY, Charles b. 14 Jan 1870, Plumas Co., CA
d. 17 Feb 1948, Gridley, CA

SOOY, Edward b. 8 Feb 1873, Tumwater, Washington
d. 19 Feb 1944, Sonoma Co., CA

SORENSEN, Lucy, Lauyse b. 18 Feb 1881
d. 20 May 1919, Gridley, CA

SORENSEN, Mariane b. 2 Mar _____, Norway
d. 15 Apr 1931, Live Oak, CA

SORENSEN, Viola Evelyn b. 20 Mar 1919, Ca
d. 7 Jan 1920, Gridley

SORENSEN, Carrie b. ca 1848, Denmark
d. 4 Sep 1925, Gridley, CA

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SOWERS, Alvin Eugene b. 24 Aug 1940, Oroville, CA
d. 24 Aug 1940, Oroville, CA

SOWERS, Doyle Wade b. _____, Oklahoma
d. 28 Jan 1936, Oroville, CA

SOWERS, Eugene b. 6 Oct 1939, Gridley, CA
d. 6 Oct 1939

SPARLIN, Frank S. b. 13 Aug 1887, Oregon
d. 24 Dec 1945, Livermore, CA

SPENCE, Emma Jeannette b. 7 Oct 1858, Plano, Illinois
d. 20 Dec 1952, Chico, CA

SPERRY, Willis Warner b. 13 Oct 1869, Anden, Iowa
d. 15 Jul 1943, Gridley, CA

SPRADLIN, Linda May b. 19 Jun 1951, Gridley, CA
d. 4 Jan 1952, Palermo, CA

SFRAGUE, Silas b. Jan 1869, Missouri
d. 8 Dec 1945, Oroville, CA

SPRATLING, Hiram Phillip b. 26 Sep 1866, Bruton, England
d. 6 Feb 1945, Gridley, CA

SPRATTLING, Hannah Robena b. 4 Sep 1875, Salt Lake City, Utah
d. 3 Sep 1940, Gridley, CA

STAFFORD, Geneva Oda Tipton b. 18 Apr 1898 Soulsbyville, CA
d. 28 Oct 1946, San Francisco, CA

STAFFORD, William Henry b. 1 Feb 1921, Marysville, CA
d. 7 Oct 1942, Benton Co., Wash.

STAFFORD, William Henry b. 2 Feb 1855, Rochester, N.Y.
d. 14 Oct 1930, Live Oak, CA

STANFILL, Marvin James b. 12 Mar 1912, Tenn
d. 6 Nov 1943

STANLEY, Augustus Dewey b. 28 Dec 1899, Texas
d. 1 Oct 1930, Greenville, CA

STANLEY, Lura b. 24 Aug 1869
d. 13 Apr 1921, Honcut, CA

STANTON, Mary Margaret b. 6 Nov 1922, Berkeley, CA
d. 15 Jun 1945

STARK, Chas. Boatwright b. 10 Oct 1850, Sedalia Missouri
d. 30 Mar 1935, Gridley, CA

STARKEY, Edith Ethel b. 28 Feb 1898, Idaho
d. 7 May 1952, Oroville, CA

STARKEY, John Wesley b. 1 Feb 1874, Huron, Ohio
d. 6 May 1938, Oakland, CA

STARKS, Ida Eugenia b. 19 Dec 1850, Ohio
d. 9 Nov 1925, Gridley, CA

STAUG/STANG, Jacob b. 22 Oct 1881, Gordon, Michigan
d. 15 Dec 1947, Gridley, CA

STEADMAN, Edward b. 22 Dec 1869, Geneva, New York
d. 17 Oct 1944

STENZEL, Arvilla Minerva b. 18 Sep 1864, Ohio
d. 26 Aug 1924, Sacramento, CA

STENZEL, Gustania Frederick b. 13 Aug 1867 Germany
d. 3 Nov 1918, Gridley, CA

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STENZEL, John Henry b. 31 Oct, Penn
d. 22 Mar 1920, Chico, CA

STEPHENSON, Dora Belle b. 31 Dec 1874, Iowa
d. 21 Mar 1948, Oroville, CA

STEWART, Charles Baker b. 27 Jun 1871, Pepperrill, Mass.
d. 14 Jun 1942, Gridley, CA

STEWART, David Irwin b. 4 Jun 1942, Gridley
d. 6 Nov 1942, Gridley, CA

STEWART, Freda C. b. 22 Dec 1918, Kansas
d. 22 Apr 1952, Oakland, CA

STEWART, Inez Lalovi b. 11 Feb 1908, Fair View, Idaho
d. 19 May 1938, Gridley, CA

STEWART, Ray Elmer b. 11 Apr 1875, Richmond, Utah
d. 29 Jan 1950, Gridley, CA

STEWART, Sarah Ruth b. 25 Sep 1866, Salt Lake, Utah
d. 7 Jan 1942, Oroville, CA

STEWART, William A. b. 4 Oct 1880, Crieff Perthshire, Scotland
d. 22 Nov 1933, Biggs, CA

STICKLER, John Lewis b. 26 Sep 1869, Penn
d. 16 Sep 1951, Oroville, CA

STICKLER, Reginald Warren b. 1 Jun 1921, Johnstown, Penn.
d. 22 Feb 1948, Oroville, CA

STILES, Julia Lord b. 8 Jan 1845, Penn Yan, New York
d. 28 Apr 1936, Santa Cruz, CA

STOCK, Dorris R. b. 1914
d. 1919, Gridley, CA

STODDARD, Asa Aaron b. 8 Jun 1886
d. 20 Oct 1931, Gridley, CA

STONE, Oscar Ivan b. 13 Jan 1900, Concow, CA
d. 27 Nov 1947,

STONE, William T. b. 24 Nov 1893, Clipper Gap, CA
d. 25 Dec 1931, Richvale, CA

STORT, William O. b. 5 Dec 1878, CA
d. 19 Nov 1941, Oroville, CA

STOTTS, David Elmer b. 1 Aug 1946, Gridley, CA
d. 1 Aug 1946, Gridley, CA

STOUT, Alvin Hazel b. 19 Jan 1869, Ohio
d. 13 Apr 1929, Gridley

STOVALL, Veronica b. 2 Sep 1881, Texas
d. 8 Feb 1954, Gridley, CA

STRAIGHT, Harriet Ellon b. 3 Jun 1869, Madale, Iowa
d. 26 Dec 1951, Gridley, CA

STRAW, Pauline b. 29 Jun 1916, Rupert, Idaho
d. 16 Jul 1934, Chico, CA

STREETER, Louisa b. ca 1839, Tenn
d. 5 Jul 1924

STRESSER, Mary Annie b. 25 Sep 1873, Honcut, CA
d. 21 Apr 1947, Oroville, CA

STRESSER, Thomas E. b. 24 Aug 1867, New York
d. 4 Feb 1941, Honcut, CA

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STRESSER, Thomas Earl b. 20 Apr 1908, Honcut, CA
d. 7 May 1947, Oroville, CA

STROUDE, Theodore Claude b. 15 June 1908, Topeka, Kansas
d. 13 Jun 1953, Biggs, CA

STUCKE, Annie b. 14 Feb 1885, Austria
d. 19 Jul 1930, Oroville, CA

STUKE, Joseph William b. 18 Dec 1883, Jugo Slovakia
d. 17 Oct 1935, Gridley, CA

STURGES, Charles E. b. 18 Dec 1864, New York City, N.Y.
d. 8 Dec 1932, Oroville, CA

STURM, Joseph b. 10 Aug 1866, Bavaria
d. 25 Dec 1931, Richvale, CA

SUIT Banona Helen b. 15 Nov 1930, Gridley, CA
d. 14 Jul 1947, Oroville, CA

SUIT, Cora Luan b. 1 Mar 1885, Iowa
d. Oct. 1930, Gridley, CA

SUIT George Sullivan b. 30 Jul 1867, Council Bluff, Iowa
d. 18 Jul 1948, Oroville, CA

SUIT, Marvin b. 3 Aug 1926, Gridley, CA
d. 3 Aug 1926, Gridley, CA

SUMPTER, Charles Dot b. 26 Jan 1882, Tenn
d. 24 Nov 1952, Gridley, CA

SUTHERLAND, Scott Clyne b. 21 Nov 1879, Ontario, Canada
d. 18 May 1952, Oroville, CA

SUTPHEN, S/Sgt Lee A. b. _____, Gridley
d. _____

SUTPHEN, Vina Wilmena b. 11 May 1901, CA
d. 25 Aug 1926

SWALLOW, Baby b. 30 Jan 1936, Gridley, CA
d. 30 Jan 1936, Gridley, CA

SWALLOW, Baby Boy b. 6 Sep 1941, Gridley, CA
d. 6 Sep 1941, Gridley, CA

SWALLOW, Cecelia Marie b. 12 Sep 1941, Gridley, CA
d. 12 Sep 1941, Gridley, CA

SWAN, Charles Erastus b. 28 Aug 1879, Denmark
d. 13 Dec 1947, Yuba City, CA

SWEENEY, Bernard M. b. 6 Jul 1876, Chico, CA
d. 13 Apr 1941, Live Oak, CA

SWEENEY, Julia Manaugh b. 26 Apr. 1877, Live Oak, CA
d. 16 Feb 1934, Hornbrook, CA

SWEENEY, Kate Louise b. 7 Mar 1878, Live Oak, CA
d. 7 Dec 1926, Live Oak, CA

SWEET, John Frederick b. 12 Jan 1875, Iowa
d. 20 Nov 1944, Gridley, CA

SWEETSER, Arthur b. 13 Sep 1870, Oregon House, CA
d. 29 May 1943, Near Honcutt, CA

SWIHART, Morgan Butler b. 30 Jun 1845, Ohio
d. 7 Mar 1938, Gridley, CA

SWIHART, Sarah Ellen b. 2 Feb 1856, Star Co., Ohio
d. 6 Jan 1934, Gridley, CA

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TABOR, George Washington b. 15 Sep 1876, Missouri
d. 10 May 1950, Oroville, CA

TALBERT, Flossie b. 9 Aug 1895, Missouri
d. 5 Feb 1947, Oroville, CA

TALBERT, Luella Frances b. 19 May 1867, Lathrop, Missouri
d. 8 Dec 1935, Biggs, CA

TALLEY, Wm Wesley b. 20 Jan 1842, Ill.
d. 17 Jan 1930, Gridley, CA

TANIMOTO, Infant Iwakihi b. 27 Aug 1924, Yuba City, CA
d. 27 Aug 1924

TANIMOTO, Some b. 29 Apr 1881, Japan
d. 13 Apr 1934, Gridley, CA

TARRANT, George b. 22 Mar 1842, England
d. 12 Sep 1928, Gridley

TARRANT, Lucy Jane b. 5 Jan 1888, Nebraska
d. 9 Feb 1954, Live Oak, CA

TATE, James Alford b. 3 Nov 1861, So. Carolina
d. 23 Mar 1929, Butte Co.

TATE, Mary Ellen Russell b. 2 Feb 1876, Tenn
d. 12 May 1942, Lincoln, CA

TATTERSON, Fay b. 23 Jul 1905, Shawnee, Oklahoma
d. 9 Jul 1936, Oroville, CA

TAYLOR, Charles H. b. ca 1893, Calif.
d. 24 Jul 1928, Gridley, CA

TAYLOR, Harry Lee b. 2 Sep 1888, Gridley, CA
d. 7 May 1953

TAYLOR, John Samuel b. _____, Gridley, CA
d. 31 Oct 1945, Stockton, CA

TAYLOR, Joseph Darrel b. 13 Apr 1926, Ryde, CA
d. 13 Apr 1926, Ryde, CA

TAYLOR, Mary Ann b. 3 Feb 1866, Iowa
d. 7 Mar 1943, Oroville, CA

TERRY, Lucille b. 3 Apr 1915, Napa, CA
d. 10 Nov 1918, Gridley, CA

TERRY, O. L. b. 6 Jun 1865, St. George, Utah
d. 21 Dec 1926, Gridley, CA

TERRY, U. S. b. 1874
d. 1950

TERWILLIGER, Lawrence Herman b. 17 Nov 1939, San Luis Obispo, CA
d. 9 Aug 1940, Gridley, CA

TESCHER, John William b. 15 Feb 1876, Boonville, CA
d. 31 Jul 1943, Oroville, CA

THAYER, Barbara Ann b. 29 Sep 1865, Jefferson Co., Ohio
d. 26 Nov 1939, Live Oak, CA

THAYER, Donald Fred b. 28 Apr 1936, Live Oak, CA
d. 17 Jun 1936, Gridley, CA

THEBACK, Charles b. 17 Aug 1865, Germany
d. 10 Jul 1942, Biggs, CA

THEBACK, William b. 10 Mar 1884, Germany
d. 20 Oct 1941, Biggs, CA

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THEEDE, John b. 26 May 1885, Germany
d. 14 Sep 1947, Oroville, CA

THELANDER, John b. 18 Oct 1865, Kalmar, Sweden
d. 16 Feb 1946, Stockton, CA

THEODORE, Adriana b. 10 Jun 1886, Portugal
d. 1 Jan 1919, Gridley, CA

THIEME, Katherine b. 12 Dec 1863, Sunsetville, Iowa
d. 5 Oct 1927, Oroville, CA

THOMAS, James Corbett b. 5 Sep _____, Arkansas
d. 14 Mar 1953, Oroville, CA (age 55)

THOMAS, Martha b. 20 Apr 1852, England
d. 9 Jan 1927, Gridley, CA

THOMPSON, George Henry b. 27 Jan 1880, Sutter Co., CA
d. 7 Sep 1928, Sutter Co., CA

THOMPSON, Harriet Eleanor b. 5 Jan 1882, Arkansas
d. 18 May 1953, Gridley, CA

THOMPSON, Kenneth Presley b. 16 Mar 1920, Kansas City, Missouri
d. 30 Dec 1949, Gridley, CA

THOMPSON, Lewis Lee b. 10 Jun 1876, Arkansas
d. 15 Feb 1922, Gridley, CA

THOMPSON, Lewis, Quentin b. 29 Apr 1850, Arkansas
d. 19 Oct 1925, Gridley, CA

THOMPSON, Melvina Jones b. 11 Jan 1858, Missouri
d. 11 Jun 1939, Gridley, CA

THOMPSON, Seldon Thweatt b. 31 Jan 1934, Big Springs, Texas
d. 12 Oct 1934, Oroville, CA

THOMPSON, Seth Leftridge b. 29 Jan 1853, Missouri
d. 26 Oct 1943

THOMPSON, Thela Alameda b. 2 Jan 1854, Arkansas
d. 3 Feb 1941, Gridley, CA

THOMPSON, Walter Frederick b. 23 Oct 1897, Nebraska
d. 30 May 1950, Butte Co., CA

THOMPSON, Wm Franklin b. 15 Nov 1874, Indiana
d. 12 Apr 1948, Biggs, CA

THOMPSON, William Joseph b. 25 Dec 1858, Iowa
d. 28 Jul 1931, Gerber, CA

THORNTON, Theodore Orvis b. 11 Jul 1879, San Jose, CA
d. 14 May 1946, Biggs, CA

THORPE, Charles Cyrus b. 28 Mar 1928
d. 4 Mar 1929, Stockton, CA

THRESHER, Albert Lincoln b. _____, Gridley, CA
d. 13 Jun 1948, Oakland, CA (age 87)

THRESHER, Amelia Katherine b. 20 Aug 1858, Rock Island, Ill.
d. 22 May 1936, Gridley, CA

THRESHER, Columbus Warren b. 6 Nov 1853, Gridley, CA
d. 24 Jun 1937, Gridley, CA

THRESHER, Grace Augusta b. 18 Aug 1863, Davenport, Iowa
d. 1 Nov 1941, Oakland, CA

THRESHER, Irene b. 28 Mar 1898, Michigan
d. 10 Feb 1947, Oroville, CA

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TIBBETTS, Louis Martin b. 2 Sep 1913, Oklahoma
d. 2 Jan 1934, Yuba City, CA

TIMME, Julia B. b. 19 Jul 1870, Springfield, Ill.
d. 14 May 1940

TITTLE, Edward S. b. 9 Sep 1876, Butte Co., CZ
d. 12 May 1929, Biggs, CA

TOBORG, Wilhelmina b. 11 Jun 1886, Carlsbad, Prussia
d. 11 Jun 1934, Biggs, CA

TODD, Anna Greenleaf b. 21 Dec 1871, Camptonville, CA
d. 30 Apr 1953, Live Oak, CA

TODD, Ella O. b. _____, Mt. Pleasant, Utah
d. _____ Feb 1947, St. Anthony, Idaho (age 76)

TODD, Mason Eli b. 3 Feb 1915, Leonard, Texas
d. 13 Mar 1954, Repressa, CA

TODD, Nelson Franklin b. 5 Apr 1872, Live Oak, CA
d. 20 May 1940, Marysville, CA

TODD, on Carter b. 10 May 1904, Parker, Idaho
d. 30 May 1928, Albion, CA

TOLLEY, Dean b. 26 Oct 1895, Utah
d. 27 Jun 1922, Marysville, CA

TOLLEY, George Warren b. 27 Jun 1883, Ogden, Utah
d. 22 Oct 1933, Colusa, CA

TOLLEY, Georgiana b. 12 Dec 1912, Gridley, CA
d. 15 Sep 1931, Oroville, CA

TOMASOVICH, Michael b. 29 Sep 1874, Austria
d. 8 Jun 1927, Live Oak, CA

TOMASOVICH, Peter b. 1 Sep 1908, Watsonville, CA
d. 20 Feb 1938, Oroville, CA

TONG, Gim b. 1915, CA
d. 6 Nov 1918

TORRENCE, Grace Viola b. 2 Jan 1907, Centralia, Wash.
d. 14 Mar 1930, Oroville, CA

TOWNZAN, Barney C. b. 8 Jan 1878, Tenn.
d. 21 Apr 1948, Martinez, CA

TRANMER, Mamettie b. 1 Sep 1873, Illinois
d. 4 Oct 1937, Gridley, CA

TRANTER, Mattie b. 1 Sep 1863, Canada
d. 16 Nov 1932, Gridley, CA

TRAYNOR, John H. b. 14 May 1859, Penn. (Chesterville)
d. 26 Dec 1940, Gridley, CA

TREADGOLD, Lottie Louise b. _____, Kansas
d. 30 Dec 1935, Gridley, CA (age 43)

TRENT, James C. b. 16 Aug 1860, Petersburg, Illinois
d. 28 Sep 1951, Paradise, CA

TRENT, Minerva Jane b. 14 Nov 1864, Ohio
d. 26 Jan 1938, Biggs, CA

TRIPLETT, Jethero Clinton b. 5 Oct 1895, Arkansas
d. 11 Jul 1947

TUCKER, Alberta b. 29 Jul 1892, Portland, Oregon
d. 18 Oct 1946, Oroville, CA

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TULL, Vera Lois b. 15 Feb 1918, Gridley, CA
d. 19 Nov 1945, Oroville, CA

TULL, Vernon Larcy b. 11 Jul 1940, Gridley, CA
d. 5 Mar 1941, Gridley, CA

TUNNELL, Stella P. b. 5 Jun 1882, Sutphen Mill, Kansas
d. 8 Feb 1926, Gridley, CA

TURBIVILLE, A. H. b. _____
d. July 1928, Stockton, CA

TURBIVILLE, Annie b. 9 Apr 1853, Austin, Texas
d. 4 Mar 1937, Gridley, CA

TURNER, Anna b. 31 Jul 1862, Plumas Co., CA
d. 3 Nov 1932, San Francisco, CA

TURNER, Anna B. b. 5 Jan 1855, Illinois
d. 30 Apr 1931, Modesto, CA

TURNER, David James b. ca 1862, Illinois
d. 20 May 1925, Gridley, CA

TURNER, Harry B. b. 7 Nov 1884, Nebraska
d. 2 Mar 1941, Merced, CA

TURNER, Plumas b. 7 Sep 1854, California
d. 2 Sep 1930, Quincy, CA

TURNER, Ralph b. _____, Missouri
d. 20 Feb 1947, Near Biggs, CA (age 61)

UCHIHARA, Katuse b. ca 1888, Japan
d. 11 Nov 1918, Gridley, CA

UCHIJAMA, Yoto b. 2 Feb 1871, Japan
d. 29 July 1931

ULERY, Elmer Dean b. 13 May 1937, Oroville, CA
d. 31 Oct 1937, Gridley, CA

ULERY, Linda b. 29 Aug 1943, Los Angeles, CA
d. 24 Jun 1944, Oroville, CA

ULERY, Shirley Anne b. 22 Feb 1938, Oroville, CA
d. 5 Jun 1953, Gridley, CA

ULREY, Eva b. 3 Jan 1893, Missouri
d. 19 Aug 1928, Near Gridley, CA

UNDERWOOD, Edward Nathan b. 27 Oct 1873, Ohio
d. 18 Jun 1928, Gridley, CA

UPTON, Columbus Napoleon b. 7 Feb 1869, Missouri
d. 12 Mar 1947, Oroville, CA

UPTON, William Adlen b. 2 Feb 1944
d. 2 Feb 1944

VALLOTTON, Hezzie Barksdull d. 23 Dec 1877, Mississippi
d. 30 Aug 1940, Oroville, CA

VALVERDE, Damiana D. b. 29 Oct 1847, Old Mexico
d. 13 Mar 1932, Biggs, CA

VAN AUKEN, David Elton b. 15 Jun 1888, Auburn, Ind.
d. 29 Jun 1929, Gridley, CA

VAN AUCKEN, George b. _____
d. 4 Dec 1932, Sacramento, CA

VANCE, Charles b. 2 Apr 1887, Indiana
d. 12 Jan 1954, Oroville, CA

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VANCE, John Franklin b. 23 Nov 1850, Blanesville, Ill
d. 8 Jul 1926, Gridley-Biggs area

VANCE, Ota Anita b. 29 Oct 1898, Biggs, CA
d. 19 Sep 1947, Chico, CA

VANCE, William Hope b. 12 Aug 1938, Biggs, CA
d. 12 Aug 1938, Gridley, CA

VAN DE MARK, Edith b. 21 Jan 1881, Gridley, CA
d. 2 Nov 1918, Gridley, CA

VANDER PLOEG, Richard b. 1 Jan 1865, Holland
d. 22 Oct 1940, Live Oak, CA

VAN FOSSEN, Dean b. 2 Apr 1876, near Gridley, CA
d. 12 Aug 1941, Biggs, CA

VAN FOSSEN, Ernest Wilton b. 8 Oct 1873, Gridley, CA
d. 22 Nov 1937, Gridley, CA

VAN FOSSEN, Maria b. 10 May 1850, MO
d. 4 Nov 1924, Gridley, CA

VANNOTE, Charles Wesley b. 21 May 1873, Illinois
d. 3 May 1947, Oakland, CA

VANNOTE, Nancy A. b. 2 Aug 1878, Iowa (Manley)
d. 3 Oct 1947, Gridley, CA

VAN SYOC, Alfred Stein b. 6 May 1870, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa
d. 7 Jul 1944, Bucks Lake, CA

VARNER, W. S. b. ca 1840
d. 21 Nov 1921, Oroville, CA

VAZQUEZ, Sisto b. 22 Aug 1896, Mexico
d. 20 Dec 1946

VAN WIEGHEL, William b. 12 Apr 1854, Holland
d. 28 May 1936, Gridley, CA

VEATCH, Henry Clay b. 27 Aug 1847, Cynthana, Kentucky
d. 24 Mar 1939, Gridley, CA

VEATCH, Mary Horstman b. 24 Nov 1853, St. Louis, Missouri
d. 15 May 1942, Gridley, CA

VENTIONER, Elizabeth Elsie b. 11 May 1894, Medicine Lodge, Kansas
d. 13 Jan 1944, Marysville, CA

VEST, Frances Janette b. 4 Sep 1851, Illinois
d. 5 Apr 1928, Gridley, CA

VIEIRA, Joe F. b. Mar 1878, Azores
d. 9 Sep 1933, San Francisco, CA

VIEIRA, Manuel Sousa b. 31 Jan 1852, Azore Islands
d. 7 Mar 1928, Gridley

VIEIRA, Margaret C. b. 1 Jan 1922, Gridley, CA
d. 15 Feb 1944, Oroville, CA

VIERA, Ralph Cesar b. 30 Apr 1920
d. 5 Sep 1920, Gridley, CA

VIRDEN, Milton b. 4 Dec 1855, Iowa
d. 12 Sep 1935, Gridley, CA

VOORHEES, Martha Cordelia b. 16 Apr 1857, Missouri
d. 13 May 1940, Oakland, CA

VORHEES, Nevada b. 28 Jun 1888, Green Co., Iowa
d. 9 Feb 1947, Oroville, CA

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WAELTZ, Clarence John b. 6 Oct 1927, Gridley, CA
d. 22 Feb 1946

WAGNER, Adrian b. 8 Oct 1927, Gridley, CA
d. 23 Jun 1936, San Francisco, CA

WAGNER, Emma O. b. 29 Mar 1868, Calif.
d. 28 Oct 1924, San Jose, CA

WAGNER, Esther Gertrude b. 2 Mar 1896, Grand Rapids, Minnesota
d. 9 Feb 1944, Santa Maria, CA

WAGNER, Julius Ceazer b. 1 Jul 1858, near Oroville, CA
d. 8 Feb 1923, Gridley, CA

WAGNER, Norman Paul b. 18 Oct 1924, California
d. 9 Sep 1925, Gridley, CA

WALDEN, Jesse F. b. 15 Feb 1857, Illinois
d. 5 Sep 1939, Gridley, CA

WALDEN, Susan Almeda b. 15 Sep 1960
d. 27 Feb 1921, Gridley, CA

WALDEN, William Arthur b. 24 Sep 1881, Cooksville, Illinois
d. 20 Sep 1935, Oroville, CA

WALDREN, Andrew Jackson b. 20 Jan 1856, Bloomington, Ill.
d. 15 Jan 1937, Yuba City, CA

WALKER, Ed W. E. b. 1 Nov 1880, Biggs, CA
d. 18 Nov 1934, Biggs, CA

WALKER, George b. 2 Dec 1870, Minnesota
d. 21 Jun 1943, Oroville, CA

WALKER, James Arthur b. 16 Aug 1909
d. 18 Apr 1927, Gridley, CA

WALKER, James, Robert b. 29 Dec 1892, Arkansas
d. 26 Oct 1918, near Gridley, CA

WALKER, Thomas Arthur b. 10 May 1876, Beloit, Kans.
d. 27 Oct 1928, Chico, CA

WALLACE, Betty Jean b. 11 Sep 1923, Porterville, CA
d. 11 May 1934, Gridley, CA

WALLACE, Catherine L. b. 1918
d. June 1919

WALTERS, Maggie b. 9 Apr 1865, Illinois
d. 8 May 1933,

WALTON, Edith May b. 3 Dec 1887, Augusta, Wisc.
d. 9 Feb 1950, Marysville, CA

WALTON, Richard R. b. 8 Dec 1930, Elko, Nevada
d. 27 Aug 1941, Gridley, CA

WALTON, Robert M. b. 28 Oct 1918, California
d. 9 Jun 1941, Panama

WARD, David b. _____
d. 8 Feb 1939, Oroville, CA

WARD, Elizabeth Susan b. 15 May 1855, Placerville, CA
d. 26 Sep 1932, Gridley, CA

WARD, Jay b. 11 Dec 1892, California
d. 4 Sep 1946, Oroville, CA

WARD, John Allen b. 25 Apr 1857, Placerville, CA
d. 13 Aug 1937, Enterprise, CA

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WARDROBE, Emma b. 6 Jun 1867, California
d. 24 May 1927, San Francisco, CA

WARDROBE, Franklin Southworth b. 6 May 1862, Calif.
d. 16 May 1925, Gridley, CA

WARE, Barbara b. 13 Apr 1837, Germany
d. 11 Jul 1930, Gridley, CA

WARE, Norton b. 3 Apr 1881, Nebraska
d. 29 Jul 1941

WARREN, Lulu b. 23 Dec 1861, Decatur, Illinois
d. 18 June 1946, Oroville, CA

WASSELL, Christa May b. 25 Dec 1885, Pittsfield, Illinois
d. 17 Apr 1937, Live Oak, CA

WASSO, George b. ca 1884
d. 2 Nov 1920, Gridley, CA

WATERBURY, Clayton Ernest b. 8 Jul 1924, Sacramento, CA
d. 1 Sep 1950, Gridley, CA

WATERBURY, Floyd Clayton b. 11 Oct 1903, Ottawa, Illinois
d. 5 Jun 1941, Gridley, CA

WATERBURY, Franklin b. 21 Feb 1850, Albany, New York
d. 27 Jan 1933, Gridley, CA

WATERBURY, Lucile Clayton b. 11 Sep 1876, Ill.
d. 27 Dec 1950, Gridley, CA

WATERBURY, Madora Ann b. 23 Jun 1854, Illinois
d. 15 Aug 1936, Gridley, CA

WATERS, Ray Everett b. 1 Aug 1946, San Diego, CA
d. 6 Aug 1946

WATERS, Roy Marshall b. 15 Oct 1889, Farmington, Wash
d. 15 Jan 1945, Sacramento, CA

WATKINS, David P. b. 14 Dec 1874, Ukiah, CA
d. 29 Sep 1938, Gridley, CA

WATKINS, John Francis b. 7 Jul 1860, McLean Co., Ill.
d. 28 May 1928, Gridley, CA

WATKINS, Mary Gertrude b. 12 Jan 1887, Gridley, CA
d. 3 Dec 1939, Oroville, CA

WATSON, Doris Audrey b. 12 Mar 1896, Gridley, CA
d. 26 Apr 1952, Gridley, CA

WATSON, John Everett b. 5 Aug 1862, Sutter Co., CA
d. 4 Dec 1928, Gridley, CA

WATSON, Mary Frances b. _____, Sutter Co., CA
d. 20 Apr 1952, Oroville, CA

WEAVER, John Wesley b. 24 Jan 1863, Canada
d. 20 Nov 1923, Gridley, CA

WEBB, Eldon b. 2 May 1924, Gridley
d. 13 May 1929, Oroville, CA

WEBB, Sterling Lee b. 10 Jul 1908, Union City, Oregon
d. 15 Dec 1928, Chico, CA

WEEMS, Floyd b. 10 Feb 1885, Indiana
d. 29 Sep 1944, Yuba City, CA

WEELMAN, Margaret Minderman b. 8 Jul 1879, Biggs, CA
d. 10 Aug 1943, Yuba City, CA

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WELLER, Gladys b. 28 Nov 1891, San Francisco, CA
d. 16 Sep 1947, Laguna Honda, CA

WELLS, Barbara b. _____, Live Oak, CA
d. 20 Nov 1932, Live Oak, CA

WELLS, William Albert b. 20 Jan 1903, Michigan
d. 6 Jun 1952, Roseburg, Oregon

WELSH, Jack b. ca 1874
d. 31 Jul 1929, near Gridley, CA

WELSH, John Waldo b. 17 Jan 1905, Arizona
d. 10 Jan 1935, San Francisco, CA

WEST, Barbara Ann b. 25 Nov 1928, Sacramento, CA
d. 17 Jan 1946, Oroville, CA

WEST, Earnest Lee b. 29 Apr 1894, Missouri
d. 29 May 1942, Richvale, CA

WEST, Edward Royal b. 9 Feb 1905
d. 7 Oct 1922, Gridley, CA

WEST, Lucy b. 5 Dec 1911, Fairmont, Minn.
d. 7 Aug 1950, Gridley, CA

WEST, Robert Arthur b. 22 Jun 1924, Sacramento, CA
d. 26 Nov 1940, Gridley, CA

WESTCOTT, Everett Henry b. 30 Jan 1870, Eugene Oregon
d. 7 Feb 1953, Gridley, CA

WESTCOTT, Grace Martha b. 13 Aug 1878, DeCalb, Illinois
d. 28 Sep 1947, Oroville, CA

WEYMAN, Arthur b. _____
d. found ca 16 Dec 1928, dead about 3 mo. (drowned)

WHARTON, Margaret b. 5 Nov 1850, Ohio
d. 24 Oct 1925, Oroville, CA

WHEELER, John Saul b. 15 Jun 1889, Pruit, Syria
d. 3 Apr 1939, Live Oak

WHEELER, Lavinia J. b. 8 Jun 1859, Nova Scotia
d. 11 Jan 1929, Gridley, CA

WHEELER, Stormy Jo b. 10 Apr 1947, Oroville, CA
d. 11 Apr 1947, Oroville, CA

WHEELER, William August b. 20 Feb 1848, Mass
d. 1 Aug 1922, Gridley, CA

WHETSTONE, Lila Lorraine b. 19 Feb 1936, Gridley, CA
d. 11 Mar 1936, Oroville, CA

WHETSTONE, Troy Richard b. 25 Apr 1924, Hughton, Kansas
d. 28 Sep 1937, Gridley, CA

WHIPPLE Orin Bruce b. 30 Aug 1869, Penn
d. 24 May 1938, Gridley, CA

WHISLER, Nora Adeline b. 15 Apr 1867, Chico, CA
d. 3 Feb 1943, Gridley, CA

WHITE, Annie b. 15 Sep 1860, Southhampton, England
d. 26 Feb 1940, Gridley, CA

WHITE, Jennie Lee b. 30 Oct 1879, Texas
d. 27 Mar 1953, Oroville, CA

WHITE, Laura Elizabeth b. 17 Jun 1907, Farnum, Idaho
d. 5 Jun 1942, Biggs, CA

WHITE, Robert Emmett b. 7 May 1874, Missouri
d. 10 Mar 1952, Oroville, CA

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WHITE, Sarah Riggall b. 31 Jan 1862, England
d. 7 Apr 1924, Gridley, CA

WHITE, Warren Wesley b. 29 Apr 1883, Oregon
d. 8 Jul 1929, Gridley, CA

WHITE, Warren Wesley b. 8 Jul 1920, Gridley, CA
d. 9 Jun 1947, Oroville, CA

WHITEFORD, Sallie Haskins b. 27 Nov 1878, Louisville, KY
d. 12 Feb 1928, Gridley, CA

WHITING, Frederick M. b. 15 Jun 1867, Gold Beach, Oregon
d. 25 Jul 1942,

WHITINGER, Samantha J. b. 10 May 1859, Missouri
d. 18 Jun 1939, Gridley, CA

WHITINGER, Sample b. 27 Sep 1854, Nora, Indiana
d. 24 Jul 1935, Gridley, CA

WHITNEY, Charles Wesley b. 18 Jan 1840, N.J.
d. 7 Jun 1929, Live Oak, CA

WHITNEY, Sarah A. b. 13 Aug 1840, Marion Co., MO
d. 19 Feb 1922, Live Oak, CA

WHITSTONE, Leonard Ray b. 6 Sep 1922, Hugoten, Texas
d. 22 Feb 1948, Butte Co., CA

WHITSTONE, Zora Ann b. 2 Jul 1896, Kansas
d. 31 Oct 1945, Oroville, CA

WHITTEN, Floyd Eugene b. 12 Dec 1945, Oroville, CA
d. 13 Dec 1945, Oroville, CA

WICKER, Laura L. b. 22 Jun 1877, Texas
d. 10 Dec 1945, Marysville, CA

WICKMAN, Doris Ann b. 7 Mar 1874, Bockhap, Germany
d. 17 Nov 1942, Gridley, CA

WICKMAN, Earnest Frederick b. 9 Apr 1850, Hanover, Germany
d. 20 Sep 1935, Gridley, CA

WICKMAN, Frederick b. ca 1882, Sweden
d. 14 Mar 1920, Butte Co., CA

WICKMAN, Henry b. 28 Jan 1868, Germany
d. 8 Oct 1946, Sacramento, CA

WICKMAN, Martha Ann b. 2 Jan 1860, Woodbridge, CA
d. 15 Aug 1935, Gridley, CA

WICKS, Alta May b. 22 Jun 1885, Kansas
d. 24 Jan 1954, Gridley, CA

WICKS, Elmer Elsworth b. 12 Sep 1864, Meridian, Illinois
d. 7 Oct 1935

WICKS, Victoria b. 22 Apr 1881, Kentucky
d. 25 Dec 1937, Gridley, CA

WIGNALL, Donald Burton b. 29 Apr 1924, Biggs
d. 24 Jul 1928, Biggs

WIGNALL, Wm Nelson b. 26 Oct 1884, Payson, Utah
d. 2 Jan 1930, Oroville, CA

WILCOX, Ronald Dean b. 3 Feb 1938, Roseville, CA
d. 22 Oct 1938, Roseville, CA

WILCOX, Samuel Frank b. 2 Mar 1874, Utah
d. 8 Oct 1946

WILKERSON, Charles b. 5 May 1858, Oroville, CA
d. 29 Sep 1937, Gridley, CA

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WILKERSON, Hattie A. b. 24 Jan 1868, Sutter Co., CA
d. 22 Jan 1944, Marysville, CA

WILLIAMS, Ada b. 26 Dec 1862, Gridley, CA
d. 10 Feb 1948, Oroville, CA

WILLIAMS, Andrew J. b. ca 1878
d. June 1920

WILLIAMS, Christina b. 15 Jul 1840, Penn.
d. 21 Mar 1934

WILLIAMS, Christine F. b. 13 Jan 1871, Denmark
d. 3 Jan 1927, Oroville

WILLIAMS, David b. 11 Mar 1843, New York
d. 21 Apr 1928, Gridley, CA

WILLIAMS, David Mallory b. 4 Jul 1864, Ohio
d. 22 Aug 1930, Gridley, CA

WILLIAMS, Donald Ernest b. _____, Mt. Bullion, CA
d. 9 Jul 1941, Richvale, CA

WILLIAMS, Elizabeth K. b. 12 Oct 1889, Kansas
d. 19 Aug 1929, Colton, CA

WILLIAMS, Elsie Merle b. 2 Oct 1892, Live Oak
d. 4 Feb 1940, Live Oak, CA

WILLIAMS, Eien Ezra b. 8 Mar 1886, Texas
d. 28 May 1947, Oroville, CA

WILLIAMS, Emma C. b. _____
d. Oct 1946, Oakland, CA

WILLIAMS, Harry b. _____
d. 9 Jul 1936

WILLIAMS, Ira Abraham b. 24 Dec 1876, Manley, Iowa
d. 21 Jan 1934, Portland, Oregon

WILLIAMS, Joseph Charles b. 19 Aug 1866, Springville, Utah
d. 26 Feb 1954, Gridley, CA

WILLIAMS, Joseph I. b. _____
d. Oct 1937, Dunsmuir, CA

WILLIAMS, Laura Alice b. _____, Glenn Co., CA
d. 12 Oct 1946, Gridley, CA

WILLIAMS, Leslie b. _____
d. Found 30 May 1947

WILLIAMS, Raymond Sylvester b. 27 Aug 1891
d. 20 Jan 1938, Oroville, CA

WILLISTON, Edward P. b. 7 Dec 1878, Pennington, CA
d. 23 Mar 1941, Oroville, CA

WILSON, Andrew b. 17 Aug 1853, Arkansas
d. 11 Dec 1927, Oroville, CA

WILSON, Florence Stella b. 2 Sep 1865, Sabrina, Ohio
d. 13 Jan 1939, Oroville, CA

WILSON, John R. b. 13 Feb 1849, Maryland
d. 30 Mar 1935, Gridley, CA

WATSON, Lewis E. b. 10 Apr 1857, Ohio
d. 6 May 1938, Gridley, CA

WILSON, Norman E. b. 22 Sep 1891, California
d. 25 Dec 1950, Alameda, CA

WILSON, Ray b. 1913, Folsom, CA
d. Dec 1946, Oakland, CA

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WILSON, William Christian b. 6 Oct 1877, Beatrice, Nebraska
d. 4 Feb 1935, Oroville, CA

WILSON, William Thomas b. 12 Nov 1880, Humbolt Co., CA
d. 12 Aug 1951, Oroville, CA

WISER, Baby (premature)

WISER, Baby (female) b. 2 Oct 1930 (stillborn), Oroville, CA

WISER, Edith Ann b. 1 Aug 1874, Illinois
d. 27 Mar 1943, Chico, CA

WISER, Henry C. b. _____, Germany (Hanover)
d. 28 Jul 1931, Gridley, CA

WITHERELL, Andrew b. 14 Jan 1860, Quarts Valley, CA
d. 7 Feb 1925, Biggs, CA

WOELFLIN, Lena b. 2 Dec 1879, Germany
d. 14 Oct 1939, Gridley, CA

WOLFF, William G. b. _____, Kansas (Salinas)
d. 6 Jun 1939, Gridley, CA

WOLRSKILL, Georgia Beatrice b. 17 Nov 1889
d. 12 Dec 1918, Colusa, CA

WOMACK, Gladys Helna b. 26 Mar 1909, CA
d. 15 Mar 1923, Gridley, CA

WOMACK, Martha Ann b. 23 Aug 1852, Ohio
d. 24 Jun 1923, Gridley, CA

WOMACK, Phillip A. b. 10 Nov 1850, Sacramento, CA
d. 10 Jul 1925, Gridley, CA

WOMACK, Infant b. 13 May 1928, Gridley, CA
d. 13 May 1928, Gridley, CA

WOMACK, Virgil Delbert b. 12 Dec 1893, Arkansas
d. 13 Aug 1944, Oroville, CA

WOOD, Frank Farington b. 7 Nov 1871, Honcut, CA
d. 2 May 1940, Gridley, CA

WOOD, William Barney b. 22 Apr 1845
d. 16 Feb 1921, Gridley, CA

WOODWARD, Annie Lewis b. 11 Dec 1888, Spanish Fork, Utah
d. 2 Jun 1939, Oroville, CA

WOODWORTH, Homer Allen b. 19 Jul 1863, Nova Scotia
d. 15 Nov 1945, Gridley, CA

woodworth, Mary Leanette b. 20 Jul 1866, Sutter Creek, CA
d. 15 May 1947, Gridley, CA

WOOLSEY, Rebecca A. b. 29 Jan 1858, Salt Lake City, Utah
d. 24 Jul 1940, Lincoln, CA

WORTH, Janice Arline b. 9 Dec 1937
d. 24 Jun 1938, Oroville, CA

WRIGHT, Alexander, Paul b. 3 Oct _____, Coleman, Texas
d. 25 Dec 1946, Gridley, CA

WRIGHT, Barbara b. 19 Mar 1931, Gridley, CA
d. 21 Mar 1931, Gridley, CA

WRIGHT, Gertrude Y. b. ca 1872
d. 31 Oct 1920, Gridley, CA

WRIGHT, Hulbert Ralstead b. _____, Afton, Iowa
d. 22 Aug 1938

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WRIGHT, Stanley Banford b. 11 Nov 1910, Vernon, Vermont
d. about 26 Sep 1951, Medford, Oregon

WYATT, Elmer b. 10 Jul 1900, Hood River, Oregon
d. 30 Apr 1945, Oroville, CA

YANCEY, Harvey Neal b. 27 Apr 1875, Cherokee Nation, Okla.
d. 10 Feb 1931

YANKEE, Leon b. _____, Missouri
d. 5 Dec 1952, Oroville, CA

YATES, Paul b. 4 Nov 1909, Weatherford, Texas
d. 26 May 1947, Westwood, CA

YORK, General Jackson b. 4 Jun 1875, Alabama
d. 15 Sep 1928, Live Oak, CA

YOSHIOKA, Kimeyo b. 12 Oct 1905, Hawaii
d. 25 Nov 1939

YOU, Wong b. 28 Mar 1860
d. 1 Aug 1920

YOUNG, David Jackson b. 13 Nov 1880, Missouri
d. 17 Jan 1948, Fresno Co., CA

YOUNG, Earnest M. b. 11 Sep 1933, Oroville, CA
d. 23 Jul 1953, Lorea

YOUNG, Eugene Kay b. 15 Sep 1917, Missouri
d. 19 Aug 1945, Sunset Lake, Bridgton, New Jersey

YOUNG, James b. _____, Tenn
d. 19 Oct 1950, Gridley, CA (age 53)

YOUNG, John William b. 28 Dec 1914, Quincy, Missouri
d. 18 Sep 1945, Chico, CA

YOUNG, Margaret Elizabeth b. 14 Feb 1843
d. 8 Apr 1943, Honcut, CA

YOUNG, Minnie W. b. ca 1856, CA
d. c. 12 Feb 1920

YOUNG, Preston b. 4 May 1867, Marion Co., Missouri
d. 11 Oct 1934, Honcut, CA

YOUNG, Ralph R. b. 10 Aug 1851, Yazoo, Mich.
d. 13 Dec 1927, Gridley, CA

YRIGAYEN, Loretta b. 1 Jan 1900, Minnesota
d. 16 Feb 1954, Oroville, CA

ZANG, Peter William, Jr. b. 4 Sep 1886, Germany
d. 30 Oct 1938, Gridley, CA

ZUMWALT, Lois Bernice b. 6 Aug 1930, Live Oak, CA
d. 1 Sep 1930, Live Oak, CA

ZUMWALT, Mary Marie b. 9 Mar 1908, Arkansas
d. 22 Mar 1933, Modesto, CA

ADDITIONAL NAMES

BARKER, Gertrude O. b. 30 May 1890, Sutter Co, CA d. 5 Apr 1920, Gridley, CA	RILEY, Lydia b. 26 Dec 1863, Fairbault, Minn. d. 2 Nov 1938, Gridley, CA
KING, Birdine M. b. 4 Mar 1867, Minn. d. 11 Aug 1919, Los Angeles, CA	RILEY, Raymond Cyrel b. ca 1887 d. 21 Apr 1920, Gridley area, CA
KING, Michael J. b. 25 Dec 1833, Ireland d. 25 Apr 1925, Gridley, CA	SIMPSON, Mary Delila b. 16 Mar 1897, Upshaw, Ala. d. 16 Oct 1936, Gridley, CA

Mrs. Fronia Martha (Scoggin) Smith Story

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After Mr. Smith and I were married, we stayed right there at the hotel in Mr. Smith's room until along in the winter. In the meantime, he had bought a lot of trees and shrubs that he didn't get rid of, so he bought a couple acres about 3/4 of a mile from Pilot Point, facing the school, and set out the plants. He also had a lot of horses he had taken in pay for trees, so he took the horses to St. Louis and sold them. When he came back, he built a house on this place.

He planted silver-leafed maples all around the edge of the place, and in the back planted grape vines. In front of the house were flowers and evergreens, and I thought it was the prettiest place I had ever seen. We also had chickens, a cow, and two horses. After awhile he planted a garden of sweet peas and other flowers. We had a water well in the back of the house next to the back porch; that was the only way we had of getting our water. We didn't have any sink or anything like that then; and we had a wood stove. Everyone said I made the best bisquits, and people used to come down to the house all the time and I would make them some.

We lived there about three years. About that time Pa sold the hotel and went to live about ten miles out on the Sherman Road where there was a big farm. Pa stayed there about two or three years, and raised a lot of corn, and got a lot of hogs. That gave Mr. Smith and Dad the notion of buying a lot of hogs and going West.

Mr. Smith went to the Centennial in Chicago that year. While he was gone I stayed home. There was a negro woman who used to help around the house, and she stayed with me. When Mr. Smith came home he decided to rent our place and move into my father's place. Pa and Mr. Smith were crazy to go into the hog business; so we went up to the Little Colorado in Brown Country. Pa, Mr. Smith, & My brothers Rufe and Henry, drove the hogs to the little Colorado on foot.

My mother and myself drove one wagon with horses. We put up tents

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and camped out at night. The men would have to pen the hogs up each night. We had about 200 of them, and along the way the men put all their money into feeding the hogs, until finally we ran out of money. Most of the pigs then died and we only had a very few left by the time we reached our destination.

No one had to lease land where we went. It was a wild prairie country, and a man by the name of Buck Hannon told us about a claim up the river in a good little valley, so we went there. Buck had just been away out west to kill buffalo and had about two wagons full. He gave us quite a bit of buffalo meat, and it was the finest meat I had ever eaten.

Mr. Smith and I didn't stay there, but Pa and Ma made it their permanent home. Dad was going to farm a little, and because they had traded some hogs for cattle as we went along, he stayed there to go into the cattle business. Mr. Smith and I went on to Austin, and then, after looking around a bit, we went on down to Waco, a big town off the Brazos River, where Mr. Smith got back into his old trade again.

We had ornamental trees, then we put up greenhouses and had flowers, things like that. We would go back up the Colorado River almost every summer to visit the folks when we would sell out most of our stock, and we'd stay there two or three months.

There were quite a few negroes in Waco, and they would take their watches and go to a certain pawn broker there and pawn their watches. This pawn broker would have baskets full of watches and try to sell them. Finally he got the idea of letting Mr. Smith take the watches on his trips and try to sell them. Mr. Smith got half of what he sold them for. Uncle Arthur and Mr. Smith took a trip once and took all the watches up to the soldiers at Fort Concho, and other forts and tried to sell them. Many of the watches were stolen by the people looking at them, and also, on the return trip people tried to steal their money.

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BROPHY I would be most appreciative of any information you could give me regarding John and Mary Brophy who settled in Marysville. John Brophy died December 25, 1966, age 53. He was buried on Mud Creek, Putte County, California. They came from the Iowa country in ca. 1849. John Brophy's son, Charles, born in 1860, had a large ranch in the Yuba City area. Charles had a son, Ben Brophy. Darlene Brophy Sweatt, 1601 Basset Lane, Ventura, CA 93003

CLEMENTS-McDONALD-McDANIEL McDonald & McDaniel found used interchangeably. Would appreciate any information on Clifton Baldwin McDonald, born 1816 in Ohio, married Sarah Jane Clements in 1846 in Kentucky, died 1895 in Indiana. Clifton was a carpenter in Louisville, Ky and Brown City, Ohio. He supposedly studied law in Louisville or St. Louis. In 1849 he and a partner formed a wagon train to gold fields, settled at Rose Bar, Yuba County. He oversaw State Constitution election at Rose Bar in 1851. Clifton returned east to Greene City, Indiana, after Sarah Jane died in 1852. R. Neil McDonald, 522 1/2 line, Arthur, IL 61911

BOLINGER-WILLIAMS-WOLFSKILL Desire information of Nancy Williams who married William Bolinger before 1854 in Yuba County. Nancy died in 1850 or early 1860's leaving two young daughters, Annie and Sarah. Annie and Sarah raised by a Mrs. Chapin in Marysville. Sarah married Joseph Wolfskill of Solono County. Mary E. Thomas, 425 Cirby Way #6, Roseville, CA 95678

WIEMAN-McBURNEY Seeking information on Arnold Wieman, supposed to be living in the Yuba City area in the 1920's. He was born in Pittsburg, Ia. in 1887, his parents were Arnold and Sarah Ellen Dolben McBurney. Ms. Joyce E. Thompson, 3409 Chapin Street, Erie, IA 16508

STEVENSON-COMPTON-POON-WALTON-BURCH-LOHMAN I have solved the lineage for Benjamin Franklin Stevenson, Jr. and Sr., back to the 1700's, and will be delighted to share with any Stevenson researcher. I would like more information on the following, however. Benjamin Franklin Stevenson (1830-1899) married Sarah Ann Compton (1833-1866), a daughter of Richard Compton and Nancy Green. He had three children, Elizabeth J.

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Stevenson (Mrs. Richard Albert Poon) about whom I have some information but I wish to find out about Odelia Carolyn Delia Stevenson, (Mrs. Thomas A. Walton) who lived in Shasta County from 1899 until the 1920's and about Amelia Stevenson, who married Charles W. Burch, and after his death, L.D. Lohman, and resided in Sutter County. R.A. Stevenson, 969 East Nevada Street, Ashland, Oregon 97520

DONALDSON-BOYNTON-METTEER-KNAPP-WRIGHT I would appreciate any information on family of Alexander Donaldson and the family of his son, Allen Baxter Donaldson. Alexander was born in VA in 1794, was in Kanawha Co., VA, ca. 1815, served in War of 1812. Died in Lake Co., CA in 1873. Allen Baxter Donaldson was born in Kanawha Co., VA, in 1823, married, Eliz. S. Threlkeld in Randolph/Perry Co. IL, in 1841. Came to California in 1860 in wagon train with daughter Elizabeth Mary Jane, wife of William T. Boynton. After death of William Boynton in Sutter County in 1863, Mary Jane married Charles Metteer. I would also like information on Silas Smith Knapp, born 1820 in Addison County, VT. Married Adelia Abigail Wright in Berrien Co., MI, in 1864. Came to California about 1870. Annamae Nesmith Berry, 1199 Cooley Rd., Live Oak, CA 95953

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