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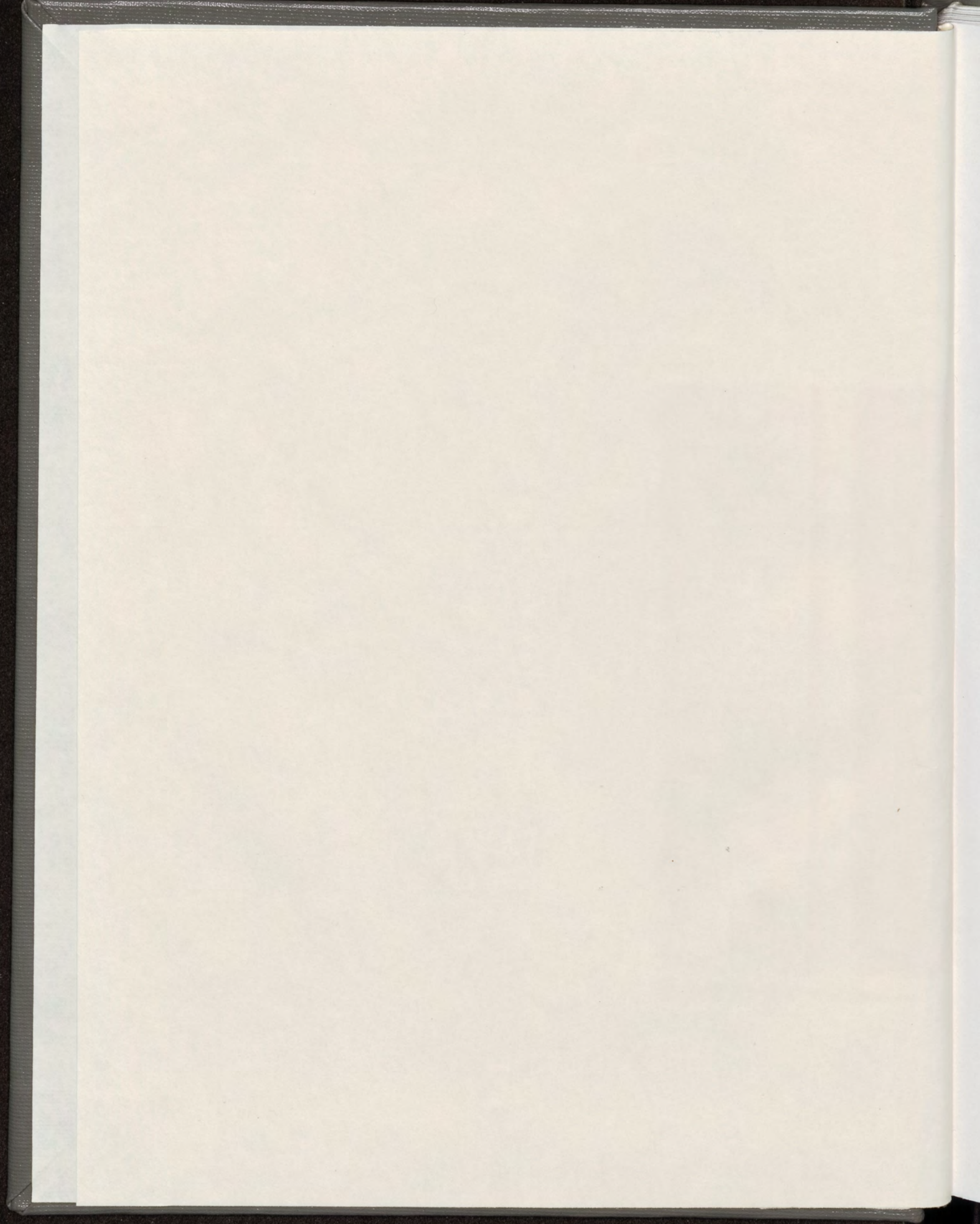
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PREFACE

In 1983 I prepared a book, Some McGlohons-McLawhorns and Worthingtons of Pitt County, North Carolina, in which the children of Lewis McGlohon (McLawhorn) were included (through the early twentieth century), along with other families descended from George and Jeremiah McGlohon in the 1790 Census. I thought I would bring Lewis's family up to date; therefore, when we sent out the letters for the McGlohon-McLawhorn Family Reunion in January of 1993, I requested that those who were interested in having a copy to let me know and all at least to update their family information. I did not have a great deal of response, but I decided to go ahead and do this book for those who were interested.

In the first five chapters (to give the earliest known families and background of our known direct line), I have repeated a lot of the information from the 1983 book. Because of the variations in spelling, I have tried to spell surnames--at least in twentieth century generations--the way that individuals spell them. If your surname is incorrectly spelled, I apologize. Otherwise, I have used the spelling from the records in which I found them or the way they were given to me.

I have used doubled-spaced lines in order for you to make corrections or additions. Thanks to all who did update their family information for me.

Leah McGlohon
September 1993



Leah McGlohon in 1970

ABBREVIATIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

b. -----	born	d. y. -----	died young
bur. -----	buried	dec. -----	deceased
Cem. -----	Cemetery	m. -----	married
d. -----	died	n. m. -----	never married (or unmarried)
dau. -----	daughter	n. c. -----	no children
*DB -----	Deed Book	unm. -----	unmarried
d. i. -----	died in infancy		

*Unless otherwise identified, this abbreviation refers to Pitt County deed books.

NUMBERING SYSTEM

The same numbering system is used throughout. You can tell which generation from the first known person in Pitt County (or North Carolina) that it is by checking the number or letter with the following examples:

I. Second known generation

A. Third generation

1. Fourth generation

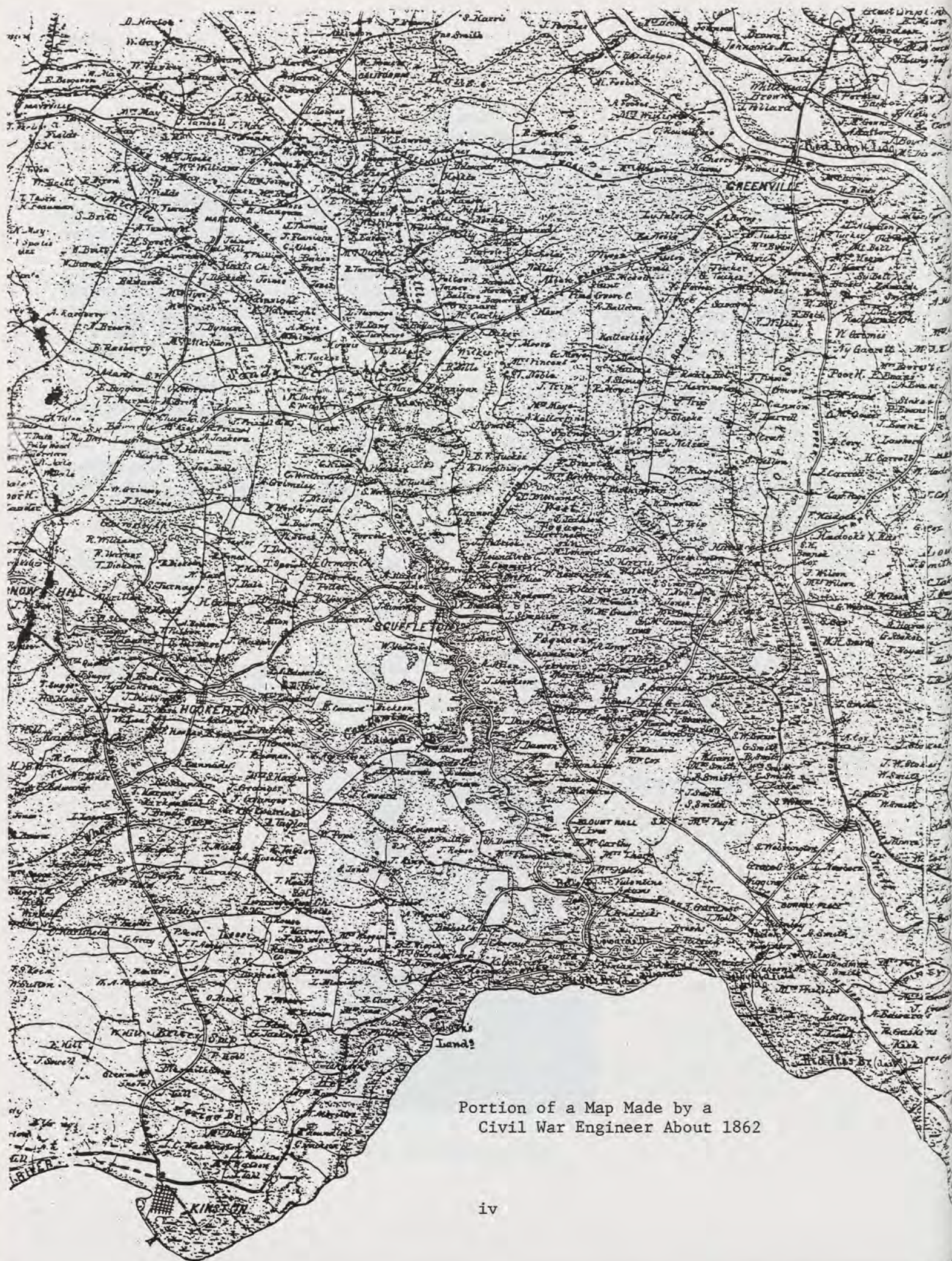
a. Fifth generation

(1) Sixth generation

(a) Seventh generation

aa. Eighth generation

i. Ninth generation



Portion of a Map Made by a
Civil War Engineer About 1862

Chapter 1

THE NAME

When the author began her research on the family genealogy, she thought that she was going to find the correct spelling of the name, since there were variations of spelling in the family with which she claimed kinship. The story in her immediate family (Frederick McGlohon) was that Charles McLawhorn's family changed the spelling when one of the daughters went away to college. The story in Charles's family was that Fred changed it when he served in the North Carolina State Legislature as a representative from Pitt County.

It was not until after the Civil War period that many people could read and write; about seventy percent of the people in North Carolina were illiterate. Charles and Fred's parents could not read and write. Therefore, in those days it depended a great deal upon who was doing the writing as to how it was spelled. The same is still true today unless you spell it for whoever is writing.

However, LaRue McLawhorn Castelloe, daughter of Charles, said that the school diplomas from Winterville High School of the older children in her family have the name spelled "McGlohon." She also spelled the name that way when she went to East Carolina Teachers Training School and when she went to school at Greensboro. When she came home the first time for the holidays while she was at Greensboro, her father told her to change the way she was spelling the name on the records so that all the family would be spelling it alike. She thinks that Professor F. C. Nye, principal, was responsible for their names being spelled "McGlohon" at Winterville High School.

In February of 1993, Gay Thompson wrote to me that she had a book belonging to her grandfather, Dennis Torbet, called Applied Physiology by Frank Overton, an elementary grade health book published in 1898. She said, "Evidently, at the age of nine, my grandfather was still uncertain of how he wanted to spell his name, for on the flyleaf he inscribed it, 'Dennis McLawhorn,' then 'Dennis T. McGlohon's book - Jan. 11, 1904'."

In 1880 Fred witnessed the will of his brother Joseph and signed his name "McGlohon." Joe's name in the will was spelled "McGlohorn." This record proves that Fred had spelled the name "McGlohon" before he served in the Legislature in 1893. Perhaps he had not always been consistent in the spelling until then, but he had spelled it that way before. His family Bible shows variations in spelling. For example, for his birth and marriage the name is spelled "Mcglowhorn" and "Mcglowhon" (perhaps "Mcglawhorn"). At Frederick T.'s birth in 1876, his name is spelled "McLohon"; but with Rosa E.'s birth in 1881, the name is consistently spelled "McGlohon."

Still another story of the spelling change (?) has been told to the writer. Rena McLawhorn Whitehurst related that Mary Ida McLawhorn, daughter of Lorenzo, went to Alabama to teach school. There she met another teacher who spelled her name McGlohon, and she brought the spelling back. Since Ida could not have been teaching before the late 1880's (born in 1872), she could not have been the first of the immediate family to spell it that way (see above).

Lucy Bett Abbott Hunsucker, granddaughter of Lorenzo, thinks that her family began spelling the name McLawhorn when Lorenzo went into business with his brother Charles. Her grandmother Bett kept the books for Lorenzo and she began spelling it that way so that the names would be alike. Her mother, Annie, said that her father, Lorenzo, did not like an "r" in his name.

Since there have been so many spellings of the name, perhaps it was not that the spelling was changed, but that the way of spelling it became established differently in the families.

The author has found nothing thus far that satisfies her as to the origin of the name--whether Irish, Scotch, or Scotch Irish. Since the earliest records in Pitt County do not mention any previous locations for the first McGlohons or McLawhorns located in the records, one can only guess from whence they came. There had been no family tradition as to the origin passed along to the author. A Civics teacher in high school suggested that the name was Scotch Irish.

There are many Scotch and Irish names that look as though they could be the source of the name, but there are none in the various printed directories exactly like the earliest variations found in the records here. The author has seen at least four different coats of arms for the name, which seems to indicate that if you request a coat of arms, you will be sent one regardless of whether there was one for your family or not.

Assuming that the name was Scotch Irish, early in her research, the author wrote to the Chief Herald in Dublin, Ireland, requesting information on the name and giving both spellings: McGlohon and McLawhorn. She was sent an extract from Edward MacLysaght's More Irish Surnames, page 123, which listed the following surnames:

MacALOON - A variant of MacGloin, q. v.
 MacGLOIN, GLONE, GLOON, Mac Giolla Eoin. Belongs to Tyrone
 and Donegal and is quite distinct from MacGlynn.
 (MAC) GLYNN, (Mac) GLENNON, GLENN, MacGLOIN.

An order for a coat of arms from the Sanson Institute of Heraldry in Boston, Massachusetts, brought only a coat of arms with no indication of the spelling of the name from which it came, but which was different from a coat of arms obtained from research by the Education Department of Holmes-Corey, Ltd., in Boston. This report was on the second surname as listed above from More Irish Surnames. The name was Irish patronymic: from Mac Giolla Eoin, a sept associated with Tyrone and Donegal. Spelling variants given were McGlone, McGloon, McGloin, Mac Glohon, MacGloon. The report stated: "the Gaelic language is difficult to pronounce and phonetic spellings of your name lead into many obscure forms which bear little resemblance to your name as you now spell it or to its original Gaelic spelling."

Another coat of arms was selected by Miss Louise Roberts, a heraldry artist from Lexington, South Carolina. She used the surname Mac Coghlan, O'Coughlan (Cohalan) from Edward MacLysaght's Irish Families, pages 82-83. To accompany the coat of arms, she wrote:

This name can be spelled McClogan, McCloghan, McCoughlan also. It was listed in 1629 as Sir John McGlohon. Mc or Mac means "son of." In this name it would mean "son of Glohon." They were mostly a peaceful sept. They contributed in ecclesiastical fields. Some members were bishops in the diocese near the end of the 16th century.

Several years ago the following article by a genealogist was printed in The News and Observer on the name "McLawhorn""

This name presents a problem as it can not be found in any available directories prior to 1790.

The 1790 census lists the spellings Glawhirn in Bertie County and Lawhorn in Cumberland County both in North Carolina and Laughorn in Bedford County, Virginia. These could be English place names acquired from once having lived at Laughern, Temple Laughern or on the bank of the River Laughern in Worcestershire. Laughern is from an Old cornish word lauern (fox). The Scottish prefix Mac (son of) could have been added by some of the above.

The same census lists the spellings McGlahon, McGlauh, Mc-Glawhorn and McGlohon in North Carolina. These names are variant spellings of the Scottish name Mac Labhrainn (son of Lauren--Lawrence in English). This name is pronounced MacLabhrain in Scotland and MacLaurin in England.

The spellings McGlawhorn and McLawhorn are found in North Carolina records at the present time.

A retired colonel from the United States Army, Jerry Dalton House (a descendant of Arthur McGlohon), has also been doing some research on the name. In 1945, while passing through a village near Siegon, Germany, he saw the name "Lawhorne" painted on a general store. He also noted several names of persons in northern Germany with the "horn" ending. From The Surnames of Scotland, page 534, he selected the name "Mac Laren-MacLaran"--which includes McLawran, 1715, "Son of Lawrence"; MacLawrin, McLarine, 1746--and noted that "aran" is generally pronounced as "horn"; for example Strawhorn equals Strowarane or Strawarran.

He also learned that in 1690, there were 13 regiments of German and Danish troops stationed in Ireland. Some of the soldiers remained in Ireland after the fighting ended and married Irish girls. Many of them added the prefix "Mc" to their names.

It is doubtful that records are still available that would enable one to trace the name back to any of these surnames; however, the writer keeps hoping that some records will show up. In the meantime, descendants may choose whichever they like best. The author believes that the Pitt County McGlohons or McLawhorns are related to the first one found in North Carolina records--James McGlohon (Meglohon) in Chowan Precinct of Colonial Albermarle County.

Chapter 2

SOME EARLY MCGLOHONS
OF CHOWAN AND BERTIE

James McGlohon may have been in the Chowan Precinct as early as 1714. James Fleming and his wife Margaret sold to James Meglohan 150 acres of land for 3,000 pounds of tobacco on Arpil 28, 1720. This information is included in a deed when James sold the land. On January 20, 1721, James Maglohan of Chowan Precinct sold to John Welch 150 acres on the southeast side of Blind Neck Branch, joining Stumpy Creek Swamp, Beach Swamp and a little dead pocoson. It was a part of two patents granted to James Fleming, deceased. One was for 600 acres granted on August 7, 1714, and sold by him to James Meglohan (DB C, p. 287). The deed was registered in the Chowan Court on August 24, 1722.

On June 8, 1721, James Meglohan of Chowan Precinct bought 490 acres for 27 pounds sterling money of Great Britain from Moses Foxworth and Martha, his wife, of Chowan Precinct. The land was located on the Indian Town Creek, joining the mouth of Mosses Swamp, the creek, and a pocoson. It was a patent granted to John Jackson on March 4, 1711/12, and by him allowed to elapse for want of being seated and planted and afterwards being granted to Robert Hicks on April 18, 1716. A. D. Cockburne and John Jordan witnessed the deed (DB C, p. 177). This deed was registered on November 11, 1721.

James sold this 490 acres to Francis Ellis on April 16, 1722, for 45 pounds. This deed gives James's occupation as a house carpenter. John Parker was witness to the deed (DB C, p. 290). It was also registered on August 24, 1722.

On July 17, 1723, James Meglohan bought 640 acres for 32 pounds sterling from John Bryan of Chowan Precinct. The land was located on the north side of "Weccacone"; joined that of Francis McLendon, Peter Parker, a branch, and the creek; and included all houses, orchards, etc. William Crawford and Jerem. Glohan were witnesses (DB C, p. 354).

At least seven other deeds were found in abstract in volumes 2-5 of Colonial Bertie County, North Carolina:

1. On February 9, 1726, James MacGlohon bought 317 acres for 25 pounds from William Curlee and his wife, Martha. The land was located on the west side of Canaan Swamp and adjoined that of Edward Bryan Sr. on "Ye Great Branch." Witnesses were Thomas Spiers and Conf. (?) Luten (DB B, p. 231).
2. James McGlohon gave an undetermined amount of land on Wiccacone Swamp and Round Pocoson to James McGlohon on December 5, 1727, "for love and affection I bear James McGlohon son of Jeremiah McGlohon." William Williford, Edward Mashborne, and John Early were witnesses (DB B, p. 372). Evidently James was his grandson.
3. On February 10, 1733, Jeremiah McGlohon bought 100 acres at the lower side of an island on Loosing Swamp from John Glover and his wife, Mary, for 45 pounds. John Bryan and Lewis Bryan were witnesses (DB D, p. 89).

4. James Maglohon bought 200 acres on Wiccacon Swamp and Wiccacon Creek from Joseph Parker of Chowan Precinct for 40 pounds on May 15, 1734. The witnesses were John White Jr. and Nicholas Fairless (DB D, p. 82).
5. On August 5, 1734, Jeremiah Mcglohon bought 100 acres on Loosing Swamp from William McHenry for 50 pounds. The land adjoined that of Robert Evans "along a concluded Line between Henry Bradley and Edward Tidmon..." John Thomas and John Mitchell witnessed the transaction (DB D, p. 142).
6. James McGlohon sold 317 acres for 20 pounds on February 12, 1738, to Elias Stallings of Chowan Precinct. This is identified as the land he bought on February 9, 1726 (No. 1 above). John Wynns and Samuel Allen were witnesses (DB E, p. 387). A son of James evidently married a daughter of Elias Stallings. Elias Stallings's will (Bertie County Wills, C. R. 10.801.1 at State Archives) names a grandson, John McGlauhon (or Mackglohon). The will was dated March 7, 1763.
7. On May 20, 1753, James McGlohon sold 140 acres on Wiccacon Creek to James McGlohon for 3 pounds. "Jeremiah McGlohon Son of Jerimiah MacGlohon deceased of Bertie County--to James McGlohon son of James McGlohon...." Joseph Perry and Thomas Yates were witnesses (DB G, p. 528). The heading of the abstract does not agree with the quote above. The heading as given is "JAMES MCGLOHON, son of Jerimah to JAMES MCGLOHON, son of James" (Vol. 5, p. 328).

James Maglohon was a jurat at the August Court in 1740 (Vol. 4, p. 226).

James Maglauhan Jr. and Malichi Maglauhan are on a 1733 list of early livestock owners of Bertie County. Malachi Maglohon is also on the 1735 list.

One James McGlohon made his will on July 4, 1750, and it was probated on September 4, 1750. His wife was named Margerit. The will mentions sons-in-law: Christopher Hollyman, William Roads, and Samuel Hollyman. Also, a daughter, Alce Meglohon, is named. Witnesses were Wm. Williford, Wm. Rasbuery, and J. Parly. It was proven before Gab. Johnston at Eden House (Grimes, Abstract of North Carolina Wills, p. 246).

There are some estate papers for a James McGlohon in the Bertie County Estate Papers at the State Archives in Raleigh. Two orphans are named in James's estate: John and Sarah. Edmund McGlohon became the administrator on January 25, 1758; and John Howell obtained a guardian bond for John on January 28, 1758. A court order to divide the estate equally between the two children was made on October 2, 175_ (date not clear). Although there was an inventory of the estate for 1750, this may not have been the same James as the one in the will above.

In the 1790 Census there were three by the surname listed in Bertie County: (1) William Glawhorn--1 male, 2 males under 16, 3 females, 2 free persons, and 1 slave; (2) Jno. McGlawhorn--1 male, 2 males under 16, 3 females, and 9 slaves; and (3) Wm. McGlawhorn--1 male, 2 males under 16, 4 females 1 free person, and 1 slave. Of these, only John will be noted.

Most likely he was the same as the orphan son of James noted above. He died before February 10, 1801, because on that date William Turner was appointed guardian of Turner McGlauhon, orphan of John McGlauhon. He had two other

minor children: James and Sarah. From the 1790 and 1800 Census records, it appears that he had four sons and three daughters. John's wife was named Sarah, and she might have been a Turner.

John was a captain in the Revolutionary War. He enlisted on November 28, 1776, and was appointed captain of the 7th Regiment in the North Carolina Brigade. He resigned October 12, 1777 (State Records, Vol. 16, p. 1114, and Vol. 10, p. 944). John lived in Windsor in the 1800 Census.

Hertford County was formed in 1759 from Chowan, Bertie, and Northampton Counties. The McGlohons (and other variations of the name in Hertford) were related to those of Bertie. The 1790 Census lists three: Elisha McGlauh, George McGlauh, and James McGlauh.

Because the same names appear in the early records of the Chowan Precinct and Bertie County that later appear in Pitt--such as Curlee, Jackson, Parker, etc.--the writer believes that descendants of the names migrated to Pitt. Also, the same McGlohon names reoccur here: James, George, John, Luke, etc.

Chapter 3

JOHN MCGLOHON

The name of John McGlohon with various spellings is found in a number of eighteenth century records in North Carolina, but it is impossible to determine how many are the same person since a person living in one county might have owned land or have made transactions in another county. Also, deeds of land in one county are sometimes recorded in another county. In addition, during the period when new counties were being formed, the land in one county might later be in another county.

It is interesting to note that although there were Johns in Pitt and Johnston County records at the time, only two John's are listed in the 1790 Census: Jno. McGlawhorn in Bertie County and John Lawhorn in Fayette District, Cumberland County.

The earliest record of a John was found in the Beaufort and Hyde Precinct. A John Lawhon witnessed the will of Edward Cannon on June 10, 1729. Edward's sons were Edward; Dennis; William; Henry; David; and John, who received his father's plantation (Grimes, Abstract of North Carolina Wills, p. 62). Some of these same Cannon names appear later in Pitt County.

At a Council held at Newbern on April 4, 1745, John Lawhorn was on a list of petitions read for land warrants. John's petition was for 400 acres, and the last county named before the "do" (ditto) was Edgecombe County (Colonial Records, Vol. 4, p. 759). Although there is no record in the Land Grant Office of a land grant for John in Edgecombe County, there was a land grant to John Lawhon of Johnston County for 400 acres on April 20, 1745. Evidently this is the same John, who lived in Edgecombe for awhile and moved to Johnston County.

There are several deeds registered in the Edgecombe County records for John. Edgecombe County was formed from Bertie County in 1741. On February 14, 1745, John Lawhon was a witness to land sold by John Taylor of Edgecombe County to Thomas Horn of Edgecombe. The land, which sold for 15 pounds current money of Virginia, was located on the south side of "Tosneott swamp" (DB 5, p. 452). Several days later, on February 26, 1745, John Lawhon Jr., along with Samuel Williams and Arthur Taylor, witnessed a deed transaction of land located on the south side of the Tar River "above Green's path" from Jacob Braswell of Edgecombe to Joseph John Clinch of Surry County, Virginia (DB 5, p. 523). Note that these deeds occurred shortly before John obtained the land grant in Johnston County on April 20, 1745.

The next record which was found in Edgecombe records states that John Lawhon of Johnston County sold to William Pridgeon (county not identified) on Sept. 21, 1751, for 5 pounds of Virginia currenecy 250 acres on the south side of Tar River, joining Michael D _____ and the river. The land is identified as "a grant to John Lawhon 20 Apr. 1745" (DB 4, p. 260). Although this deed was registered in the Edgecombe County Court Minutes of May 1752, the land was located in Johnston County, which was formed in 1746 from Craven County. Probably there was no court held in Johnston County before 1752, hence the registration in Edgecombe.

Only two other records of the name were found in Edgecombe records. A Charles MacLaughlan (the same name?) witnessed a deed of trust from Patrick McDowall of Edgecombe, merchant, to John Gibson of the City of Philadelphia, merchant, on September 3, 1766, for 650 acres near the Town of Tarborough (DB D, p. 97). The other was a will of Elizabeth Lohon on November 27, 1788, which was probated at the February Court of 1791, in which she left all of her estate to her friend and executor James Coker Jr.

It appears that none of this family remained in Edgecombe County very long, but their record continues in Johnston County until the present. On April 26, 1754, John Lawhon obtained a land grant of 503 acres of land on the south side of Neuse River and both sides of Swift Creek.

Milton Ray Lawhorn of Garner, North Carolina, compiled a book of the Johnston County Lawhorns entitled, Lawhon family, 1742-1977, and Strickland Relations. He completely ignored any names spelled with "Mc." The name of William Lawhon, whose deed transactions he traces from Johnston and Dobbs to Wayne County is the William McGlohon in Wayne County in the 1790 Census. Dobbs County was formed from Johnston County in 1759, and Wayne County was formed in 1787. He very likely remained in the same general area. William Lawhon was the son of one of the John's.

There are a number of deed transactions for John Lawhorn in the Johnston County and Dobbs County records which Milton Ray has not noted in his book; but since no direct connection has been found between them and Pitt County, they are not included here either.

Craven-Pitt County

The earliest record of the name found in Craven County records is a deed to Mary Laughan. On May 7, 1742, George the Second granted Mary Laughan 100 acres of land in Craven County on the south side of Swift Creek between Henry Cannon's and Henry Smith's lands (Land Grant Book 5, p. 428, no. 547, Land Grant Office, Raleigh). In April 1750, Mary Laughon sold this land to Hugh Pugh for 11 pounds. There was then a yearly rent of 4 shillings to the king (Craven Co. DB 1, p. 395). Henry Cannon witnessed the deed.

This land later shows up in the Pitt County deed records. Hugh Pugh Jr. sold the land to John Burney on September 25, 1792, for 135 pounds (Pitt Co. DB M, p. 655). David Smith owned the adjoining land at this time. On September 15, 1801, Lewis Cox Bryan sold the 100 acres plus 50 acres to John Stokes for 375 pounds (DB P, p. 50). These deeds are noted to show that the land was located in present-day Pitt County.

No other records for Mary were found. It is not known whether she was a widow and died shortly after the time she sold the land, or moved on to some other place. She might have been the mother or wife of one of the Johns.

The Craven County Court Minutes for 1767 record an accounts sale of the estate of John McGlaughon, deceased. On Friday, July 10, 1767, an accounts sale of the estate was turned into the court by Richard Cogdell, Esq., late sheriff and ordered to be recorded (p. 39 of the Minutes, C. R. 028.301.11 at State Archives).

There was a Jno. McGlahon on the Beaufort County List of Taxables for 1755.

John Hodge Sr., Jno. McGlahon, Henry Hodges and two negroes were listed together as 3 whites and 3 blacks for a total of 5. This may have been the John of Craven and Pitt whose record follows. John Laughan was listed on the Craven County tax list for 1769 for one white tax. Three deeds for land have been located for John.

On July 3, 1762, John McGlaughon bought 100 acres of land on the north side of Little Contentnea Creek for 20 pounds from Abel Deal of Craven County. This land joined that of Peter Manners, Levin Alderson, and a tract taken up and patented by Joseph Jackson on July 7, 1750. Since it was in King George III's reign, he had to pay the yearly quit rent of four shillings proclamation money (Craven Co. DB 11, p. 97).

On November 14, 1771, John Glawhon got a land grant in Craven County for 100 acres on the east side of Little Contentnea Creek joining Alderson's and Jackson's lands and "including his own improvement" (Land Grant Book 22, p. 348, in Land Grant Office, Raleigh).

On December 30, 1777, John Maglohorn of Craven County bought one plantation or tract of land containing 100 acres from Samuel Pope of Dobbs County for 60 pounds proclamation money. This land, which was a part of a patent formerly granted to Joseph Jackson, was on the north side of Little Contentnea Creek joining Thomas Philips's corner. John Rountree and Jeremiah Maglohorn were witnesses (Craven Co. DB 23, p. 55).

John Megahorn was on the tax list for Pitt County in 1786 for 300 acres of land, 3 white polls, and 1 horse. The three deeds noted above could account for the 300 acres of land on the tax list.

On March 24, 1787, John McGlohon bought a negro girl named Fan, 17 years old, for 42 pounds from Mary Cannon and Caleb Cannon. The negro was given to Mary by Jacob Blount, her uncle (Pitt Co., DB N, p. 95).

On June 9, 1789, John McGlohon bought goods for 20 pounds from George Trulock. The goods consisted of 1 feather bed and furniture, 1 linen wheel, 1 woolen wheel, 2 chests, and 6 pewter plates. Jeremiah McGlohon and Luke McGlohon were witnesses (Pitt Co. DB N, p. 95).

Who was the Luke who witnessed this deed? He could not have been George's son Luke. Was he John's son or John's brother? This is the only record of his name in the Pitt County records. It could not have been the Luke of Hertford County because his age in the 1850 Census was given as 58. Evidently, the Luke who witnessed the deed moved on or died. There is a Luke McGlaughorn listed in the Jefferson County, Georgia, Census for 1830, but his name was not found in the earlier census records for Georgia.

The 1786 tax list would indicate that John had two sons at least 16 years old, or at least two males other than himself in his household. However, a land grant for 98 acres, which George McGlohon bought on January 20, 1785, states that the land adjoined the lands of George McGlohon, Jeremiah McGlohon, and John McGlohon. The land was not surveyed until 1801 (Grant Book L., p. 105, Pitt Co.). Since John, George, and Jeremiah had land at this time, one wonders why John was the only one on the tax list. Also, no record was found as to how George and Jeremiah obtained the land. Perhaps the fact that the land was not surveyed until 1801 could account for the description that is given. At that time George had the land he bought from John in 1798.

According to one story heard, three brothers came over and settled in Craven County. Why do the legends always have three brothers? If Luke is included, and they were brothers, there would have been four. The writer believes that the family had an earlier colonial beginning in North Carolina than this generation. If they were brothers, they might have been sons of the John who died about 1767.

Two other land transactions were found for John in the Pitt County deeds. On April 27, 1798, he sold 200 acres for 100 pounds to Jeremiah McGlohon. The land was part of a patent formerly granted to Joseph Jackson Sr. William Broom and George McGlohon witnessed the transaction (DB 0, p. 207). On the same day he sold 200 acres for 100 pounds to George McGlohon, and William Broom and Jeremiah McGlohon were witnesses (DB 0, p. 215).

John died about 1800 or 1801. William Broom, executor for John McGlohon, deceased, sold David Clark two negroes for 280 pounds on May 5, 1801. Robert Cannon was the witness (DB 0, p. 526). No other deeds for this estate were found, probably because he had sold all of it to George and Jeremiah. The executor's record was probably lost in the courthouse fire of 1858.

Chapter 4

GEORGE MCGLOHON FAMILY

GEORGE MCGLOHON is the first ancestor of the writer who can be identified with certainty. Because John McGlohon sold the same amount of land to George and Jeremiah McGlohon for the same price on the same day (DB 0, p. 207 and p. 215), George and Jeremiah may have been the sons of John. It is also possible that the three were brothers.

George's name first appears in Pitt County records for a land grant in 1785. In the 1790 Census his household consisted of three females; so he probably had two daughters at this time. From the census records it would appear that he was probably married twice and had 3 daughters and 6 sons--3 sons by the second wife. The oldest female in the 1810 Census was over 45 years old; the oldest in the 1820 Census was between 26 and 45. If he was married twice, his second wife was named MARY--identified in a deed to Thomas and a marriage record of Aaron. In the 1840 Census Mary Lawhorn was between 50 and 60 with one male 15-20 years old.

According to Mary McGlohon Smith's records of the family, Luke McGlohon's mother was a Stocks. George died about 1831; and Mary died August 7, 1844, if she is the Mary McLawhon (he consistently spelled the name this way in his records) on a list J. L. Jackson copied from an old notebook at Ed Harrington's near Grifton and Hanrahan. Mary might have been a Harrington and somehow related to Moses Harrington whose name is noted in some of the deeds.

A number of deed transactions were found for George in the Pitt County deed books and are abstracted.

Grant Book L, p. 105--On Jan. 20, 1785, George McGlohon bought 98 acres of land on the east side of Little Contentnea Creek adjoining the lands of George McGlohon, Jeremiah McGlohon, and John McGlohon (patent) from the State of North Carolina for 10 pounds. The land was not surveyed until Oct. 6, 1801. Sherw. Hines was the surveyor and Thomas Cannon and Caleb Cannon were chain-bearers.

DB N, p. 151--On Apr. 11, 1795, George Macglohon sold a 15-year-old negro girl named Minty to John Frizzle for 95 pounds. C. Jenkins and Jesse Rountree were witnesses.

DB 0, p. 215--George McGlohon bought 200 acres from John McGlohon for 100 pounds on April 27, 1798. The land was located on the north side of Little Contentnea adjoining Joseph Jackson and Jeremiah McGlohon (patent) and was two patents formerly granted to John McGlohon. The witnesses were Wm. Broom and Jeremiah McGlohon.

DB 0, p. 534--On Feb. 7, 1801, George McGlowhon bought a total of 375 acres (several tracts), formerly owned by John Curlee, from Thomas Cannon for 500 silver dollars. Located on the east side of the west prong of Swift Creek and Cypress Swamp, one of the tracts adjoined Thomas Braxton's and Paul Herrinton's lands; and another adjoined Paul Dail and Helens (Helling?) line. Caleb Cannon and John Stocks were witnesses.

DB P, p. 186--On Feb. 15, 1802, George McGlohon sold the 200 acres purchased from John McGlohon (Pat. 1771) to John Jackson for \$700. Shadrack Jackson was the witness.

DB P, p. 412--George McGlohon bought a negro on Mar. 2, 1803, for 146 pounds from William Moyer, administrator for David Clark. Hardy Johnson and Joel Moyer witnessed the transaction.

DB Q, p. 90--On Oct. 4, 1803, George McGlawhon bought 41 acres for an undetermined amount from Thomas Cannon adjoining John Deal and John Curlee. John Stocks and Sherard Hines were witnesses.

DB Q, p. 91--In Jan. 1804 George McGlawhon bought from Thomas Braxton and Hemrick Braxton 50 acres adjoining Ephraim Herrington and Sherard Hines for \$50.

DB S, p. 348--George McGlohon sold a negro on Aug. 15, 1811, to John Cannon for \$150. Sarah Hines and Sherwood Hines were witnesses.

DB BB, p. 234--On Oct. 9, 1817, George McGlohon bought 12-1/2 acres on the east side of Swift Creek adjoining Ringold land and McGlohon's corner from James Ringold for 10 pounds. Sherw. Hines and John Ringold witnessed the transaction.

DB EE, p. 154--On Dec. 4, 1819, George Meglohon sold to "Looky Lohon, his son," 124 acres on the east side of Swift Creek and the north side of Cedar Swamp adjoining Jn. Helling for 100 pounds. William Rountree and David Knight were witnesses. (This was Luke.)

DB BB, p. 323--On Dec. 11, 1819, George Meglohon sold to John Meglohon, his son, 5 acres on the east side of Swift Creek and west side of "the great slash" adjoining Samuel Cannon, John Duts, and Ephraim Herrington for 120 pounds. William Rountree and Jonathan McGlohon were witnesses. (This was probably 75 acres. See DB CC, p. 476.)

DB DD, p. 231--On Oct. 18, 1824, George gave to "my beloved son Thomas McGlohon" for natural love and affection a tract of land containing 100 acres on Swift Creek adjoining Moses Herrington and Cannon's corner. This land was part of the tract of land on which George lived. He excepted the use and privilege of the cleared land during his life and also during the life of his wife, Mary McGlohon. Moses Herrington and Noah Bedford were witnesses.

In 1975 a copy of an original deed concerning the estate of George McGlohon was obtained from Mrs. R. L. (Rachel) Lewis of 1302 Castle Street, Wilmington, North Carolina. The deed had been registered in Deed Book FF, page 318; but this book was lost in the 1858 fire of the Pitt County Courthouse. On Feb. 8, 1832, Sheriff James L. Clark sold at public auction 280 acres of land which had descended to the heirs of George McLaron, deceased, to Moses Herrington for \$300. One third of the land was excepted during the lifetime of Mary McLaron, widow of George, as her dower. Those named in the deed were William English and his wife Eliza, Isaac Turner and his wife Fanny, Nancy McLaron, Luke McLaron, Thomas McLaron, and other heirs of George McLaron. (See Appendix A for a copy of the deed.) John is not named. He must have been dead at this time, or he might have moved away and thus was included in the "other heirs." The three younger sons would have been minors.

Definite proof of five of George's children is given in the deeds noted above. The deed to John names him as a son. The marriage record of Aaron McGlohon and Mary Frances Harris gives his parents as George and Mary. That leaves only Jeremiah and Harvey with no record of proof. J. L. Jackson's records name them as George's sons; and Bertha Dail Griffin, a granddaughter of Harvey, called Frederick McGlohon, grandson of Luke, "Cousin Fred."

The record of George's children follows:

- I. ELIZA MCGLOHON--m. WILLIAM ENGLISH. The only English family in the 1850

Census of Pitt County is an Elizabeth English, 57, the head of household No. 106. The age would be too young; however, ages are not always given correctly and sometimes are not easy to read. Elizabeth Craft, 30, and James Craft, 15, are listed in this household.

- II. FANNY MCGLOHON--m. ISAAC TURNER. No further record was found. They are not in the 1850 Census; however, there is a George Turner, 26, a laborer, who was living in house No. 141 with Josiah Willoughby, 24, a farmer.
- III. NANCY MCGLOHON--b. before 1800. She was named in the deed of sale of George's land above in 1832. On January 21, 1834, a Nancy McGlohon made a deed of gift to her son HENRY MCGLOHON of the following: "one feather bed and bedstead & furniture one chest one Iron pot one spider one fruter dish one do earthern one saw one woolen wheel & cards one note of hand against Luke McGlohon and Benjamin Stocks for \$92.00 Interest from 1832 & one loom...with the exception...of the use of the above articles to myself during my natural life" (DB GG, p. 300). The deed was witnessed by C. J. Rountree and Caleb Cannon. If this is the same Nancy, she either was not married or married another McGlohon. Neither Nancy or Henry are in the 1850 Census of Pitt County, nor a previous census, as a head of a household. The Nancy of the deed could have been the widow of another related McGlohon.
- IV. JOHN MCGLOHON--In the 1820 Census his household consisted of 2 males under 10, 1 male 26-45, 1 female under 10, and 1 female 16-26. On Dec. 11, 1819, his father sold him 5 (?) acres of land for 120 pounds (DB BB, p. 323). On Jan. 31, 1823, the land (75 acres) of John McLahone, which was said to be mortgaged to Charles Jenkins, was sold by James Sheppard, sheriff, for \$94.15 to pay debt to W. Hanrahan after John lost suit against him. The land adjoined Samuel Cannon, John Deal, and Ephraim Herrington (DB CC, p. 476). He witnessed a deed from Thomas McGlohon to Moses Harrington on Mar. 18, 1826. No further record was found. He either died or moved out of the county before the 1830 Census.
- V. LUKE MCGLOHON--d. May 1850 after 14 days of an unknown illness. The 1850 Mortality Schedule gave his age as 47; but the tombstone record says that he was about 60, which may be more nearly correct. He married MARY (MOLSEY) BRAXTON. See the chapter on his family.
- VI. THOMAS MCGLOHON--b. about 1795 and died after 1881. His name might have been James Thomas. The name in the 1870 Census appears to be James. He married SARAH, who was 55 in the 1850 Census and died before the next census. She might have been a Kittrell. A John Allen Kittrell, 16, a laborer, was listed in their household in 1850 and might have been her relative.

Four deeds, plus one unrecorded one, were found for Thomas. However, there must have been others which have not been found, since these showed that he sold more than he received.

On Oct. 19, 1824, Thomas McGlohon was given 100 acres of land on Swift Creek adjoining Moses Herrington and Cannon's corner by his father (DB DD, p. 231).

On Jan. 5, 1826, Thomas McGlohorn sold 12 acres of land to Luke McGlohorn for \$30. The land, situated on the south side of Cedar Swamp, was part of the land George deeded to Thomas. Moses Herrington witnessed the transaction. This deed was never recorded. Mrs. R. L. Lewis of Wil-

mington had the original in 1975.

On Mar. 18, 1826, Thomas McGlohon sold 40 acres on the east side of the west prong of Swift Creek adjoining George McGlawhorn, Herrington's corner, and Hillary Cannon to Moses Harrington for \$125. Luke McGlohon and John McGlohon were witnesses (DB DD, p. 251).

Thomas McGlohon sold 47 acres--"...the tract of land whic I the Said Thomas Meglorhorne give in a deed intrust to Charles Green trustee dated the 26th day of May 1832 to Satisfy certain claims which the Said Moses Harrington held against me..."--on the east side of the west prong of Swift Creek adjoining the lands of Benjamin Tripp, Moses Harrington, and near the dwelling house of Marah Meglorhorn to Moses Harrington for \$105 on Feb. 14, 1845. Joseph Ringgold and John W. Harper were witnesses (DB LL, p. 347).

On Mar. 10, 1881, Thomas McLawhorn and William M. Benson and his wife Martha Ann Benson sold to Isaac A. Sugg for \$10 a tract of 100 acres adjoining E. C. Carmon, Craven Sumrell, John Pearce, Ben McLawhorn, Jerry McLawhorn, Biggs Herrington, Thomas McLawhorn and Martha Ann Benson, it "being 2/3s of the land known as the Thomas McLawhorn tract" (DB L4, p. (267)). Martha Ann was Thomas' daughter.

Thomas and Sarah had three daughters.

- VII. JEREMIAH MCGLOHON--b. Oct. 29, 1818. On January 28, 1844, he married SUSAN ELIZABETH ELLIS (b. Jan. 28, 1824; d. May 1, 1899, bur. Sumrell-McLawhorn Cem., as named by St. Amand), the daughter of Elezazar Ellis and Nancy Bonner Blount. Jeremiah was active in the Hancock Baptist Church. Sometime between 1830 and 1840, the church split over the missions question; but the two groups used the same building until about 1867. In October 1852 "Jeremiah McLohon" was ordained as a deacon of the church, most probably the missionary faction. When the missionary faction was reconstituted in 1881, he was a member of the church, known as Antioch Baptist Church and located about one mile south of Winterville. The church was later moved into Winterville and renamed Winterville Missionary Baptist Church.

Since there were a number of Jeremiahs, it is somewhat difficult to distinguish who is who in the deed records; therefore, no attempt has been made to trace his deed transactions. However, he was a farmer and owned some land. He also served as a commissioner in Pitt County. He died on August 11, 1894, and was buried in the Sumrell-McLawhorn Cemetery on rural road No. 1112 west of Ayden. His name is spelled "McGlohon" on his tombstone. Jeremiah and Susan had four daughters and six sons.

- VIII. HARVEY EDWARD MCLAWHORN--b. Apr. 3, 1821; d. Feb. 26, 1901; about 1849 m. NANCY EDWARDS (b. Dec. 11, 1831; d. Aug. 23, 1898), who may have been the dau. of John Edwards and Elizabeth Tull.

Harvey was a farmer and owned land on Hencoop Swamp in Pitt County. In 1850 his property was valued at \$118, and he owned one slave. No attempt has been made to trace all of his deed transactions, but on June 24, 1854, Harvey McGlohon bought 131 acres east of Hencoop Swamp and in the fork of the said swamp adjoining Rountree's corner, Jonathan McGlohon's land, and C. Rogers line for \$275 from Menan Powell (DB 00, p. 59). The land was known as Lot No. 2 in the division of the lands of James Powell, deceased. William Forrest and William B. Hartsfield witnessed the deed. He sold part of this land to Jonathan McGlohon. On July 17, 1869, Jonathan McGlohon Sr. sold to Jeremiah McGlohon Jr. 20

acres, "known as land that the said Johathan McGlohon sen. bought of Harvy Meglohon" (DD TT, p. 196). This Jonathan McGlohon was the son of Jeremiah McGlohon, who was perhaps the brother of George. The senior might have been attached to distinguish him from Johnathan, the son of Luke, since he did not have a son named Jonathan.

In 1876 the family moved from Pitt County and settled in Craven County near Vanceboro. Harvey and Nancy had 13 children--8 daughters and 5 sons.

- IX. AARON MCGLOHON--b. Jan. 1824; d. 1904; m. 1st PRISCILLA WORTHINGTON, dau. of Robert A. Worthington and Sarah _____; on Apr. 19, 1866, m. 2nd, MARY JACKSON, dau. of Boulden and Fanny Jackson; on Jan. 5, 1875, m. 3rd, MARY FRANCES HARRIS (b. Mar. 28, 1841; d. Dec. 12, 1924, bur. Jackson Cem. near Littlefield), dau. of Guilford Harris and Catherine Jackson. Aaron's land, 137-1/2 acres in Contentnea Township, was divided among his heirs on Oct. 14, 1904. Priscilla and Aaron had five children (1 son and 4 daughters); Mary and Aaron, one (daughter); and Mary Frances and Aaron, six (3 daughters and 3 sons).

Chapter 5

LUKE MCGLOHON FAMILY

LUKE MCGLOHON was probably the fifth child of George McGlohon and _____ Stocks (?). It is difficult to determine whether he or Thomas was the elder since Luke died before the census records gave any ages by single years. He died in May 1850 after 14 days of an unknown illness. The 1850 Mortality Schedule gave his age as 47; but the tombstone record (Pitt County Gravestone Records, Vol 2, p. 52) states that he was about 60. If 47 was his correct age, then Thomas was older. Sixty is probably nearer being correct.

He married MARY (MOLSEY) BRAXTON (?), dau. of John and Hannah Braxton (?), probably early in 1821. According to Mary McGlohon Smith's records, Molsey was a Braxton, the daughter of Lacy Braxton and the sister of Council Braxton. However, on the death certificate of her daughter Louisa McGlohon Byrd her name is given as MARY STOCKS. Louisa's husband gave the information and should have known Mary's maiden name. If she was a Braxton and Council was her brother, the Hannah Braxton (aged 73) in the next household to Council in the 1850 Census might have been her mother.

The only record found of Lacy Braxton was as a free holder on the jury that made the division of the land for the dower of Elizabeth Stocks, widow of Benjamin Stocks, on Nov. 25, 1834 (DB GG, p. 350-51). He is not listed in any of the census records of Pitt County. John Braxton was also on the list of free holders. Elizabeth Stocks was the daughter of Noah Tison. Since the name of Benjamin Stocks appears in several records with Luke, it seems that they were probably related in some way.

Both Luke and Mary are buried in what some call the Byrd Cemetery (named Carroll-Cox by St. Amand) located on the road numbered 1131 (now named Reedy Branch Road) southwest of Winterville. Since Luke's is the oldest known grave, it should be named Luke McGlohon Cemetery. Hereafter, however, it will be referred to as the Byrd Cemetery. A. C. C. Braxton and a C. C. Braxton Jr. are also buried in this cemetery; however, this was Christopher Columbus (Tip) Braxton.

Mary's tombstone record by St. Amand gives only the information that she died in September at the age of 73. She was 45 in the 1850 Census and 65 in the 1870 Census. Therefore, she was born about 1805 and died in September 1878.

A number of deed transactions were found for Luke and are abstracted:

DB DD-EE, p. 154--On Dec. 4, 1819, Luke ("Looky Lohon, his son") bought 124 acres on the east side of Swift Creek and the north side of Cedar Swamp adjoining Jn. Helling from George Meglohon for 100 pounds. William Rountree and David Kight were witnesses.

DB DD-EE, p. 156--On Jan. 22, 1821, Look McGlohon sold the 124 acres he bought from his father above to Cullen Tripp for 200 pounds. Witnesses were Spier Witherington and Ophinia Tripp.

On Jan. 5, 1826, Luke McGlohorn, bought 12 acres of land from Thomas McGlohorn for \$30. The land, situated on the south side of Cedar Swamp, was part of the land George deeded to Thomas in 1824 (DB DD, p. 231). Moses Her-

ington witnessed the transaction. This deed was never recorded. Mrs. R. L. Lewis of Wilmington had the original in 1975.

DB GG, p. 301--On Jan. 15, 1833, Luke McGlohon bought from Benjamin Stocks 53 acres on the east side of Swift Creek adjoining the lands of Abram Cannon, John Stocks, and Joseph Ringgold for \$188. Joseph Ringgold and Roderick Carroll were witnesses.

DB II, p. 269--On July 16, 1840, Luke McLaughorn mortgaged the 53 acres above ("one tract of land on which Luke McLawhorn now lives") plus 1 bay horse (15 years old), 1 sorrel mare (3 years old), 3 sows and 18 shoats, household and kitchen furniture. McK. W. H. Sumrell paid 10 shillings for the deed of trust for the benefit of Wm. Bernard, who had two notes against Luke for \$64.78 and \$20.65 on Mar. 27, 1839, and one note against Thomas McLaughon for \$86.90 on Mar. 23, 1835, for which Luke stood security. Samuel Bell witnessed the transaction. (Note: No record has been found as to what happened to the mortgage, whether it was paid off or defaulted. In any event, Luke was able to purchase more land in 1842.)

DB MM, p. 387--On Sept. 15, 1842, Luke McGlawhorn bought from James Ringgold 406 acres on the east side of the west prong of Swift Creek adjoining Arthur Tripp and Joseph Ringgold, Cedar Swamp, Hellings corner, Hardee Tripp, Benjamin Tripp, Phelix Braxton, Edith Tucker, Spier Wetherington, Roderick Carroll, and Luke McGlawhorn for \$500. Alfred Stocks and Ira Evans were witnesses. (This deed was not registered until the May term of Court 1850, probably after Luke's death.)

DB MM, p. 465--On Dec. 21, 1850, Lewis McGlawhorn, administrator for Luke McGlawhorn, deceased, sold 284 acres to Benjamin Tripp for \$401. This was the land Luke bought from Joseph Ringgold. Willie Nobles and J. C. Albritton were witnesses.

DB MM, p. 520--On Dec. 21, 1850, Lewis McGlawhorn, administrator of Luke McGlawhorn, deceased, exposed to public sale the estate's right in the dower laid off to Mary McGlawhorn, widow, who was the last and highest bidder at \$28.00. Simon P. Nobles witnessed the deed.

DB VV, p. 344--Jan. 1, 1870, Mary McGlohorn gave to her daughters, Arcena McGlohon and Louiza McGlohon, 70 acres adjoining G. B. Ellis, lines of Lacy McGlohon, B. F. Stocks, and Sarah Nelson.

Luke and Mary had at least eleven children--six sons and five daughters. Their records follow.

A. LEWIS MCGLOHON--b. Dec. 29, 1821; d. Oct. 27, 1901, bur. in a cemetery on his farm on road No. 1126 west of Winterville (hereafter called McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.); m. MARTHA ANN (PATSY) WORTHINGTON (b. June 1, 1829; d. Nov. 3, 1892, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), dau. of Spier Worthington and Rebecca McGlohon (or Loving?). See the chapter on his family.

B. JOHNATHAN MCGLOHON--b. about 1825 (25 in 1850 Census); d. about 1892. T. J. McLawhorn was appointed administrator for a Johnathan McLawhorn on Mar. 9, 1892 (Exr. Book 1, p. 389). He married SUSAN (SUKIE) WORTHINGTON, listed as 19 years old in the 1850 Census, daughter of Robert A. Worthington and Sarah (Sally).

Two deed transactions are noted. On May 12, 1881, Jonathan McGlawhorn bought 200 acres for \$1,000 from Samuel Cory and his wife, George Ann S. Cory. The land, known as the Beddard land, was located on Long Branch on the south side of Tar River adjoining the land of Jerry Worthington (DB A4, p. 526). He defaulted on the payments of the mortgage; therefore, the land was sold at the courthouse on Apr. 5, 1884, to Harry Skinner for \$1,300 (DB L4, p. 137). There may have been other deeds.

Johnathan and Sukie had at least five sons and five daughters.

- C. ELIZABETH MCGLOHON--23 in 1850 Census. No further record.
- D. LACY (or LACEY) MCGLOHON--21 in 1850 Census; n. m. As all of his family, Lacy was a farmer. On Dec. 3, 1853, he bought 160 acres of land, located on the south side of Tar River near "Miery Branch" adjoining his mother's line, from William L. Stocks for \$400. H. Sheppard witnessed the transaction (DB 00, p. 604).

On Jan. 27, 1863, he enlisted in the Civil War as a private in Company I, 44th Regiment. He died in the war. Louis McGlawhorn was appointed administrator (Book Exr-1, p. 64) of his estate on Feb. 15, 1873. Lewis McGlawhorn sold the 160 acres "known as Lacy McGlawhorn land" to Lorenzo McGlawhorn and his wife Elizabeth for \$613 (DB P3, p. 97).

- E. NANCY MCGLOHON--b. about 1830 (20 in 1850 Census); d. in 1860's; m. LEWIS CANNON. Mary McGlohon Smith's records state that she married a White, but it was her daughter who married the White. The death certificate of Erastus Cannon gives his mother's name as Nancy McLawhorn.

Louis H. Mandarin in North Carolina Troops, 1861-1865: A Roster, gives the following account of the Civil War record of Lewis Cannon, who was in Company G, 8th Regiment:

Born in Pitt Co, where he resided as a laborer prior to enlisting in Pitt Co. at age 44, Aug. 28, 1861, for the war. Captured at Roanoke Island on Feb. 8, 1862, and paroled at Elizabeth City on Feb. 21, 1862. Exchanged in Aug. 1862. Present or accounted for until he deserted on Nov. 24, 1862. Rejoined the company on Jan. 29, 1863, but deserted again at Kinston on Feb. 7, 1864. Rejoined the company prior to June 1, 1864, when he was wounded in the left leg and captured at Cold Harbor, Va. Hospitalized at Washington, D. C., until released on July 5, 1865, after taking the Oath of Allegiance.

Evidently he died soon after he was released because his grandson, Richard Erastus Cannon, said that his grandfather died in the Civil War. Nancy and Lewis had seven children--five sons and two daughters.

- F. JACKIE ANN MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 13, 1832; d. Nov. 8, 1910, bur. Byrd Cem.; m. 1st THOMAS TRIPP (b. Aug. 7, 1828; d. Oct. 7, 1882, bur. Byrd Cem.; C. S. A. Pvt., Company E, 67th Regiment, enlisted Jan. 15, 1863), son of Benjamin Tripp and Jutry Cannon; m. 2nd, on Jan. 18, 1888, ALLEN CRAWFORD, 80 years old, son of James and Sophey Crawford. Nancy Dail Heath, her granddaughter, said that she did not live with him long. Jackie Ann Crawford made her will on Jan. 1, 1906, and it was probated on Jan. 21, 1911. She left her land, located "on the north side of the lane leading from the Kinston Road to Swift Creek," to her daughter Sarah F. Cannon during her lifetime and then to Sarah's children. She left her daughter Geamsey Dail a large wash pot, and she willed Heber Tripp one feather bed, bolsters, and pillows. Heber was not her natural son, but he may have been a grandson.

Jackey Ann and Thomas had three daughters.

- G. CHARLES MCGLOHON--b. about 1836; n. m. Charles enlisted in C. S. A. on Aug. 17, 1861, at the age of 24. He was a private in Company G, 8th Regiment. He died at Roanoke Island on Oct. 13, 1861--the cause of

death was not reported.

- H. ARCENA MCGLOHON--b. Jan. 1837 (1900 Census); d. Feb. 1912, bur. Byrd Cem.; n. m. She is remembered as having a large external goiter. Arcena was given a half interest in 70 acres of land by her mother on Jan. 1, 1870 (DB VV, p. 344). On Mar. 18, 1884, Arcena McGlohon, Benjamin Byrd, and his wife Louisa sold one acre of land adjoining the land of Richard McGlohon to Richard McGlohon and Amos G. Cox for \$20. John C. Cox was the witness (DB G4, p. 86). When the Wilmington and Weldon Railroad Co. wanted to build a branch line through the area, Arcena sold a 135-foot right of way to the company for \$1.00 and the privileges that having the railroad would bring (DB D5, p. 57, Feb. 28, 1890). On May 5, 1892, she sold her half undivided interest in the land to B. S. Byrd for \$120 and an annual payment of \$5 for life (DB G5, p. 496).

- I. LUKE MCGLOHORN--b. Mar. 21, 1839; d. Aug. 9, 1911, bur. Luke McGlohorn Cem. (as named by St. Amand, but also called Manning Cem.) on rural road No. 1116 west of Bethany Free Will Baptist Church; C. S. A. Private in Company D, 3rd Regiment, enlisted July 15, 1862; m. 1st BETTIE A. E. (RITTY) MANNING (b. June 11, 1830; d. Nov. 22, 1898, bur. Luke McGlohorn Cem.), dau. of Linington and Andrilla Manning; m. 2nd, on Mar. 7, 1899, MARY C. WORTHINGTON SPEIGHT (49 when m.; d. Feb. 8, 1931, bur. Family Cem.), dau. of Gideon Worthington and Nancy Harper. Luke and Ritty had at least 4 children, but none lived to be very old. All were buried in the family cemetery.

Luke was a Free Will Baptist minister. In addition to the churches he served as pastor, he was active in the work of the conference. In the late 1890's and early 1900's, he served on the board of directors of the Free Will Baptist Press in Ayden.

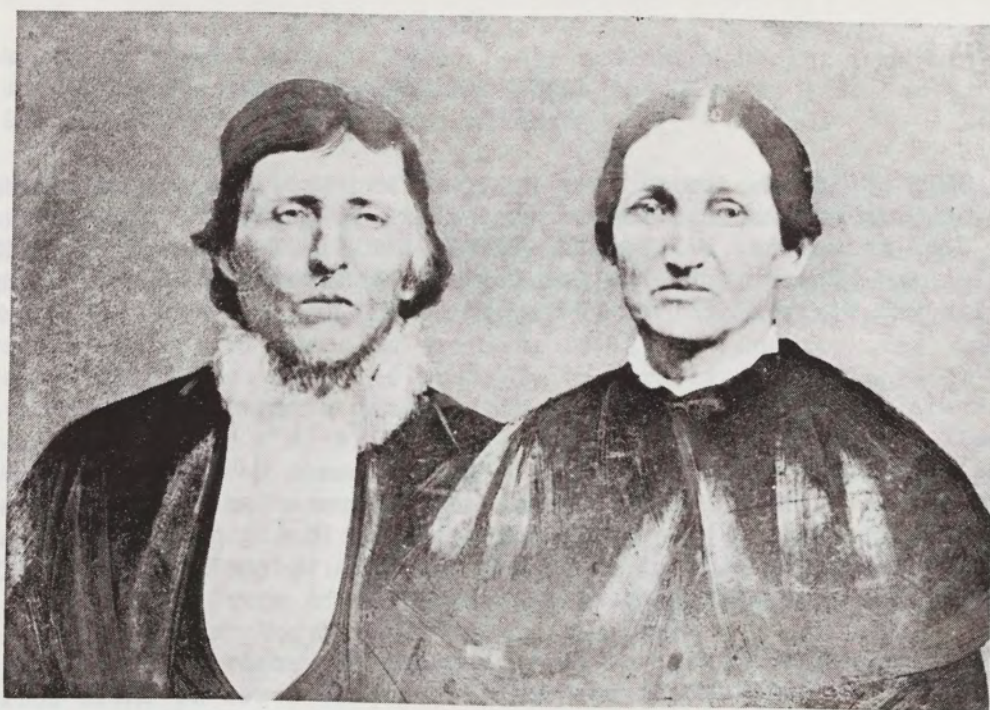
In Luke's day many people did not believe in using musical instruments in the church. Annie McGlohon Abbott remembered attending Bethany Free Will Baptist Church, where Luke was a member, when she was a girl. Since Luke was a minister, he probably was able to attend services at his home church very seldom. In any event, Bethany had acquired an organ. When it was discovered that Luke was present on that occasion, some questioned whether the organ should be played. However, Cricket Dail decided to play it anyway. As soon as she began to play, according to Annie, Luke got up and went outside and stood under a tree until the service was over. He then moved his membership to Reedy Branch Church.

Annie also remembered hearing her father, Lorenzo, say that his father, Lewis, would not allow him to play his fiddle in the house--that he had to go to the barn to play. Whether he did not believe in having musical instruments, or did not want to hear him practice his fiddle, is uncertain. It was probably the latter since he allowed him to have it.

Luke and Ritty had one son and three daughters who died as infants or as children.

- J. ALFRED MCLAWHORN--b. Feb. 14, 1841; d. Oct. 24, 1925, bur. Winterville Cem. (C. S. A. Pvt., Company D, 3rd Regiment, enlisted July 15, 1862; captured May 12, 1864); m. 1st NANCY MERRILL; m. 2nd ELIZABETH BROOKS (b. Feb. 22, 1852; d. Aug. 17, 1882, bur. Hardee Cem.); m. 3rd, on Feb. 16 (21 in marriage register), 1886, SOPHIA BROWN (b. Nov. 17, 1864; d. Dec. 12, 1940, bur. Winterville Cem.), dau. of John S. W. Brown and Rebecca Fleming. Nancy had two children (1 daughter and one son); Elizabeth had four (3 sons and 1 daughter); and Sophia had nine (4 sons, 4 daughters, and 1 infant).

- K. LOUISE (or LOUISA) MCGLOHON--b. June 1, 1848; d. Oct. 11, 1920, bur. Byrd Cem.; on July 18, 1883, m. BENJAMIN STANCIL BYRD (b. 1862; d. Mar. 1937, bur. Byrd Cem.), son of Benjamin R. and Elizabeth Byrd. They had one son and two daughters.



Lewis and Patsy McGlohon



Lewis and Patsy with two children



Lewis McGlohon Home in 1974

Chapter 6

LEWIS MCGLOHON FAMILY

LEWIS MCGLOHON, son of Luke McGlohon and Mary (Molsey) Braxton, daughter of John and Hannah Braxton, was born December 29, 1821, and died October 27, 1901. About 1846 he married MARTHA ANN (PATSY) WORTHINGTON, daughter of Spier Worthington and Rebecca McGlohon (or Loving?). Probably Rebecca was the daughter of Jeremiah and Fanny McGlohon. Patsy was born June 1, 1829, and died November 3, 1892.

Lewis was a farmer and lived in the area of Pitt County about one and one-half miles west of present-day Winterville on a rural road, now called the Gene Allen Forlines Road (1993). LaRue McLawhorn Castelloe remembered her father's stating that he was born in a house up a lane north of the road. (See also DB Q4, p. 211.) When Lewis died, he was living in the house which still stands on the south side of the road; the lane which leads to the family cemetery is on the west side of the house.

Over the years Lewis and Martha bought or received around 900 acres of land, giving or selling all but one tract of 69 acres to their children. He began by buying 90 acres for \$200 from Warren Tucker (DB LL, p. 484) on January 19, 1847. This land, the lot drawn by Warren in the division of his father's land, was near Gum Swamp and Reedy Branch and adjoined the Harmon corner (then Garris) and the William Tucker land (then Garris).

In the division of the lands of Spiers Wethington, deceased, on January 12, 1861, Lewis McLawhorn and Martha received Lot No. 1 (DB PP, p. 701). The lot consisted of two tracts of land--one consisting of 170 acres valued at \$425 and adjoining the lands of Councill Braxton and Robert Withington; the second consisting of 80 acres valued at \$500, known as the Tucker land, which was located on the run of Gum Swamp and the run of Reedy Branch. They were to receive \$2.80 from Andrew Wethington and wife to make their lot a proportionate share in value.

On January 18, 1867, Martha McGlowhorn bought a parcel of land (no acreage given) bounded on the north by Nahum Garris and Henry Smith; on the east by Allen Fulford, Sally Harmon, and Nat Dial; and on the west by Nehemiah Garris for \$1,025 from Allen Fulford (DB RR, p. 110). This appears to be the same land given to L. L. McLawhorn on December 26, 1882, by Lewis and Martha (DB H7, p. 192). No acreage was given in that deed, and the description of adjoining lands was the same.

Lewis and Martha gave each of their children 70 to 85 acres of land, all tracts valued at \$450 at the time, to stand against their shares at the death of Lewis and Martha. They retained a life estate. Deeds of gift were found for all but Joseph and Clarissa. However, it is evident that they, too, were given land. In Joseph's will, he gave his son, Jerome F., "All my land known as part of the Spire Weathington land" (Will Book 2, p. 213). The deed of gift to Charles on December 26, 1882, indicates that Clarissa was also given land. The description of the land states that it was out of the "same tract of land as that given to Cleracy McLawhorn" (DB J5, p. 350).

In addition to those already noted, deeds of land received or sold

outside the family are abstracted as follows:

1. Deed Book P3, p. 96--On Mar. 6, 1876, Louis McGlawhon bought from Mary Moye 3 acres adjoining the land of James B. Garris and his own land for \$20. John H. Smith and Fred McGlohon were witnesses.
2. Deed Book F3, p. 534--By order of Pitt Superior Court on July 1, 1876, Jeremiah Weathington, administrator of the estate of Susan Weathington, deceased, sold the land at public auction on August 1, 1876. Louis McGlawhorn was the highest bidder and paid \$425 for 360 acres adjoining the lands of Augustus Braxton, James Hines, T. N. Manning, Caleb Tripp, and others. The date of the deed was Jan. 23, 1877. One acre was reserved for a graveyard. (Note: This is probably the graveyard in the field of Clarissa's farm--Eva Langston Edward's in recent years.)
3. Deed Book D6, p. 458--The names of Lewis McGlawhorn and Patsy McGlawhon are on a list of forty or more names of those selling their interest, a 2/7's undivided interest, in "land lately belonging to Polly Brooks deceased" in 1879. The land, reputed to be 500 acres more or less, was situated on the west side of the prong of Swift Creek and adjoined the lands of Franklin Brooks heirs, Spier Worthington heirs, Amos Kinsaul, and Abram Cox.
4. Deed Book R3, p. 82--On Feb. 8, 1881, Lewis and Martha McGlohon and Lorenzo and Susan E. McGlohorn sold to Mary Dail 4.6 acres on the south side of Tar River near the Greenville and Kinston Road which was bounded by Braxton and Weatherington land. (Note: This may have been the tract Lewis and Martha gave to Lorenzo--DB L4, p. 360).
5. Deed Book H5, p. 438--On Jan. 9, 1889, Louis McLawhorn bought 65 acres adjoining the lands of Nehemiah Garris, Lewis McLawhorn, and others from James A. B. Garris and his wife Mary, W. G. Garris and his wife Julia F., and Nehemiah Garris and his wife Cynthia for \$1,000.
6. Deed Book D5, p. 348--On Nov. 12, 1889, Louis and Martha McLawhorn sold a right of way to Wilmington and Weldon Rail Road Company for \$1.00 and benefits to be derived from the building of the branch road.
7. Deed Book H5, p. 437 (also D7, p. 570)--On Feb. 5, 1891, Louis McLawhorn bought 2-1/2 acres, bounded on the north and east by his own land and on the south by the canal in reedy branch known as part of the Jonathan Harmon tract, from William and Nancy Moye for \$20.50. (Note: This deed was recorded twice, the second time on Nov. 6, 1901, after Lewis died.)
8. Deed Book G5, p. 567--On Jan. 16, 1893, Louis McLawhorn bought from Mary Moye and William Moye and his wife Nannie G. Moye 25 acres on the west side of Swift Creek Swamp and the south side of reedy branch. It mentions the "middle of the bridge across the canal in reedy branch." He paid \$300.25.
9. Deed Book K6, p. 24--On Jan. 11, 1898, Louis McLawhon sold 69 acres adjoining the lands of A. G. Cox, J. B. Carroll, and others to B. T. Cox for \$900. It mentions the right of way to J. H. Smith's line.

10. Deed Book J6, p. 346--On Mar. 2, 1898, Lewis McLawhon bought 15 acres from B. E. Moye, administrator of George Moye, deceased, for \$168.50. The land adjoined the lands of George Dail, F. McLawhon, Alonzo Moye, and others. A small tract on the opposite side of the road from the George Moye home place, it was subject to the widow's dower.

There was a lawsuit over 100 acres of the land that Lewis bought from Nancy's estate (DB F3, p. 534). Andrew J. and Susan Weatherington sold a parcel of land known as "part of the John Tripp land," which adjoined the lands of Richard Butts, Willis Wethington and others, containing 100 acres to Elizabeth Butts on January 1, 1870 (DB G, pp. 485-489). Levi A. Worthington was in possession of the land sometime in 1878. A civil action was brought by Lewis against Levi; and at the Fall Term, 1886, of Pitt Superior Court, the judgment was for Lewis. Levi appealed the case to the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court found no error in the judicial proceedings and affirmed the judgment. It was found that the description of the land of the deed Lewis had was "sufficiently definite to render it effectual, and parol testimony...competent to fit it to the land"; that the description of the land in the other deed was "too vague--certainly in the absence of any proof that any particular tract was known as 'part of the John Tripp land'"; and that "Judicial proceedings under which a sale is made cannot be collaterally assailed for irregularity" (North Carolina Reports, Vol. 98, p. 178; also Case 15,351 in N. C. Supreme Court Papers in the Archives at Raleigh).

Deeds found in which Lewis and Martha gave or sold land to, or bought from, their family are abstracted as follows:

1. Deed Book Q4, p. 211--On Feb. 19, 1875, they gave to son Frederick 70 acres on the west side of Swift Creek "beginning at the end of a lane between the said Lewis McLawhons and Fredrick McGlohons houses running...to an ash on the run of reedy branch...to...the run of Gum Swamp."
2. Deed Book L4, p. 360--On Feb. 19, 1875, they gave to son Lorenzo a tract of land lying on the Contentnea Road and containing 85 acres. The land adjoined the lands of Braxton, William Norris, and Elbert Dail. The description states: "...from the beginning of the tract formerly belonging to Speir Worthington deceased."
3. Deed Book P9, p. 173--On Dec. 2, 1882, they gave Sallie Ann Smith 80 acres on the south side of Swift Creek bounded by the lands of Molsey McLawhorn, Alfred McLawhorn, and Louis McLawhorn. (It is interesting to note that the signatures recorded on this deed are spelled differently--Lewis McLawhorn and Martha McGlohon. Of course, they just made their marks.)
4. Deed Book H7, p. 192--On Dec. 26, 1882, they gave L. L. McLawhorn a parcel of land of undetermined acreage, which was probably the same land Martha bought from Allen Fulford (DB RR, p. 110) because it is described in the same way.
5. Deed Book J5, p. 350--On Dec. 26, 1882, they gave 80 acres to Charles McLawhorn adjoining the lands of Augustus Braxton and others. It was out of "the same tract of land as that given to Cleracy McLawhorn."
6. Deed Book H5, p. 434--On June 4, 1887, Lewis McLawhorn sold 2-1/2 acres adjoining the lands of L. A. Worthington and Lewis McLawhorn to Lorenzo McLawhorn and his wife Elizabeth for \$25.00.

7. Deed Book H5, p. 440--On June 4, 1887, Louis bought 74 acres, "known as Lovin land," adjoining the lands of Augustus Braxton and Caleb Tripp from Lorenzo and his wife for \$100.
8. Deed Book J5, p. 362--On Feb. 11, 1891, Lewis and Martha sold 70 acres on Horspen Branch to Charles for \$275. It was described as "part of John Tripp land" and as adjoining the lands of Clarassa Langston, Caleb Tripp, and Alfred Forbes.
9. Deed Book S5, p. 6--On Feb. 11, 1891, Louis McGlorhorn sold 70 acres for \$270 to Clarissa R. Langston. The land adjoined the lands of Charlie McLorhorn, Elias Dail, and others, also Horsepen Branch.
10. Deed Book C6, p. 206--On Feb. 27, 1892, Lewis and Martha sold Sallie A. Smith 25 acres adjoining the lands of Amos G. Cox and others for \$25. It is described as "being all that part of the Lacy McGlohon land lying on the West side of the Coast Line Rail Road." (Lewis's name is spelled two ways in this deed--McLawhon and McGlohon.)
11. Deed Book A7, p. 310--On Oct. 18, 1901, Lewis McLawhorn sold 15 acres known as the George Moye land" to Elizabeth McLawhorn for \$125. The land was bounded by the lands of L (unreadable) Manning, on the northwest by Alonzo Moye, on the south by George Dail, and on the east by Fred McLawhorn.

At the time of his death, other than the life estates noted in the deeds of gift to his children, Lewis owned about 90 acres of land. By his will he left 65 acres, "known as the Garriis land," to his youngest son, Lewis L. McGlohorn (see Appendix B). All of his other lands, "known as the William and George Moye land," were to be sold and equally divided. Lewis L. was named executor of his estate. He sold the land at public auction to Lorenzo, the highest bidder at \$585. Lorenzo transferred the bid to Mary M. McLawhorn who paid \$585 for the 25 acres and was given the deed on Feb. 10, 1902 (DB H7, p. 507). Charles and Mary sold this land to John H. Smith on Nov. 18, 1902 (DB P7, p. 184).

There are a number of questions about these deeds. Evidently there must be some that have still not been found, either unrecorded or not indexed so that they can be easily found. For example, as administrator of Lacy McGlohon, Lewis sold 160 acres to Lorenzo on Feb. 15, 1873. Yet the deed in which Lewis and Martha sold Sallie A. Smith 25 acres explicitly states that it was "all part of the Lacy McGlohon land lying on the West side of the Coast Line Rail Road." The deed of gift of 80 acres to Sallie Ann also appears to be a part of the land. Lewis must have bought the land from Lorenzo, or Lorenzo might have been buying it for his father.

Although no record has been found of Lewis's serving in the Confederate Army during the Civil War, tradition passed down in the family is that he entered and served a short time before he was called home by the illness of his wife. His son Frederick, only about 16 at the time, became his substitute. Evidently he, too, served only a brief time because his name has not been found in the records either. Nevertheless, he was in long enough to obtain a sword, which, at the time of this writing (1993) was in the home of his great grandson, Burney Leland Tucker Jr.

As evidenced by the census records and the fact that his mark is recorded on the deeds, Lewis could not read and write. Neither could Martha.

It has been said that Lewis was a good nurse. Martha, it seems, suffered from ill health. She died of consumption on November 3, 1892, and was buried in the family cemetery on the farm. Lewis lived about nine years longer and died of cancer of the mouth and heart trouble on October 27, 1901, and was buried in the family cemetery.

It is uncertain just when the family cemetery was started. The oldest marked grave was that of Susan in 1863. However, the first person buried there, according to tradition, was a slave. The 1850 Census records that Lewis owned two slaves at that time: a 100-year-old male and a 12-year-old female. This male was probably the first one buried in the cemetery, and his grave is marked with a wooden marker. There are three wooden markers in the northeast corner of the cemetery--the other two for infants, according to Rena McLawhorn Whitehurst. In 1916 the cemetery was enclosed by an iron fence. The fence was replaced by a brick-pillar and iron fence in 1977.

When the iron fence was put around in 1977, there was a marker with "McGlohon" no longer in use because the graves for which it had been used were moved to another cemetery. Therefore, when Leland Tucker Jr. began the upkeep of the cemetery, he moved the marker outside the fence as a marker for the cemetery. Since there are variations of spelling of our family name, the cemetery will be referred to as the "McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem." hereafter.

Lewis and Martha had eight children: five boys and three girls. For additional information, see the chapters on their families. The children are as follows:

1. FREDERICK MCGLOHON--b. July 11, 1847; d. Dec. 6, 1909, of a stroke, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Nov. 25, 1866, m. ELIZABETH (BET) ELLIS (b. May 7, 1851; d. Feb. 7, 1922, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), dau. of George Bryan Ellis and Penelope Cox.
2. LORENZO MCLAWHORN--b. Aug. 2, 1849; d. of a stroke on May 25, 1923, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Oct. 15, 1870, m. SUSAN ELIZABETH KITTRELL (b. Mar. 28, 1855; d. Apr. 4, 1944, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), dau. of Allen Kittrell and Martha Jane Stocks.
3. SALLIE ANN MCGLOHON--b. Dec. 27, 1851; d. of a stroke Sept. 22, 1913, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Feb. 11, 1869, m. JOHN SMITH (b. Oct. 19, 1840; d. Feb. 19, 1910, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), son of Henry Smith and Celia Tucker. Her name appears in the 1860 Census as "Sarah." Evidently, she became known only by the nickname for Sarah.
4. JOSEPH SPIRE (SPIER?) MCGLOHON--b. Feb. 18, 1854; d. with T. B., which he contracted as a result of ditching while he unknowingly had the measles, on Jan. 25, 1881, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Sept. 25, 1879, m. ZELOTA FRIZELLE (bur. Frizelle Family Cem. near Maury in Greene Co.), dau. of J. J. Frizelle and Susan Hart. Joe's will spells his name with an "r"--McGlohorn.
5. SUSAN MCLAWHORN (spelled this way on her tombstone)--b. July 20, 1856; d. Aug. 19, 1863, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
6. CHARLES MCLAWHORN--b. July 16, 1863; d. of heart attack on Apr. 5, 1934, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem., moved to Greenwood Cem.; on Dec. 18, 1889, m. MARY MAGDALENE (MAGGIE) BARNHILL (b. Oct. 2, 1869; d. Sept. 23, 1948, bur. Greenwood Cem., Greenville), dau. of John Richard Barnhill and Mary M.

7. CLARISSA REBECCA MCGLOHON--b. Jan. 26, 1886; d. with tuberculosis and cancer on June 25, 1916, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Dec. 8, 1886, m. CHARLES HENRY LANGSTON (b. Jan. 14, 1865; d. Nov. 19, 1938, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), son of Thomas Henry Langston and Louisa King of Lenoir County.
8. LOUIS LONZA MCLAWHORN--b. Apr. 28, 1872; d. Jan. 19, 1926, of a stroke, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; m. 1st, on Feb. 21, 1893, LULA FORBES (b. Mar. 6, 1874; d. Sept. 9, 1906, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), dau. of James and Irene Forbes; m. 2nd, on May 28, 1908, LIZZIE GRUBBS (b. July 13, 1889; d. Aug. 9, 1963, bur. Winterville Cem.), dau. of R. B. Grubbs and Elizabeth A.

Frederick McLohon (occasionally spelled McLawhorn, McLawhorn, etc., in records) was born on July 11, 1867. He was the eldest child of Lewis McGlohon and Martha Ann (called Mary) Washington. They, along with seven other children, lived on a farm about a mile and a half west of Winterville on state road No. 1376.



Elder Fred McGlohon

Chapter 7

FREDERICK MCGLOHON

A Bridge Over the Past

(Note: A speech given at the Free Will Baptist Historical Society, which met at the Free Will Baptist Press in Ayden on November 17, 1976, slightly revised and enlarged.)

"The primary meaning of time is that there are persons who become bridges over the past and the future that you may walk in the present with meaning," says the Reverend Maxie Dunnam.

Several weeks ago as I was checking some books which were donated to the East Carolina University library, I ran across a book which had a very intriguing title, Dancing at My Funeral, which was written by Mr. Dunnam, a Methodist minister. We don't usually associate the word "dancing" with funerals, do we? And we are not here to talk about funerals this morning. Since Mr. Dunnam had no technical knowledge of dancing, nor was it a part of his culture, he used dancing as a symbol. Funerals are about death; dancing is about life. His trip is dancing at his funeral.

He tells about being haunted by his past--the fact that he grew up in poverty with feelings of not belonging; for example, when he went off to college. Therefore, he had to prove that he was something. That empty pattern of proving continued for many years.

On reading the book, you can learn how he became able to accept and appreciate his past. There were parts which he wanted to keep alive and there were parts which he wanted to bury. In this "funeral" process, he began to experience life with a freshness and a sense of purpose that he had not known before. He was dancing at his funeral--dancing when he had the courage to resist forces that would bury him and was somehow given the power to bury them instead.

There have been forces in our Free Will Baptist history that would have buried us as a church, but there have always been those who have had the courage to resist those forces. Today I would like to tell you a little about one of the bridges over the past and future so that we may walk in the present with meaning as the Free Will Baptist Church of 1976. That bridge is not only a bridge for the church, but is also a bridge for me personally since he was my grandfather. Actually, I know very little about him, either as a person or as a minister; but I have been able to learn a few things. There may have been some things about his life that we would like to bury; but there are many things that we would like to remember, things that would cause us to dance.

Frederick McGlohon (variously spelled McGlohorn, McLawhorn, etc., in records) was born on July 11, 1847. He was the eldest child of Lewis McGlohon and Martha Ann (called Patsy) Worthington. They, along with seven other children, lived on a farm about a mile and a half west of Winterville on state road No. 1126.

After Fred was married on November 28, 1866, to ELIZABETH ELLIS, daughter of George Bryan Ellis and Penelope Cox, his father gave him seventy acres of land to which he added others. There, on land adjoining his father's, he lived out his life as a farmer. His home stills stands, and until about 1972 was occupied by a member of his family.

Fred and Elizabeth had thirteen children, but only eight lived to be grown. My father, Grover, was the middle one of the thirteen. The eight, in order of birth, were John Lewis McGlohon, Mary McGlohon Smith, Rosa Elizabeth (Bessie) McGlohon Hobgood, Lorenzo Grover Cleveland McGlohon, Letha Cleo McGlohon Fletcher, Doctor McGlohon, Norma Chandler McGlohon Forbes Hawkins, and Joseph Dixon McGlohon. Three sons and two daughters died young.

Elder J. M. Barfield, in an obituary published in the 1910 Central Conference Minutes, wrote the following about Him:

In Sept. 1867 he joined the F. W. B. church at Reedy Branch, under the preaching of Eld. Henry Dixon, one of the old land marks.

He lived a consistent member of the church, and soon he felt divinely called to preach the Gospel, and do all he could for the Master. The church saw that he was apt to teach, and he was licensed in May 1875. On July 31st the same year the church ordered his ordination. He then went forth preaching the gospel, and holding the care of churches. Eld. Fred, as he was called, made an able pastor for the churches that he had care of, and they all prospered....

The writer has known him ever since he began preaching. He always went when called on to do religious service....

There are very few people still living who remember him. Although he died before my father and mother were married, my mother knew him but never had the opportunity to hear him preach. Since my father died when I was only eleven years old, what I know about him I learned from my mother.

I talked with one of his nieces, Mrs. Annie Abbott, who is 89 years old, a few days ago. She remembers him well and said that she heard him preach a number of times at Reedy Branch Church. When I asked her what kind of preacher he was, she said that he was a good one, that he took a text and stuck to it. In other words, he wasn't a rambling speaker.

What did ministers wear in the 19th century? I brought along a picture to show you. I had not given the subject any thought until Cousin Annie commented that Grandpa was a good looking man, that he and her father looked a lot alike. She added, however, that she never saw her father dressed up like her Uncle Fred--in a long-tailed black suit when he preached.

In my grandfather's day the church was also the center of the social life of the community. There was nowhere else to go. Churches usually had preaching services only once a month; and in the months that they had quarterly meetings at the church, there would be preaching on Friday night, Saturday morning, Saturday night, Sunday morning, and Sunday night. Most of the people walked to church. Those who had them drove horses and buggies. The services were much longer than ours are now. At least in the latter part of his ministry, the churches had Sunday School in the afternoons on the Sundays that they did not have preaching services.

"Elder Fed," as many people called him by dropping the "r," pastored a

number of churches--among which were Reedy Branch, Bethany (1907/08), Elm Grove, Gum Swamp (1906), and Hickory Grove in Pitt County; and Saint's Delight and Spring Branch in Greene County. He had just been elected pastor of Spring Branch and had made only one appointment at the church when he died. He also helped to organize at least one church--Spring Branch in Pitt County, which was later moved into town and became the Ayden Free Will Baptist Church. My brother Fred said that he had been told that Grandpa had pastored one church for twenty-five years, and thought it was Howell Swamp. I have checked their church minutes on microfilm at the State Archives, which minutes begin at 1897; and he is not in those minutes from 1897-1909.

In addition to his pastoring churches, he still took an active part in his home church, Reedy Branch. On February 19, 1890, as a trustee for Reedy Branch Church, he bought an additional tract of land consisting of seventy yards square lying directly between the church and the new road for \$50 from Francis M. and Nannie Little (DB A5, p. 342).

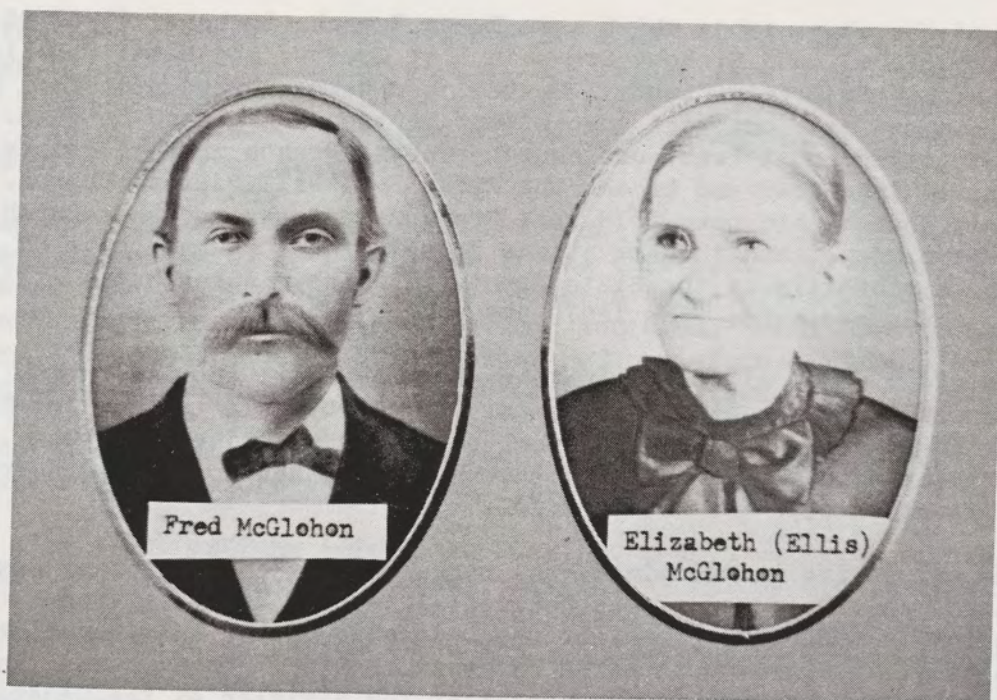
He was active in denominational work, serving as moderator, assistant moderator, and treasurer of the retired ministers' fund. It seems to have been the custom in those days to elect the moderator of the conference at the beginning of the session to serve for that session. Grandpa was the first moderator of the Central Conference after the division of the General Conference into the Central and Eastern Conferences. That session met at Malachi's Chapel in Tyrrell County on November 5-7, 1896. He often preached the introductory sermon at the conferences and quarterly district union meetings. Many times he was elected on committees to investigate some charge brought against the Christian character of a brother minister.

Although he probably had very little formal education (most people didn't in those days), he was interested in education. He served on the school committee of District 15, beginning in 1885 (Minutes of the Pitt County Board of Education begin with this year). On February 4, 1886, he and Elizabeth sold to "the school committee of White District No. 15...for and in consideration of the sum of twenty dollars...one acre" of land (DB N4, p. 167). Rena McLawhorn Whitehurst has identified the school as the Woodland School.

A short time before his death, he was elected president of the Board of Trustees for the Free Will Baptist Theological Seminary in Ayden. He was also interested in the literature program of the denomination--serving on the Board of Managers, or Directors, of the Free Will Baptist Publishing Co. (now Free Will Baptist Press Foundation) at least as early as 1892, and as the authorized agent for subscriptions to the denominational paper in the 1880's and later.

In his thirty-four-year ministry he officiated at numerous marriages. In those days it was not uncommon for couples to run away to get married. The story is told that when a runaway couple would draw up before his door in their horse and buggy that Grandpa would call to them to throw their license in the yard and that he would begin the ceremony as he came out the door. This is probably an exaggeration, but it makes an interesting story.

Grandpa was also active in community affairs. He was elected as representative from Pitt County to the North Carolina Legislature in 1893. There he served on the Insane Asylum Committee and the Immigration Committee. His grandson, W. A. Forbes, who also served as representative for two terms (beginning in 1963), was quoted in The Daily Reflector as saying that Grandpa borrowed \$85 in order to serve. When the Legislature was in session, he



Frederick and Elizabeth Ellis McGlohon



Elizabeth E. and Bessie McGlohon



Frederick McGlohon Home in 1974

continued to pastor churches, driving his horse and buggy home on weekends to preach.

Going back to his youth, we note that he was a teenager during the Civil War. His father, Lewis, entered the Confederate Army, but served only a short time because his wife became ill. He was able to get out by providing a substitute. When Fred was about sixteen, he went to replace his father for a short time. Evidently both of their times were brief because I have not found their names in the records. However, two of Grandpa's uncles--Lacey and Charles--were killed and another one, Luke, was captured in the war. He was in long enough to obtain a sword, however. The sword is now in the possession of my sister, Mabel McGlohon Tucker.

On December 6, 1909, he finished his work on earth. He had been in bad health for several years but was able most of the time to preach. He had just returned by train from preaching at Hickory Grove Free Will Baptist Church and walked the mile or so home. While sitting in his chair on the porch on Monday evening, he was stricken with a stroke of apoplexy and died in a short time. His funeral was postponed several days so that my father, who worked on a train at that time, could get home. According to my mother, his body as a result had swollen so much that the wooden casket had to be taken out of the house through a window because of the narrow door.

He was buried in the family graveyard in the field of his father's farm where he was born. Masonic honors were accorded him at his funeral.

By his granddaughter,
Leah McGlohon

FREDERICK MCGLOHON

As previously noted, Frederick McGlohon was a farmer and a Free Will Baptist minister. In addition, he also sharpened saws. After giving the above speech, the writer was privileged to talk with Mrs. Melissa Braxton McLawhorn, who was then about 98 years old, about him. She remembered him well and said that he performed her marriage ceremony in 1901. At that time, according to her, he was pastoring Reedy Branch Church. She remembered his coming to their house when she was a child and spending a week at a time to sharpen the saws. Her father, C. C. Braxton, ran a saw mill just outside of Ayden to the northwest toward Winterville.

In 1991 Allen Johnson sent the writer some newspaper obituary articles from his grandmother Mary McGlohon Smith's scrapbook. A portion of the article follows:

The sad news reached here on Monday night of the sudden death of Eld. Fred McLawhon at his home near Reedy Branch church at about 5:30 o'clock.

He went to Greenville Monday and returned home by the way of Winterville, going to that point by rail. He went from Winterville to his home stopping a little while at a pack house near by and talked to some that were there. He went to his house, sat down in a chair and soon his people discovered there was something wrong with him. They immediately sent for Dr. Cox of Winterville. He lived but a very short time after reaching the house and expired long before the doctor arrived. Appoplexy removed him to the unknown world....

The following deed transactions of Fred and Elizabeth are abstracted:

1. Deed Book Q4, p. 211--On Feb. 19, 1875, Frederick was given 70 acres by his parents, Lewis and Martha.
2. Deed Book E3, p. 383--In 1876 Fred McGlawhorn bought 1/2 of 79-1/2 acres for \$100 from William J. Fulford, Elizabeth Harmon, William Henry and Elizabeth Henry. It was their entire interest in the land which formerly belonged to Jonathan Harmon and which adjoined the lands of Fred McGlawhorn, T. Orman Fulford, Mary Moye, Ringold and others.
3. Deed Book T3, p. 282--Elizabeth McGlohon bought 70 acres on the east side of Swift Creek and the north side of Cedar Swamp adjoining Nelson's corner from Thomas Letchworth for \$483.65. John C. Cox witnessed the deed. (Note: The writer is not sure that this is the same Elizabeth.)
4. Deed Book S3, p. 472--On Feb. 23, 1882, Frederick McLawhorn bought 25 acres for \$50 from Andrew Joyner. The land adjoined the land heired by Tripp from his father, Hardy Tripp, and brother, Elias; Joseph Tripp; and Frederick McLawhorn.
5. Deed Book C4, p. 428--On Jan. 20, 1883, Fred McLawhon bought the entire interest of William H. White Jr. and his wife, Sarah, of Jones County in the lands of Locker Ringold for \$75. The land adjoined the lands of Fred McLawhon, Orman Fulford, Polly Moye, and others.
6. Deed Book L4, p. 143--On Apr. 12, 1883, Fred McLawhorn bought 30 acres of land from W. M. Kinsaul for \$35. The land, located near Reedy Branch meeting house, adjoined the lands of Joshua Tripp, Henry Smith, and Louis McLawhorn.
7. Deed Book M4, p. 486--Henry Tripp, administrator, sold the land of Elias Tripp at public auction on Apr. 17, 1883. Fred bought 30 acres, which was 1/3 of the estate land for \$49. It was probated on June 1, 1883.
8. Deed Book L4, p. 244--On Jan. 26, 1884, Fred Mclohon paid Mary Moye \$1.00 for all the land she owned on the south side of a line across the land known as the Harmon land that she and Fred agreed upon. No acreage was mentioned, but it must have been a matter of exchanging land (see next deed). John H. Smith witnessed the transaction.
9. Deed Book A5, p. 451--On Jan. 26, 1884, Fred McLorhorn and wife Elizabeth sold "all the land that I own on the north side of agreed line..." to Mary Moye for \$1.00. The line was across the land known as the Harmon land.
10. Deed Book H5, p. 24--On Dec. 4, 1890, Fred McLawhorn bought at auction for \$61 the land known as the James Ringgold land which adjoined the lands formerly owned by Richard Moye and Allen Kittrell, deceased, and others described in a deed from Wm. Dail and his wife Mary (DB C3, p. 41). The land was sold by Sheriff J. A. K. Tucker for debts of William Whitehead.
11. Deed Book H5, p. 46--On Dec. 24, 1890, Fred McLohorn bought 50 acres and 9 acres for \$600 from W. J. Fulford. The land adjoined that of Allen Fulford, James F. Tripp, and Thomas O. Fulford.
12. Deed Book J6, p. 294--On Mar. 7, 1892, Fred McLawhorn paid C. A. White

- \$1.00 for rights in two lots on the northwest corner of Second and Lee Streets in Ayden. He was to pay \$100 to William H. Harris, his wife Lizzie Jane, and Charles A. White for the lots. J. J. May and F. G. James (for C. A. White) were witnesses.
13. Deed Book H6, p. 116--On Apr. 2, 1897, Fred McLawhon and Elizabeth sold 25 acres adjoining Louis McLawhorn and Will Moore to Lula S. McLawhorn for \$200.
 14. Deed Book K7, p. 338--G. B. Ellis gave Elizabeth 30 acres for "love and good will." It was described as 1/3 of the land known as Cedar Swamp and adjoined the lands of the heirs of the late J. C. Cox, J. B. Carroll, and others. W. C. Jackson witnessed the deed.
 15. Deed Book J6, p. 415--Fred failed to pay purchase money for the two lots (see J6, p. 294 above; also Mortgage H6, p. 573) from W. H. Harris and his wife and C. A. White. F. G. James bid \$25 for Elizabeth McLawhorn at the sale at public auction on Mar. 22, 1898.
 16. Deed Book I7, p. 104--On Oct. 17, 1901, Fred McGlohon and Elizabeth mortgaged two lots in Ayden--one lot joining Edwards and one lot on main street (deeded to Elizabeth by W. H. Harris)--and a tract of land deeded to Elizabeth by Lewis McGlohon on the south side of the road in front of Fred McGlohon's house containing 15 acres (known as part of Moye land) to A. G. Cox for \$300.
 17. Deed Book A7, p. 310--On Oct. 18, 1901, Louis McLawhorn sold Elizabeth McLawhorn 15 acres known as the George Moye land for \$125. The land adjoined L _____ Manning, Alonzo Moye, George Dail, and Fred McLawhorn.
 18. Deed Book I7, p. 412--On Jan. 10, 1902, Fred and Elizabeth McLawhorn sold to J. L. McLawhorn 65 acres of land bounded on the north by Fred McLawhorn, on the west by Frog Level road, on the south by G. W. Dail and C. D. Hooks, and on the east by C. D. Hooks and Amos Shivers (by deed from W. J. Fulford, Book H5, pp. 46 and 47), also part of George Moye land, for \$1250.
 19. Deed Book L8, p. 235--On May 14, 1906, Charles McLawhorn, Lorenzo McLawhon, L. L. McLawhorn, J. F. J. McLawhon, Salann Smith, and Classie Langston sold Fred and Elizabeth their interest in the "Mary and Allie Mills land inherited through and by our mother Martha McLawhon" for \$300.
 20. Deed Book M8, p. 99--On May 21, 1906, Fred McLawhorn and wife Elizabeth sold to Joseph L. Hobgood for \$300 an undivided interest in Polly Mills and Allie Mills land.
 21. Deed Book T9, p. 417--On Feb. 9, 1910, Elizabeth McGlohon, widow, received her dower.
 22. Deed Book Y-12, p. 468--On Aug. 11, 1919, Elizabeth McGlohon sold to J. D. McGlohon two parcels of land for \$100. One was 15 acres deeded to Elizabeth by Lewis McGlohon (DB A7, p. 310, Oct. 18, 1901) and the other was a parcel of land conveyed to Elizabeth from Chas. D. Hooks, Nehemiah Garris, and W. R. W. Nobles--School Committee of Woodland District (DB J9, p. 238, May 15, 1901). Norma Forbes was the witness. See also Pitt County



John Lewis McGlohon Family. Seated left to right: Lila, John Lewis, Maggie, and Sallie Ann. Standing: Lula, Tinie, and Lillis.

Map Book 1, p. 201.

No further deed was found in reference to the interest in the Polly (or Mary) Mills Brooks land as noted in Nos. 19 and 20 above. It seems that Joseph L. and Bessie Hobgood lived on the land for a short time. Bryant Tripp purchased the interest of quite a few who claimed an interest in the land. According to Deed Book D6, p. 458, the names of Lewis and Patsy are on a list of forty or more names of those selling their interest, a 2/7's undivided interest, in "land lately belonging to Polly Brooks deceased" in 1879; therefore, it appears that there was no interest remaining in the land.

Fred and Elizabeth had thirteen children, eight of whom lived to be grown. Their records and those of their descendants follow:

- a. Infant daughter--March 1868, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
- b. JOHN LEWIS MCGLOHON--b. Mar. 22, 1871; d. with a stroke Sept. 7, 1927, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem., moved to Ayden Cem.; on Dec. 13, 1893, m. SALLIE ANN CRAFT (b. Sept. 1, 1872; d. June 11, 1967, bur. Ayden Cem.), dau. of Eli Hoyette Craft and Jane Caraway.
 - (1) FREDERICK HOYETTE MCGLOHON--b. Oct. 22, 1894; d. Jan. 26, 1895, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem., moved to Ayden Cem.
 - (2) TINIE CAPTOLA MCGLOHON--b. Nov. 3, 1895; d. Dec. 7, 1985, bur. Ayden Cem.; on May 5, 1918, m. JAMES SAMUEL (JIM) MANNING (b. Oct. 6, 1892; d. Nov. 18, 1957, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of William Samuel Manning and Fannie Adelaide _____.
 - (a) SALLIE BETT MANNING--b. Feb. 11, 1919; m. 1st, on Apr. 17, 1937, HEBER LOFTIN (b. Nov. 22, 1919; d. Oct. 15, 1960, bur. Loftin Family Cem.), son of Zebulon B. Loftin and Magnolia Haddock (Maggie) Harrington; m. 2nd, on _____, THERON ROLAND (DICK) EVANS, son of Alonza (Lonnie) Bruce Evans and Cora McLawhorn.
 - i. JEANNE HOPE LOFTIN--b. Oct. 25, 1940; on Sept. 30, 1962, m. GEORGE RAY HARDEE (b. Feb. 17, 1942), son of Roy Hardee and Annie Ruth Lang.
 - aa. REGINA RAYE HARDEE--b. Sept. 20, 1963.

- bb. RANDALL RAY HARDEE--b. May 11, 1965.
- cc. LANA LYNNE HARDEE--b. Feb. 4, 1968.
- ii. JAMES HEBER LOFTIN--b. Nov. 18, 1942; on Sept. 14, 1962, m. DONNA GAYE SINGLETON (b. Sept. 13, 1944), dau. of J. D. Singleton and Gaynelle Brown; m. 2nd on GERTA MAGDATTA HAHN,
 - aa. BETTINA YVONNE LOFTIN--b. Feb.
 - bb. SANDI ANDREA LOFTIN--b. Aug. 1, 1971.
- iii. ERNEST RAY LOFTIN--b. Oct. 29, 1944; on July 1, 1964, m. GLENDA LOU EVANS (b. Dec. 11, 1945), dau. of Lyman Evans and Hazel Britton.
 - aa. ERNEST RAY LOFTIN JR.--b. Aug. 4, 1965.
- iv. JOHN LOUIS LOFTIN--b. Jan. 21, 1948; on Dec. 2, 1966, m. SHIRLEY ANN MCLAWHORN (b. Mar. 19, 1949), dau. of Floyd F. McLawhorn and Geneva Stocks.
 - aa. JOHN LOUIS LOFTIN JR.--b. July 31, 1975.
- (b) Infant daughter--b. and d. Feb. 23, 1921, bur. in country.
- (c) PAULINE JOYCE MANNING--b. Nov. 9, 1922; on May 23, 1940, m. VERNON GUYAN NORMAN (b. 1915), son of Will and Bessie Norman.
 - i. NOLAN VERNON NORMAN--b. June ; m. JOAN ELLEN LASSITER.
 - aa. CYNTHIA LYNN NORMAN--b. Mar. 27, 1968.
 - ii. JEFFREY PAUL NORMAN--b. ; m. JANET MARIE DROMSOLD
 - aa. PAULA MARIE NORMAN--b. Aug. 16, 1967.
 - bb. MARNIE ALEXINA (LEXI) NORMAN--b. July 2, 1972.
 - iii. TINA JOYCE NORMAN--b. Dec.
- (d) FANNYE ADELAIDE MANNING--b. Mar. 17, 1925; on Mar. 18, 1944, m. GARLAND GREY LITTLE (b. May 3, 1924; d. Nov. 29, 1982, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Frank Lester Little and Thelma Cornelius Cannon.
 - i. GODFREY GREY LITTLE--b. May 3, 1946; on Oct. 4, 1967, m. PATSY

ANN GRIFFITH (b. Feb. 17, 1947).

aa. MICHAEL GREY LITTLE--b. Dec. 16, 1970.

ii. MONTE FRANK LITTLE--b. Dec. 17, 1947; on Dec. 21, 1969, m.

DEBRA SUSAN WILLIAMS (b. Oct. 5, 1946).

aa. MONTE FRANK (TY) LITTLE JR.--b. Sept. 26, 1970.

bb. TRACY PAIGE LITTLE.

(e) WILLIAM SAMUEL (BILLY) MANNING--b. Oct. 22, 1932; on June 11, 1955, m. MARJORIE SUSAN TRIPP (b. Jan. 5, 1936), dau. of William Tripp and Luvenia McLawhorn.

i. WILLIAM STERLING MANNING--b. Jan. 1, 1956.

ii. DEBRA SUE MANNING--b. Aug. 26, 1958.

iii. DAVID ALLEN MANNING--b. Nov. 18, 1959.

iv. JAMES DANIEL MANNING--b. Sept. 8, 1962.

v. TIMOTHY SCOT MANNING--b. Apr. 9, 1965.

(f) JIMMIE RYAN MANNING--b. Feb. 14, 1935; d. Apr. 14, 1988, bur. Ayden Cem.; m. 1st on June 5, 1955, JANICE MARIE FOSTER (b. 1936), dau. of Fred and Elizabeth Foster; divorced; m. 2nd, on Dec. 4, 1971, DOROTHY MADGE SMITH BRADY (b. Aug. 9, 1933), dau. of Wilbur Smith and Helen Briley; n. c.

(g) NOEL THOMAS (TOMMY) MANNING--b. Oct. 10, 1939; on Jan. 1, 1964, m. EDITH JOYCE REAGAN (b. Oct. 1, 1944), dau. of Earl Reagan and Edith Cleary; divorced; lives in San Antonio, Texas.

i. NOEL THOMAS MANNING II--b. Mar. 15, 1965.

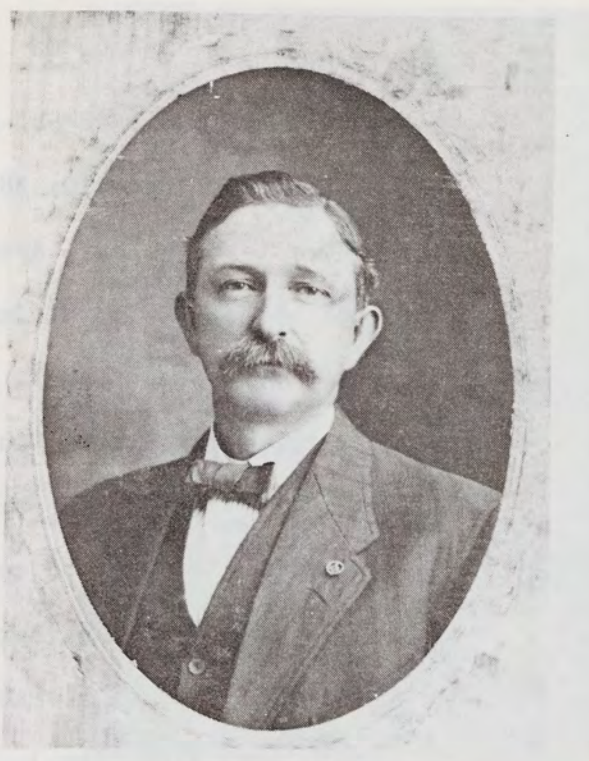
(3) LILA BROOKS MCGLOHON--b. Feb. 3, 1899; d. Mar. 18, 1988, bur. Ayden Cem.; on Nov. 24, 1915, m. NOAH THOMAS BEAMAN (b. Nov. 10, 1888; d. Aug. 2, 1975, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of J. W. Beaman and Telitha B. Walston. They lived near Snow Hill.

(a) LUCILLE MCGLOHON BEAMAN--b. Dec. 13, 1917; m. RUFUS FRENCH ROBERTS

- (b. 1914); live at Creedmore.
- i. STANCIL BEAMAN ROBERTS--b. 1941; m. NANCY DURHAM of Durham.
 - aa. TROY HEATH ROBERTS--b. 1970.
 - bb. JENNIFER KARA ROBERTS--b. 1974.
- ii. RUFUS LESTER ROBERTS--b. 1946; m. ANNA BROGDEN.
- iii. DAVID LEE ROBERTS--b. 1948.
- (b) THOMAS LESTER BEAMAN--b. July 18, 1921; d. Dec. 22, 1990, bur. Ayden Cem.; in 1943, m. LUCILLE DINAH MOORE (b. 1925), dau. of Fenner Augustus Moore and Lula Virginia Elks; lived near Snow Hill.
 - i. DIANNA CAROL BEAMAN--b. Apr. 19, 1950; m. 1st, on Dec. 26, 1971, CARY KNIGHT (SKIP) MORRIS, son of L. M. Morris and Helene K.; divorced 1992; m. 2nd, on Dec. 31, 1992, KENNETH NELSON LOWE, son of Cecil and Marie Lowe of Deyline, LA; live near Snow Hill; n. c.
 - ii. THOMAS STEVEN BEAMAN--b. Jan. 17, 1952.
 - iii. NORMA ANN BEAMAN--b. July 23, 1953; on Nov. 24, 1984, m. WILLIAM TRUMP (b. Feb. 4, 1955); live at Merritt Island, FL.
 - aa. CAROLINE MAGGIE TRUMP--b. Oct. 2, 1990.
- (4) LILLIS VELMA MCGLOHON--b. July 30, 1902; d. May 16, 1978, bur. Ayden Cem.; on June 22, 1923, m. HINTON TRIPP (b. May 27, 1895; d. Mar. 21, 1963, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Caleb B. Tripp and Sarah Louise Buck.
 - (a) LOIS CLAIRE TRIPP--b. Sept. 14, 1924; m. OLA RAY MCLAWHORN (b. Aug. 22, 1923), son of B. Thaddeus McLawhorn and Maybelle Harris.
 - i. BENJAMIN HINTON MCLAWHORN--b. Nov. 27, 1956, in Lenoir County; on Oct. 16, 1981, m. DARLENE KNOX (b. Jan. 13, 1957), dau. of James Devenwood (J. D.) Knox and Frances Arlene McGlohon.
- (5) LULA CLEO MCGLOHON--b. July 12, 1906; d. Mar. 24, 1988, bur. Ayden Cem.; m. CECIL HOLMES ALLEN (d. May 18, 1980, aged 90, bur. Ayden Cem.) of



Mary McGlohon Smith



John Richard Smith



Mary and Frederick Hoke Smith



John and Mary McGlohon Smith

Tenn.; n. c.

(6) MAGGIE LEE MCGLOHON--b. May 10, 1913; n. m.

c. MARY MCGLOHON--b. Dec. 10, 1872; d. Oct. 8, 1959, having been bedridden with a stroke for 8 years; bur. Ayden Cem.; on Dec. 30, 1891, m. JOHN RICHARD SMITH (b. May 18, 1868; d. July 2, 1941, with Bright's disease and pneumonia; bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Theophilus Smith and Elizabeth W. May. John was reared in Oxford Orphanage for about 18 months.

(1) FREDERICK HOKE SMITH--b. Dec. 21, 1893; d. May 12, 1895, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem., moved to Ayden Cem.

(2) BETTIE MAY SMITH--b. Apr. 7, 1896; d. June 22, 1981, bur. Ayden Cem.; on Nov. 25, 1914, m. PAUL RICHARD TAYLOR (b. Nov. 2, 1888; d. Aug. 1, 1963, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of David W. Taylor and Susan.

(a) JOHN RICHARD (J. R.) TAYLOR--b. Oct. 30, 1915; d. Nov. 12, 1980, of cancer; bur. Ayden Cem.; on July 3, 1938, m. ANNIE SELMA WORTHINGTON (b. Aug. 7, 1915; d. Oct. 13, 1992), dau. of Samuel Jones Worthington and Bertha Jane Humley.

i. SUZANNE TAYLOR--b. July 5, 1940; m. 1st, on Aug. 11, 1961, JOHN NORRIS O'BANNON (b. Nov. 16, 1938) of Marshall, VA; divorced; m. 2nd, on June 18, 1977, JAMES GOWAN (JIM) TURCOTTE of Greenville.

aa. LU ANNE O'OBANNON--b. Mar. 21, 1963; on Aug. 15, 1992, m. HAMILTON FISKE TYLER, son of Mrs. Norman H. Finkle of Annapolis, Md, and George S. Tyler III of Galesville, Md.

bb. TRACEY TAYLOR O'BANNON--b. Jan. 3, 1968.

ii. JOHN RICHARD TAYLOR JR.--b. Aug. 29, 1944; on Mar. 25, 1967, m. JUDYE MORROW BASS (b. June 16, 1946); divorced.

aa. LEIGH TAYLOR--b. Dec. 7, 1971.

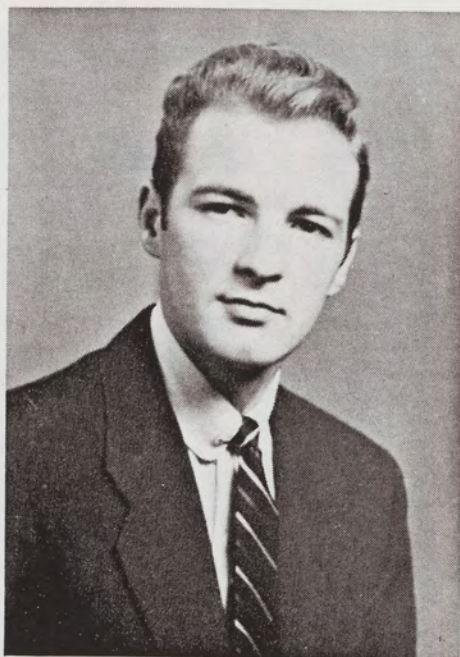
(3) WILSON LAMB SMITH--b. Sept. 1, 1990; d. Apr. 27, 1904, bur. Ayden Cem.



Mary Alice Smith, about 16



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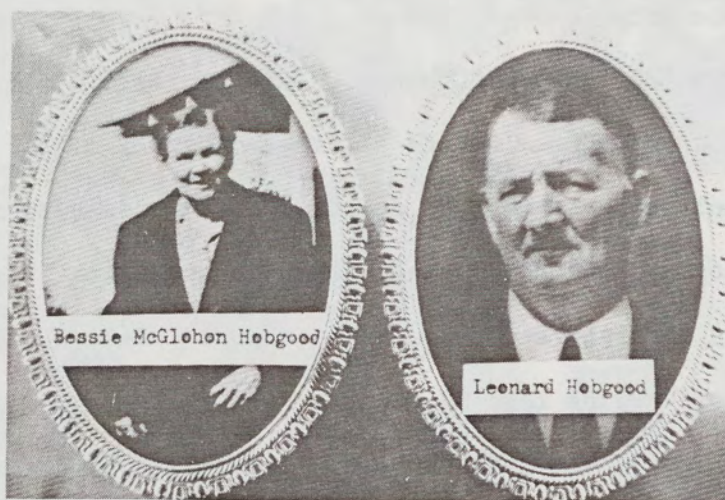


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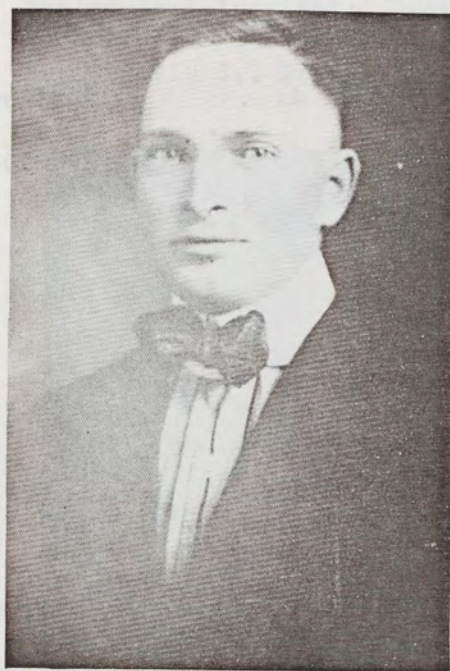


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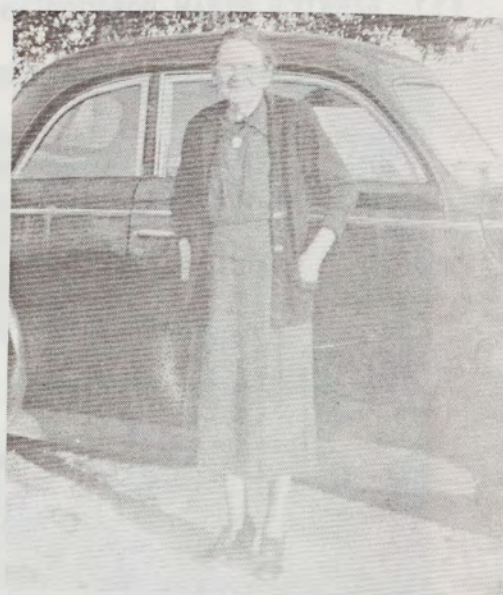
- (4) FREDDIE LOUISE SMITH--b. Sept. 2, 1904; d. Feb. 9, 1907, bur. Ayden Cem.
- (5) MARY ALICE SMITH--b. Sept. 4, 1906; d. Apr. 16, 1992, bur. Ayden Cem.; on Nov. 25, 1925, m. JOSEPH ALLEN JOHNSON (b. Feb. 17, 1902; d. Nov. 5, 1960, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Robert Lawrence Johnson and Mary May. Mary Alice had 6 grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren when she died.
- (a) ALICE JEAN JOHNSON--b. May 31, 1927; on Dec. 19, 1947, m. FRANK HOWARD SHERRILL JR. (b. Sept. 4, 1921; d. July 23, 1973, bur. in Eden), son of Frank Howard Sherrill and Gorgene Burgen of Asheville; lives in Eden.
- i. FRANK HOWARD (SONNY) SHERRILL III--b. June 14, 1950; on Jan. 25, 1986, m. FAYE W.; live in Raleigh.
- aa. NATHANIEL SHERRILL--b. Nov. 4, 1988.
- ii. MARY JANE SHERRILL--b. Nov. 28, 1951; on Sept. 25, 1982, m. ROGER WAYNE FISHER, son of Cecil Roger Fisher of Henderson; live in Eden.
- aa. Son.
- iii. SUSAN ALLEN SHERRILL--b. Sept. 18, 1953; m. a GRANT; live in Cullowhee.
- aa. Daughter.
- bb. Daughter.
- iv. NANCY ANN SHERRILL--b. Sept. 4, 1958; lives at Atlanta, GA.
- v. ALICE SHERRILL--June 1, 1959, bur. Ayden Cem.
- (b) JOSEPH ALLEN JOHNSON JR.--b. May 9, 1933; on June 25, 1955, m. SHIRLEY SIMPSON (b. July 1, 1933), dau. of Ralph Simpson and Ruth Collins of Gastonia; live in Greensboro.
- i. CAROLINE COLLINS JOHNSON--b. Nov. 19, 1958; on June 18, 1983, m. DONALD GREY LOGGINS JR., son of Donald Grey Loggins Sr. of



Bessie McGlohon and Leonard Hobgood



Bernice Hiram Hobgood



Bessie M. Hobgood

Winston Salem; divorced in 1985 and resumed maiden name; lives at Raleigh.

- ii. CLAIRE CARTER JOHNSON--b. May 11, 1965; lives in Raleigh.
- d. FRED TILDEN MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 3, 1876; d. Sept. 11, 1876, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
- e. FREDERICK HERBERT (NAP) MCGLOHON--b. July 5, 1878; d. Nov. 13, 1890, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem. He was killed accidentally by his Uncle Louis with an old pistol which was out of commission, according to Mary McGlohon Smith's records. The story handed down in the writer's family is that they were hunting at night and that Louis, who had night blindness, accidentally shot him, not knowing that he was nearby.
- f. ROSA ELIZABETH (BESSIE) MCGLOHON--b. Mar. 11, 1881; d. May 9, 1959, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Nov. 1, 1896, m. JOSEPH LEONARD HOBGOOD (b. May 7, 1875; d. Nov. 25, 1936, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), son of R. W. Hobgood and Mary of Granville Co.
- (1) BERNICE HIRAM HOBGOOD--b. Aug. 8, 1897; d. , 1948; bur. in Wake Forest; m. PAULINE PREDDY (b. Jan. 30, 1903; d. Nov. 22, 1980, bur. in Wake Forest), of Youngsville; lived in Wake Forest.
- (a) BERNICE HIRAM HOBGOOD JR.--b. Oct. 14, 1920; on Dec. 1, 1947, m. FAIRIS GREEN (b. May 13, 1925).
- i. MICHAEL WAYNE HOBGOOD--b. Jan. 21, 1949; on Mar. 12, 1971, m. VIVIAN NOISEUX (b. Jan. 9, 1952).
- ii. NANCY LYNN HOBGOOD--b. Dec. 20, 1949.
- (b) MILDRED TARSHIE HOBGOOD--b. Sept. 26, 1922, in Youngsville; on Sept. 26, 1940, m. BENJAMIN SHERWOOD STATON (b. July 21, 1918, in Marshville).
- i. ANNE ELIZABETH STATON--b. Feb. 1, 1943, in Harrisburg, Pa.; on Nov. 17, 1964, m. LEONARD D. CALDWELL.



David and Tarshie H. Forlines Family at 50th Wedding Anniversary. Seated left to right: Ruth H., Sallie, David, Tarshie, Winnie, and Mary F. Standing: Leonard Lee, Charlie Graham, Maynard Earl, Doris S., Bruce Harris, and Emmis.



J. L. Hobgood Family. Seated: Jennifer, Elizabeth, Joseph III, and Jackie. Standing: Eddie, J. L., and Jo Anne.

- ii. JAMES SHERWOOD STATON--b. May 5, 1947, in Germantown, Pa.
- iii. JOHN SCOTT STATON--b. Nov. 15, 1953, in Haverton, Pa.
- (c) JANE ELIZABETH HOBGOOD--b. Jan. 28, 1926; on Apr. 2, 1946, m. WILLIAM HERBERT BLAND (b. Nov. 27, 1924).
 - i. KATHERINE ELIZABETH BLAND--b. Aug. 17, 1947; d. June 24, 1953.
 - ii. WILLIAM HERBERT BLAND JR.--b. July 27, 1950.
 - iii. FRANK HOBGOOD BLAND--b. Oct. 17, 1951.
 - iv. JAMES ROBERT BLAND--b. July 31, 1952.
- (d) IRIS ROSE HOBGOOD--b. Jan. 21, 1928; on June 16, 1954, m. HUGH ANDREW TURNER (b. Aug. 7, 1928).
 - i. SUSAN ELAINE TURNER--b. Dec. 12, 1957.
 - ii. JAMES ANDREW TURNER--b. Oct. 25, 1962.
- (e) JOYCE MAE HOBGOOD--b. Apr. 23, 1931; on Sept. 28, 1946, m. RICHARD SIMMONS WINDERS (b. Apr. 3, 1925).
 - i. JOYCE MICHELLE WINDERS--b. May 1, 1947; on July 29, 1967, m. JAMES DEAN NOUD (b. Aug. 4, 1944).
 - aa. JAMES DEAN NOUD JR.--b. June 13, 1968.
 - ii. RICHARD SIMMONS WINDERS JR.--b. Oct. 18, 1948; on May 5, 1973, m. NANCY MARGARET DONCKLES (b. Jan. 22, 1951).
 - iii. DAVID LYNN WINDERS--b. Jan. 13, 1952; on Feb. 13, 1971, m. SANDRA KAY LILLY (b. Mar. 6, 1952).
- (2) MARY TARSHIE HOBGOOD--b. Feb. 16, 1902; d. Jan. 6, 1971, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Mar. 27, 1920, m. DAVID OWEN FORLINES (b. Oct. 19, 1898; d. Dec. 16, 1976, of lung cancer, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park), son of Henry Lee Forlines and Cordelia Frances (Delia) Cliborne.
 - (a) LEONARD LEE FORLINES--b. May 26, 1921; on July 2, 1949, m. RUTH ELIZABETH HAFNER (b. July 26, 1926), dau. of James A. Hafner and Lillian Ballew of Birmingham, AL. They live in Vincentown, NJ.

- i. CAROL ANN FORLINES--b. Apr. 13, 1950.
 - aa. MICHAEL ROBERT FORLINES--b. May 3, 1980.
- ii. JAMES DAVID (JIM) FORLINES--b. Aug. 24, 1953; m. 1st, on Jan. 4, 1975, KATHY STEVENS (b. Oct. 11, 1952), dau. of William H. and Audrey Stevens of Trenton, NJ; divorced; m. 2nd, on Oct. 21, 1986, JANIS WAGNER (b. May 13, 1954); divorced. He lives in Southampton, NJ; n. c.

(b) MAYNARD EARL FORLINES--b. Feb. 25, 1923; d. Mar. 6, 1991; bur. East Lawn Cem., Bloomington, Illinois; on Dec. 21, 1948, m. DORIS JEAN SCHEWE (b. Mar. 12, 1926) of Covel, IL.

- i. MAYNARD EUGENE FORLINES--b. Oct. 23, 1949; on June 18, 1972, m. SHEILA LYNN MATHIAS (b. Oct. 1, 1951), dau. of Emerson Mathais and Genevieve Taylor of Assumption, IL. They live in Assumption.
 - aa. ERIC WAYNE FORLINES--b. Mar. 11, 1975.
 - bb. JOEL EUGENE FORLINES--b. Mar. 4, 1978.
 - cc. ROSS DAVID FORLINES--b. Oct. 16, 1979.
 - dd. KATY LYNN FORLINES--b. Oct. 16, 1983.
- ii. GARY LEON FORLINES--b. July 13, 1951; on June 17, 1973, m. VIRGINIA (GINNIE) RAND IMMEL (b. Apr. 14, 1951), dau. of John Immel and Marian Galbraith of Peoria, IL. They live in Toulon, IL.
 - aa. TUCKER CRAIG FORLINES--b. Aug. 12, 1978.
 - bb. NOAH JOHN FORLINES--b. Nov. 12, 1980.
- iii. BETTY ARLENE FORLINES--b. June 16, 1956; on June 9, 1984, m. RICHARD ALAN (RICK) HAMBLIN, son of Richard H. Hamblin and Beverly Ann Clarke of Downs, IL. They live in Normal, IL.
 - aa. JAY RICHARD HAMBLIN--b. Apr. 28, 1986.

- (c) EMMIS O'GRAY (PANNIE) FORLINES--b. July 23, 1924; on June 13, 1946, m. MARY AUGUSTEEN FORBES (b. Aug. 1, 1926), dau. of Allen Forbes and Dora Estelle Willoughby; n. c.
- (d) SALLIE DEAN FORLINES--b. May 12, 1926; on Oct. 31, 1946, m. CHARLES ALEXANDER MUSSELWHITE (b. Apr. 4, 1918; d. Nov. 25, 1967; bur. Greenwood Cem., Greenville).
 - i. ROBERT RICHARD MUSSELWHITE II--b. Sept. 17, 1951; on Aug. 12, 1972, m. CAROLINE FRANCES RAMSEY (b. Mar. 21, 1951), dau. of Earle Gene Ramsey and Burbeck V. Tompkins of Vermont now living in Brevard, NC. In 1993 they lived in Litchfield Park, Arizona.
 - aa. MATTHEW RAMSEY MUSSELWHITE--b. Aug. 20, 1975.
 - bb. KATHRYN MARIE MUSSELWHITE--b. June 27, 1979.
 - ii. MELINDA JO MUSSELWHITE--b. Apr. 24, 1953; on June 12, 1971, m. JOHN CHESTER WOODS (b. May 28, 1950), son of John Woods of Huntingdon, PA.
 - aa. STACY JANET WOODS--b. Dec. 14, 1975.
 - bb. JOANNA MARIE WOODS--b. June 27, 1978.
 - iii. SARAH JANET MUSSELWHITE--b. Jan. 20, 1958; on May 22, 1977, m. MICHAEL DEAN STOCKS (b. Oct. 30, 1956), son of Linwood Dean Stocks and Mary Edna Brisson of Greenville.
 - aa. JANET KATHLEEN STOCKS--b. Apr. 16, 1985.
 - bb. JULIE ANN STOCKS--b. Jan. 9, 1988.
- (e) WINNIE ALOMA FORLINES--b. May 3, 1928; m. 1st, on May 6, 1949, EVERETT BURRELL (b. Mar. 22, 1924); divorced; m. 2nd, on June 5, 1954, BRUCE CAMPBELL HARRIS (b. Feb. 1919), of Johnson City, TN. Winnie lives in Bethesda, MD.
 - i. MICHAEL WAYNE BURRELL--b. Nov. 8, 1950; on Aug. 9, 1975, m.

MARY LOUISE (HONEY) SALISBURY (b. Mar. 6, 1951) of Summer-ville, SC.; live in Summerville.

aa. TARSHIE MARIE BURRELL (adopted)--b. Oct. 11, 1982.

bb. ASHLEY O'GRAY BURRELL (adopted)--b. July 24, 1985.

ii. DAVID ALLAN HARRIS--b. July 19, 1956; lives at Accokeek, MD.

iii. BONNIE DEE HARRIS--b. Aug. 5, 1964; on Feb. 3, 1990, m.

MATTHEW ADAM LANGENDORFF, son of John C. Langendorff and Jean Carver. In June 1993 went to Thailand for two years.

aa. TROY DANIEL LANGENDORFF--b. Nov. 18, 1992, in Bend, OR.

(f) LEWIS DIXON FORLINES--b. Apr. 20, 1931; d. Jan. 25, 1933; bur.

McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.

(g) CHARLIE GRAHAM (PETE) FORLINES--b. Sept. 23, 1932; d. of lung

cancer on Aug. 26, 1973; bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Apr. 15,

1972, m. ANN HARRIS JOYNER (b. July 23, 1947), dau. of William Harris; n. c.

(h) EDWARD ZEMO FORLINES--b. Oct. 6, 1934; d. Nov. 23, 1934; bur.

McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.

(i) PHYLLIS ANN FORLINES--b. Jan. 28, 1936; d. Nov. 12, 1936; bur.

McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.

(j-k) Twin boys--b. and d. May 3, 1938; bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.

(3) CHARLIE STANCIL HOBGOOD--b. July 20, 1905; d. Feb. 17, 1987, bur.

Uniontown Cem., PA; on Aug. 15, 1942, m. MARGARET ANN (PEGGY)

COUGHENOUR (b. Apr. 2, 1918) of Belle Vernon, PA; lived in Uniontown, PA.

(a) CHARLES STEWART HOBGOOD--b. May 9, 1944; on Aug. 8, 1966, m.

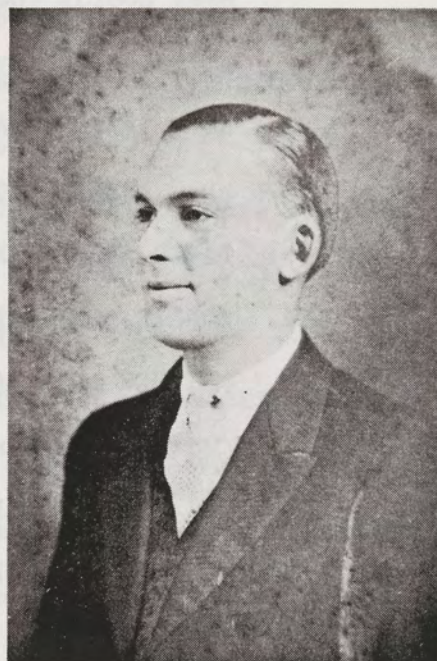
MARABETH ANN BURROWS (b. June 14, 1944): live in Defiance, OH.

i. LAURIE ANN HOBGOOD--b. Oct. 1, 1969.

ii. TODD CHRISTOPHER HOBGOOD--b. Jan. 2, 1972.



Rachel S. and Druid Hobgood



Charlie Stancil Hobgood



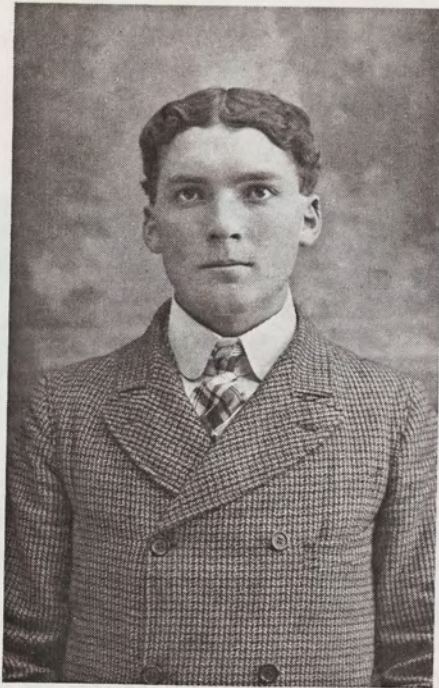
Jack, Cathy, Louise Hobgood,
and Coleen Watson



Bessie McGlohon

Bessie McGlohon

- (b) Infant son--b. and d. June 9, 1947.
- (c) JAMES LEONARD (JIM) HOBGOOD--b. Dec. 22, 1951; on Dec. 18, 1976, m. LINDA LOUISE BARTLETT (b. June 10, 1953); live in Fredericksburg, VA.
 - i. JAMES DANIEL HOBGOOD--b. Apr. 29, 1980.
 - ii. JENNY LYNN HOBGOOD--b. Dec. 9, 1982.
- (4) GRAHAM HOBGOOD--b. May 10, 1910; d. May 27, 1911, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
- (5) DRUID DIXON HOBGOOD--b. Oct. 1, 1912; d. Mar. 16, 1993, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Jan. 27, 1934, m. RACHEL ELIZABETH SMITH (b. Jan. 18, 1914; d. May 28, 1986, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park) of Ingold.
 - (a) DRUID DIXON (DIXIE) HOBGOOD JR.--b. Apr. 3, 1936; on Mar. 23, 1962, m. LINDA CAROLE PEARMAN (b. Aug. 8, 1943).
 - i. STACIE LAYNE HOBGOOD--b. Dec. 13, 1962; on Nov. 7, 1992, m. CHRISTOPHER WAYNE HAGWOOD.
 - ii. ANDREA LEE HOBGOOD--b. Nov. 19, 1967; on May 16, 1992, m. EDWIN SCOTT EDWARDS.
 - iii. WILLIAM KEITH HOBGOOD--b. Aug. 6, 1971, twin.
 - iv. MATTHEW DIXON HOBGOOD--b. Aug. 6, 1971, twin.
 - (b) ROBERT LYNCH (BOBBY) HOBGOOD--b. Oct. 20, 1944; on Jan. 17, 1964, m. CYNTHIA LOU DUDLEY (b. Aug. 28, 1943).
 - i. KELLY LYNN HOBGOOD--b. Aug. 23, 1964.
 - ii. ROBERT SCOTT HOBGOOD--b. Feb. 27, 1968.
- (6) JOSEPH LEONARD (J. L.) HOBGOOD JR.--b. July 28, 1920; d. in an automobile accident on Dec. 1, 1972, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Nov. 9, 1950, m. ELIZABETH SMITH (b. Sept. 19, 1933), dau. of Luther Cannon Smith and Minnie May Buck.
 - (a) WILLIAM EDWARD (EDDIE) HOBGOOD--b. Apr. 6, 1958 (adopted); on Apr. 15, 1978, m. MARY KATHRYN HATHAWAY (b. June 1957), dau. of Alfred G. Hathaway of Enfield.



Grover McGlohon at 16



Grover McGlohon, 1941



Grover McGlohon Family. Left to right: Becky, Glynn, Margaret, Fred, Kennie, Mark, Leah, Nell, Arlene, and Mabel.

- i. ANNIE MELISSA HOBGOOD--b. Dec. 2, 1982.
- ii. ASHLEY HOBGOOD.
- (b) JO ANNE HOBGOOD--b. Feb. 2, 1961; on June 17, 1978, m. NED VAIL KINSAUL (b. Dec. 14, 1959).
 - i. SHANNON VAIL KINSAUL--b. Apr. 17, 1979.
- (c) JACKIE LYNN HOBGOOD--b. Mar. 3, 1962; on May 27, 1989, m. JEFFREY TROY JONES, son of D. T. Jones, Jr.
- (d) JENNIFER ELIZABETH HOBGOOD--b. Sept. 20, 1963; m. a SOMERS; live in Washington, NC.
- (e) JOSEPH LEONARD HOBGOOD III--b. Dec. 24, 1966; on Dec. 3, 1988, m. AMANDA LOU STOKES, dau. of Louise and J. B. Stokes Jr. of Route 2, Greenville.
- (f) JONATHAN SMITH HOBGOOD--infant, b. Dec. 25, 1968, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park.
- (7) NORMA BESSIE LOUISE HOBGOOD--b. Apr. 7, 1923; on Jan. 9, 1946, m. JOHN VINCENT (JACK) WATSON (b. Dec. 3, 1922) of Bloomington, IL.
 - (a) CATHERINE ELIZABETH WATSON--b. July 23, 1948; on Sept. 5, 1970, m. JESSE R. CRANK (b. Oct. 18, 1946) of Beaufort; divorced; m. a second time.
 - (b) THERESA COLEEN WATSON--b. May 1, 1950.
- g. LORENZO GROVER CLEVELAND MCGLOHON--b. June 20, 1884; d. Oct. 31, 1941, of a stroke, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Feb. 18, 1912, m. KENNIE SUSAN FORLINES (b. June 19, 1890, in Mecklenburg Co., VA; d. of a heart attack Oct. 1, 1977, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), dau. of Henry Lee Forlines and Cordelia Frances (Delia) Cliborne. Her family moved to Pitt County and settled in the Winterville area in January, 1902.

Before he was married, Grover worked for a while for an express company, and then as a brakeman for the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad. After their marriage, they settled in Ayden, living at first with his sister, Mary Smith, and her family. Then they lived in two different houses on East Second Street.

In Ayden, Grover first worked as a clerk for J. R. Smith and Brother. For the remainder of his time there, he was a clerk-bookkeeper for J. B. Pierce and Company. In 1930 the family moved to the J. R. Smith farm just outside of Ayden to the north, where they lived for about two years. In

January, 1932, they moved to a farm about three and one-half miles south of Stokes which was owned by his uncle, Charles McLawhorn.

Suffering with asthma and high blood pressure much of his life, Grover was stricken with a stroke during the early hours of Wednesday morning and died on Friday night, October 31.

After all the boys were drafted into military service during World War II, the rest of the family moved to Winterville on December 29, 1942. Glynn, the oldest daughter, also served in the WAAC.

Through the years Kennie supplemented the family income by dressmaking, for which she was quite skilled. She said that the only time she ever sewed on Sunday was to make a shroud for someone who had died.

They had nine children--six girls and three boys.

- (1) CHATTLA GLYNN MCGLOHON--b. Feb. 6, 1913; d. of cancer on Mar. 14, 1990; bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Apr. 18, 1947, m. JAMIE MARK KEETER (b. Oct. 30, 1911), son of J. E. Keeter and Mattie Avery.
- (a) REBECCA (BECKY) JUSTUS MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 22, 1934; on Aug. 29, 1956, m. DONALD JAMES BOYLE (b. Feb. 18, 1932), son of Chris Anthony Boyle and Edna Frances Eck (later Mrs. Howard Neal) of East Liberpool, Ohio.
 - i. RITA LYNN BOYLE--b. June 8, 1957; m. 1st, on Aug. 20, 1975, CHARLES RICHARD HARPER (b. Mar. 17, 1953), son of Thomas Harper and Mildred Jordan of Beulaville; divorced; m. 2nd, on Aug. 27, 1978, THOMAS MCCRAE HARRIS (b. Jan. 10, 1956), son of Wilton Green Harris and Flonnie Mae Perry of Franklinton; divorced.
 - aa. JOSHUA MCCRAE HARRIS--b. Nov. 26, 1981.
 - ii. ERIC DONALD BOYLE--b. Jan. 28, 1961; on Apr. 8, 1986, m. TAMMY IRENE SMITH (b. July 19, 1961), dau. of Durwood Smith and Nina Bell Mills of Greenville. In 1993 Eric was in the army and they lived in Rome, NY.
 - aa. KACY JUSTUS BOYLE--b. Dec. 31, 1988.
 - bb. KRYSTL BELL BOYLE--b. Apr. 25, 1991.
 - cc. SANDRA NICHOLE BOYLE--b. Sept. 1, 1993.
 - iii. JAMES HOWARD BOYLE--b. Dec. 30, 1964; served a term in the army and in 1993 was going to college.
 - iv. MICHAEL SCOTT BOYLE--b. May 21, 1966; on June 2, 1990, m. PAMELA SUE BIRD (b. Feb. 19, 1967, dau. of Jimmie Harold Bird and Joyce Marie Swanson of Greenville.



Herbert Hoke McGlohon (1917-1944)



Kennie Forlines McGlohon



Kennie F. McGlohon with Family, Christmas, 1976

- (2) MARGARET ELIZABETH MCGLOHON--b. July 10, 1914; on July 2, 1944, m. WILLIS DIXON (DICK) MOSELEY (b. Feb. 9, 1912; d. Sept. 21, 1960, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Willis Moseley and Lorena Atwood Dixon of Ayden.
- (a) MARY LORENA MOSELEY--b. Jan. 14, 1946; on Mar. 29, 1970, m. WILLIAM WAYNE (BILL) WYATT (b. Apr. 21, 1945), son of Frank Kendall Wyatt and Eloise Elizabeth Strickland of Goldsboro. They live on Route 8, Kinston.
- i. MEGAN WYATT--b. May 1, 1974.
- (3) FREDERICK LEE (FRED) MCGLOHON--b. Oct. 24, 1915; on Nov. 27, 1947, m. ARLENE STANLEY (b. Apr. 11, 1921), dau. of Emmett A. Stanley and Zula Cleveland Haddock.
- (a) MILLIE MCGLOHON--b. Oct. 6, 1948; on June 21, 1969, m. RANDALL (RANDY) PAUL LEBLOND (b. Dec. 2, 1945), son of Leon Leblond and Rita Gamache of Jacksonville.
- i. RICHARD (RICK) PAUL LEBLOND--b. Dec. 30, 1975.
- ii. DAVID LEE LEBLOND (twin of Rick)--b. Dec. 30, 1975; d. Dec. 31, 1975.
- iii. DAVID CHARLES LEBLOND--b. Sept. 10, 1979.
- (b) GROVER STANLEY MCGLOHON--b. June 4, 1950; on June 16, 1974, m. VICKIE DIANE BOYD (b. May 21, 1952), dau. of William Marvin Boyd and Mary Marie Grant of Greenville.
- i. STACY MARIE MCGLOHON--b. July 27, 1978.
- ii. JAMIE LEIGH MCGLOHON--b. July 25, 1981.
- (c) TRUDY MCGLOHON--b. Jan. 19, 1952.
- (4) HERBERT HOKE MCGLOHON--b. July 26, 1917; d. May 25, 1944 (killed in Italy during World War II); bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem. Hoke never married.
- (5) MARK STANCIL MCGLOHON--b. May 30, 1919; n. m.

- (6) FRANCES ARLENE MCGLOHON--b. Jan. 9, 1921; on Sept. 22, 1945, m. JAMES DEVENWOOD (J. D.) KNOX (b. Feb. 21, 1921), son of James Daniel Knox and Mamie Gilbert Williams of near Robersonville; live at Robersonville.
- (a) HOKE RANDALL KNOX--b. Aug. 3, 1946; on Apr. 22, 1973, m. EMILY JOAN HOWARD (b. Mar. 17, 1950), dau. of Aubrey Asbury Howard and Viola Louise Edwards of Salisbury, MD. In 1993 they lived in Olathe, Kansas.
- i. KAREN JOAN KNOX--b. Jan. 23, 1976.
- ii. STEPHEN RANDALL KNOX--b. Dec. 31, 1977.
- iii. KEVIN HOKE KNOX--b. Oct. 9, 1980.
- iv. SARAH ELIZABETH KNOX--b. Jan. 17, 1982.
- (b) PHYLLIS TILMON KNOX--b. Sept. 24, 1947; on June 21, 1970, m. RONALD GENE (RONNIE) MELTON (b. Dec. 25, 1946), son of Louis Wells Melton and Allie Marie Roebuck of Robersonville; live at Rocky Mount.
- i. DEVEN LOUIS MELTON--b. June 23, 1984.
- (c) JAMES KEITH KNOX--b. Feb. 28, 1954; on June 7, 1981, m. ELIZABETH DELL CROOM (b. Jan. 22, 1957, in Burgaw), dau. of William Penn Croom and Lucille Ruth Moller of Fayetteville.
- i. JENNIFER DIANE KNOX--b. Aug. 19, 1983.
- ii. MELISSA DAWN KNOX--b. June 26, 1987.
- iii. ASHLYN ELIZABETH KNOX--b. Aug. 17, 1992.
- (d) DARLENE KNOX--b. Jan. 13, 1957; on Oct. 18, 1981, m. BENJAMIN (BEN) HINTON MCLAWHORN (b. Nov. 27, 1956, in Lenoir Co.), son of Ola Ray McLawhorn and Lois Claire Tripp of near Ayden.
- (7) MABEL JEAN MCGLOHON--b. July 19, 1925; on Apr. 27, 1947, m. BURNEY LELAND TUCKER (b. Feb. 20, 1916), son of Herman David Tucker and Lula Henrietta Worthington of Winterville; live in Winterville.

- (a) BURNEY LELAND TUCKER JR.--b. Mar. 9, 1948; on June 7, 1968, m. LINDA GAIL STOKES (b. Aug. 13, 1947), dau. of Gorman Gray Stokes and Margaret Christine McLawhorn of Ayden.
 - i. MICHAEL LELAND TUCKER--b. May 16, 1973.
 - ii. KENNIE SUSAN TUCKER--b. Dec. 9, 1979.
- (b) LULA SUSAN TUCKER--b. Feb. 24, 1951; on Aug. 29, 1970, m. TONY PRESTON MOORE (b. Oct. 9, 1950), son of C. B. Moore and Rachel Meeks.
 - i. ASHLEY TUCKER MOORE--b. Jan. 15, 1975.
 - ii. JARRETT PRESTON MOORE--b. May 23, 1977.
 - iii. ABBY JEAN MOORE--b. Mar. 4, 1988.
- (c) ALFRED JEFFREY TUCKER--b. Mar. 11, 1955; on June 6, 1976, m. JANE WILSON PORTER (b. June 3, 1955), dau. of Judson Earl Porter and Peggy Daniels of the Portertown community.
 - i. JESSICA JOYCE TUCKER--b. Apr. 16, 1983.
 - ii. JEREMY MARK TUCKER--b. July 31, 1985.
- (8) FLORA NELL MCGLOHON--b. Feb. 17, 1928; on Nov. 24, 1949, m. JOSEPH THOMAS (TOMMY) LIVERMAN (b. Nov. 14, 1928), son of James Stanley Liverman and Mamie Copeland. Tommy is a physician with a general practice in Nashville, NC.
 - (a) JOSEPH THOMAS (TONY) LIVERMAN JR.--b. Oct. 22, 1953; on June 1, 1975, m. ANITA YVONNE LUPER (b. Apr. 20, 1953), dau. of Joseph Alma Luper and Theresa Parker of Rocky Mount. Tony is a physician with a general practice in Smithfield.
 - i. DYLAN PARKER LIVERMAN--b. May 3, 1985.
 - (b) KENNIE JEAN LIVERMAN--b. Apr. 16, 1956; on Mar. 28, 1987, m. JAMES EDWARD (JIM) CARR III (b. June 5, 1958), son of James Edward Carr Jr. and Judith Ann Cohoon.



Letha McGlohon Fletcher



Luther C. Fletcher



Letha McGlohon, about 18



Grover McGlohon and Letha McGlohon Fletcher



Doctor McGlohon



Nina Smith McGlohon



Doctor McGlohon Family. Left to right: Donald, Bryant, Patsy, Wayland, Ellen, Waldo, Peggy, and Betty Ellis.

i. JAMES THOMAS (JAY) CARR--b. June 1, 1989.

ii. MEREDITH BRITTON CARR--b. May 3, 1992.

(9) LEAH LOUISE MCGLOHON--b. Sept. 7, 1930; n. m.

h. LETHA CLEO MCGLOHON--b. Feb. 10, 1886; d. of a heart attack Mar. 23, 1932, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Aug. 31, 1904; m. a widower, LUTHER C.

FLETCHER (b. Feb. 11, 1871; d. June 19, 1933, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.)

of Granville Co. Luther Married Lula May Jenkins the third time and committed suicide in six weeks. Letha and Luther had no children; but

Luther had sone son, Alfred Fletcher, by his first wife, Ella Braxton.

i. Infant daughter--Nov. 30, 1887, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn.

j. DOCTOR R. MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 23, 1889; d. Dec. 14, 1936, of a stroke, bur.

McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem., moved to Pinewood Memorial Park; on Jan. 31, 1912,

m. NINA ESTER SMITH (b. Jan. 22, 1892; d. Oct. 17, 1967, bur. Pinewood

Memorial Park); dau. of Henry Bryant (Major) Smith and Octavia Dail. Doctor

was not named as a baby. The story is told that his parents could not agree

on a name; so they decided to wait until he was old enough to name himself.

Everyone called him Dock, so he took Doctor as his name. Evidently his

parents ran out of names when they gave Grover three names. His marriage

record has the initials "D. R."

(1) KENNETH WALDO (DOC) MCGLOHON--b. Nov. 8, 1912; d. Jan. 22, 1992, bur.

Granby St. Cem., Norfolk, VA; m. IDA LOUISE DAVENPORT (b. Apr. 13,

1913; d. Nov. , 1988), dau. of James Samuel Davenport and Janie

Hollowell; lived in Portsmouth, VA.

(a) KENNETH LAYNE MCGLOHON--b. Oct. 23, 1956 (adopted); on May 22,

1977, m. DENISE YOUNT (b. Oct. 16, 1961.; live in Norfolk, VA.

i. CHRISTOPHER WAYNE MCGLOHON--b. Feb. 6, 1978.

ii. STEPHEN DWAYNE MCGLOHON--b. Mar. 21, 1979.

iii.

- (2) ELLEN LURAY MCGLOHON--b. July 29, 1914; d. Mar. 20, 1988, bur. Greenwood Cem.; m. 1st, on June 4, 1940, BOYD DALTON COX (b. Oct. 3, 1909; d. Aug. 23, 1966), son of William Oliver Cox and Tabitha Boyd of Ayden; m. 2nd, on Dec. 7, 1968, EDWARD WINSLOW BRADFORD (b. Sept. 15, 1921; d. Apr. 28, 1993, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park), son of Harry A. Bradford and Mildred Hayden of Plymouth, MA. Ed was a tenth generation descendant of William Bradford, founder of Massachusetts.
- (a) WILLIAM BOYD COX--b. June 21, 1941; m. 1st, on Dec. 24, 1968, PATRICIA LONG of Bellevue, WA; divorced in Oct. 1975; m. 2nd ILENE ENTIN. He is an orthodontist and lives in Greenville.
- i. KATHRYN ELIZABETH ENTIN LEVINE--b. May 29, 1980 (William's stepdaughter).
- (b) KENNETH GENE COX--b. May 8, 1944; on Aug. 1, 1970, m. BONNIE FAYE ADAMS (b. July 29, 1947), dau. of Roy and Annie Adams of Durham; live in Tarboro.
- i. KENNETH GENE (KENT) COX II--b. Mar. 5, 1976.
- ii. BRADFORD ADAMS COX--b. Apr. 1, 1982.
- (3) WAYLAND DUKE MCGLOHON--b. Sept. 22, 1916; on Dec. 24, 1938, m. MARGARET ELIZABETH (MAGGIE) CAMPBELL (b. Apr. 16, 1915), dau. of Thomas Guy Campbell and Nancy Chapman; live in Ayden.
- (a) WAYLAND DUKE MCGLOHON JR.--b. Mar. 23, 1940; on Sept. 28, 1961, m. FLORENCE OVERTON SCOTT (b. Feb. 18, 1943); live in Greenville.
- i. ELIZABETH SCOTT MCGLOHON--b. Jan. 10, 1963; lives in Beaumont, Texas.
- ii. KIMBERLY WHITE MCGLOHON--b. Nov. 11, 1968; on Mar. 22, 1991, m. MARK PAUL SCHWEIBINZ, son of Donald John Schweibinz of Cleveland, OH.
- iii. MELINDA JO MCGLOHON--b. Nov. 11, 1968.
- (b) ARTIE CAMPBELL MCGLOHON--b. Sept. 21, 1944; on Jan. 29, 1966, m. REBECCA JILL CARPENTER (b. Oct. 6, 1945).

- i. MELISSA LEIGH MCGLOHON--b. June 13, 1968.
- ii. AMY REBECCA MCGLOHON--b. Sept 14, 1969.
- (c) DAVID EDWARD MCGLOHON--b. Dec. 13, 1949; on June 1, 1974, m. JEAN VAUGHN WAGNER, dau. of Kenneth Cole Wagner of Morehead City.
- (4) WESTLEY WILSON MCGLOHON--b. Oct. 26, 1918; d. Mar. 24, 1919, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
- (5) Infant daughter--Sept. 23, 1919, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
- (6) BETTY ELLIS MCGLOHON--b. July 16, 1921; d. June 28, 1987, bur. Ayden Cem.; on Jan. 29, 1943, m. R. H. McLAWHORN JR. (b. Aug. 31, 1923; d. June 19, 1987, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Richard Herman McLawhorn and Janie Tyson. For children, see R. H.'s family.
- (7) JENNEFREDE MCGLOHON--b. July 24, 1923; d. Oct. 25, 1926, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
- (8) LEWIS BRYANT MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 7, 1925; on Oct. 7, 1951, m. MARY ETHEL PENDERGRAFT (b. Jan. 6, 1917, in Arkansas); three adopted children. Bryant is a retired U. S. Air Force officer and lives in Cherry Oaks near Greenville.
- (a) MICHAEL BRYANT MCGLOHON--b. Dec. 24, 1956; m. 1st, on June 13, 1981, MARTHA ELIZABETH CLYDE (b. Jan. 9, 1957, in Nashville, TN), dau. of Dr. Wallace Alexander Clyde Jr. and Barbara Jean McClain Chapel Hill; divorced in 1986; m. 2nd, on Jan. 30, 1993, CINDY VAUGHAN, dau. of Frank and Virginia (Ginny) Bradley of LaGrange; live at LaGrange.
- i. ALEXANDRA MCGLOHON--b. Sept. 20, 1984.
- (b) KIMBERLY DIANE MCGLOHON--b. May 24, 1957; on Apr. 15, 1992, m. WILLIAM (BILL) SAUNDERS, son of Frank Dunn and Clara Mercer; live in Winterville.
- i. JUSTIN SAUNDERS--b. Oct. 9, 1986.
- ii. MICHAEL SAUNDERS--b. June 7, 1989.

- (c) NANCY KATHRYN MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 28, 1958; on May 31, 1980, m. CARLTON DUDLEY CORBETT, son of Cyrus Dudley Corbett of Greenville; live in Winterville.
- i. MARY KATHRYN CORBETT--b. Aug. 31, 1981.
- ii. ASHLEY CHRISTINE CORBETT--b. Sept. 6, 1985.
- (9) PEGGY MCGLOHON--b. July 17, 1929; on Aug 27, 1950, m. JAMES ANDERSON WOOD (b. June 18, 1929) of Richmond, VA. They now live in Florida.
- (a) JAMES ANDERSON WOOD JR.--b. Aug. 2, 1951; on Sept. 9, 1972, m. NANCY ELIZABETH SAUNDERS (b. Aug. 19, 1951), dau. of Edward Stuart Saunders Jr. and Martha Leigh Gilcox; live in Richmond, VA.
- i. MORGAN ELIZABETH WOOD.
- (b) ROBERT ANTHONY WOOD--b. Dec. 8, 1953.
- (c) MICHAEL WAYNE WOOD--b. June 8, 1957.
- (10) PATSY MCGLOHON--b. July 17, 1929 (twin of Peggy); on Mar. 19, 1949, m. CHARLIE LEE HARDEE (b. July 24, 1928), son of Charlie and Selma Hardee; live in Grifton.
- (a) SANDRA GRACE HARDEE--b. Dec. 28, 1951; on Mar. 8, 1975, m. Dr. LAWRENCE JOSEPH HAK, son of George Thomas Hak of Collinswood, NJ.; live in Germantown, TN.
- i. EMILY MELISSA HAK.
- ii. CHRISTOPHER LAWRENCE HAK.
- (b) DONALD LEE HARDEE--b. Nov. 16, 1953; m. PEGGY CORBITT.
- (c) CHARLES RAYMOND HARDEE--b. Jan. 11, 1956; on June 11, 1983, m. TENA JEAN SMITH, dau. of William Roger Smith of Ayden.
- (d) GARY WAYNE HARDEE--b. June 15, 1957; on Feb. 26, 1984, m. DONNA MARIE STOCKS, dau. of Mrs. Guy Stocks of Route 5, Kinston.
- (11) DONALD CLEO MCGLOHON--b. Jan. 31, 1932; on Sept. 9, 1956, m. JANET RUTH WILLIAMS (b. Oct. 26, 1935), dau. of Samuel Robert Harrison Williams

(b. May 8, 1911) and Margaret Ruth Harrell (b. Mar. 7, 1914); live in Greenville.

(a) KEILA RUTH MCGLOHON--b. July 18, 1959; on May 13, 1989, m. PAUL JONES KEADLE III (b. Feb. 9, 1958), son of Paul Jones Keadle Jr. (b. Dec. 25, 1930) and Joyce Eileen Palmer (b. Dec. 2, 1933) of Cary; live in Cary.

i. DANIEL HAYS KEADLE--b. Dec. 3, 1992.

(b) MARGARET ELLEN MCGLOHON--b. Jan. 1, 1960; lives in Raleigh.

(c) DONALD CLEO MCGLOHON JR.--b. Mar. 14, 1962; lives in Greenville.

(12) ROBERT ALFRED (BOBBY) MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 28, 1934; on Oct. 1, 1960, m. ALYS ANNE DOERING (b. Mar. 3, 1940) of Mexia, TX. Bobby retired from the USAF and is a pilot. They live in Kerrville, TX.

(a) ROBERT ALFRED MCGLOHON JR.--b. May 8, 1962; on Aug. 15, 1992, m. BRENDA ELAINE LEISER (b. Apr. 20, 1968), dau. of James Leiser of Portland, OR; live in San Antonio, TX.

(b) DAVID FREDERICK MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 12, 1963; on Feb. 24, 1990, m. KIMBERLY ELAINE LOVING (b. Sept. 11, 1968); live in El Paso, TX.

i. DAVID TYLER MCGLOHON--b. July 2, 1991.

(c) AMY LYNN MCGLOHON--b. Apr. 7, 1969; on Sept. 18, 1993, m. JASON R. GOERTZ, son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Goertz of Kerrville, TX; lives in Austin, TX.

(13) WAYNE EDWARD MCGLOHON--b. May 27, 1936; on Nov. 16, 1958, m. CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH EPPS (b. Jan. 20, 1940), daug. of Clarence Burton Epps and Cecil Ada Stephens of Birmingham, AL.

(a) CLARISSA LEE MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 6, 1961.

(b) ADRIANNE ELIZABETH MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 12, 1963.

(c) CHARLOTTE LANE MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 12, 1963; lives in Athens, GA.

k. NORMA CHANDLER MCGLOHON--b. Mar. 17, 1891; d. May 26, 1979, bur. McGlohon-

McLawhorn Cem.; m. 1st, on Dec. 21, 1910, WILLIAM ALFRED FORBES (b. July 31, 1876; d. Oct. 15, 1932, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), son of Albert and Caroline Forbes of the King's Crossroads community; m. 2nd, on May 20, 1952, JESSE REESE HAWKINS (b. May 12, 1892; d. Feb. 4, 1970, bur. Woodlawn Memorial Park, Greenville, SC).

(1) CARRIE ELIZABETH FORBES--b. Sept. 15, 1911; d. Sept. 20, 1984, bur. Cherry Hill Cem., Greenville; on Dec. 14, 1934, m. RICHARD WRIGHT GORMAN (b. Jan. 23, 1900; d. June 21, 1970, bur. Cherry Hill Cem.). They lived at the Frederick McGlohon homeplace.

(a) JOHN ALFRED Gorman--b. Sept. 22, 1936; on June 2, 1957, m. BETTY ANN ROPER (b. June 23, 1936); live in Chapel Hill.

i. LYNNE CHANDLER GORMAN--b. June 24, 1958.

ii. ELIZABETH KING GORMAN--b. June 24, 1958; twin.

(b) RICHARD FORBES GORMAN--b. Oct. 11, 1940; on Aug. 12, 1961, m.

LINDA LEE MEWBORN (b. Aug. 5, 1940), dau. of Dr. John M. Mewborn and Margaret McLean of Farmville; live in New Bern.

i. LINDA MARGARET GORMAN--b. Apr. 28, 1965; on July 18, 1987, m. GEORGE STEPHEN DIAB, son of George Diab of Wilmington.

ii. RICHARD FORBES GORMAN JR.--b. Jan. 13, 1971.

(2) WILLIAM ALFRED (RED) FORBES JR.--b. Aug. 13, 1914; on Aug. 9, 1936, m.

VICTORIA THERALDINE HENRY (b. Oct. 20, 1915), dau. of James Marshall Henry Jr. and Bertie Lee Weeks of Benson; live near Winterville.

(a) WILLIAM ALFRED FORBES III--b. Jan. 7, 1942; on Nov. 7, 1964, m.

MARTHA SUE SHOTT (b. Oct. 3, 1943), dau. of Edwin Shott and Sue Bradford of Bluefield, WV; live in West Virginia.

i. WILLIAM ALFRED (WILL) FORBES IV--b. Mar. 11, 1970, in Juy, Argentina.

1. Infant son--b. July 1, 1895, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.

m. JOSEPH DIXON (DIXIE) MCGLOHON--b. Sept. 6, 1896; d. with cancer on Dec. 24, 1961, bur. Ayden Cem.; on Jan. 20, 1920, m. MILDRED WILSON (b. Sept. 10, 1901); lived in New York City.

(1) JOSEPH DIXON (DIXIE) MCGLOHON JR.--b. Nov. 29, 1920; on Jan. 23, 1942, m. MARIAN COX (b. Sept. 22, 1919), dau. of Roy T. Cox and Janie Kittrell of Winterville; live in Greenville.

(a) JANE MCGLOHON--b. May 10, 1945; on Aug. 19, 1967, m. FRANK C. CLOYES JR. (b. Mar. 22, 1944); live at Oakton, VA.

(b) MARIANNE MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 16, 1947; on Aug. 2, 1980, m. THOMAS L. GELDER of Lake Wylie, SC, son of C. W. Gelder of Raleigh and Ann H. Gelder of Fayetteville; live at Clover, SC.

(c) MILDRED BLAIR (MILLIE) MCGLOHON--b. May 20, 1952; on Oct. 6, 1979, in Manteo, m. JAMES CLAUDE WARD, son of Dr. Benjamin Y. Ward and Katherine of Virginia Beach, VA; live at Kill Devil's Hill.

(d) JOSEPH DIXON MCGLOHON III--b. July 21, 1954; married and lives in Nashville, TN.



Lorenzo and Susan Elizabeth (Bett) McLawhorn



Susan E. (Bett) McLawhorn at 85



Mary Ida McLawhorn (1872-1909)

Chapter 8

LORENZO MCLAWHORN FAMILY

LORENZO MCLAWHORN was the second child of Lewis McGlohon and Martha Ann (Patsy) Worthington. He was born Aug. 2, 1849, and died of a stroke on May 25, 1923. He was buried in the McGlohon-McLawhorn Cemetery. On Oct. 15, 1870, he married SUSAN ELIZABETH KITTRELL (b. Mar. 28, 1855; d. Apr. 4, 1944, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), daughter of Allen Kittrell and Martha Jane Stocks.

According to his daughter Annie, Lorenzo did not like an "r" in his name; therefore, since his male descendants used it, for this record the name is spelled with an "r." His tombstone has "McLawhorne." Since Annie said that she spelled the name "McGlohon," that spelling has been used for her name.

Lorenzo was a farmer and acquired much land west of Winterville in the community of Renston, which was named for him. He also operated a saw mill and a store across the road from his home. Alf Harrington from Ayden worked in the store. When they needed a post office for the mail, they had to have a name. Lorenzo's wife, Bett, asked Alf to choose a name. He took the middle letters of Lorenzo's name, "Ren," and added "town" to form "Renston"; and Renston became the name of the post office. Although there is no post office there today, the community is still known as Renston.

Lorenzo served on the school committee of the White District No. 14, beginning in 1885. Their children and descendants follow.

- a. MARY IDA MCLAWHORN--b. Sept. 5, 1872; d. with cancer on Oct. 7, 1909, bur. Allen Family Cem. on the farm; on Nov. 6, 1897, m. TODD R. ALLEN (b. Aug. 9, 1870; d. May 14, 1962, bur. Allen Cem.), son of Ashley Allen and Celia.
 - (1) BERNIE ELIZABETH ALLEN--b. Aug. 3, 1899; on June 9, 1924, m. JOSEPH RALPH FOWLER.
 - (a) JOSEPH RALPH FOWLER JR.--b. Nov. 17, 1926; m. 1st, on Sept. 25, 1945, PATRICIA EMILY SHINE (b. May 14, 1926); four children; m. 2nd, JEAN _____; one child.
 - i. GLORY WILLIAMS FOWLER--b. Aug. 18, 1946.
 - ii. JOY ALLEN FOWLER--b. Nov. 16, 1951.
 - iii. JOSEPH RALPH (JAY) FOWLER III--b. June 10, 1957.
 - iv. MERRY ELIZABETH FOWLER--b. Feb. 4, 1962.
 - v. JOHN FOWLER.

(b) BARBARA ALLEN FOWLER--b. Feb. 11, 1936; on May 28, 1960, m. ALBERT GEORGE TENPENNY (b. Sept. 2, 1935); live at Carolina Beach.

i. PATRICIA LYNN TENPENNY--b. Feb. 27, 1961.

ii. ALAN TENPENNY--b. Oct. 15, 1962.

(2) MACK BELMONT ALLEN--b. Jan 4, 1902; d. Jan. 1, 1964, bur Ayden Cem.; on Feb. 13, 1934, m. ELLEN MAE JACKSON (b. Feb. 16, 1913; d. July 3, 1992, bur. Ayden Cem.), dau. of Joe Shade Jackson and Mattie Stokes. She had 9 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren when she died.

(a) MACK BELMONT ALLEN JR.--b. Aug. 7, 1935; on Nov. 12, 1961, m.

SYLVIA JEAN FAULKNER (b. Dec. 13, 1939); live on Winterville route.

i. DAWN RENEE ALLEN--b. Nov. 16, 1962; d. Nov. 19, 1962, bur.

Ayden Cem.

ii. TRACY ELIZABETH ALLEN--b. May 4, 1964.

iii. BRAD ALLEN.

(b) ROBERT LORENZO ALLEN--b. June 6, 1937; on Sept. 8, 1967, m. ALICE WINIFRED DAVID (b. Apr. 20, 1945); live near Ayden.

i. WANDA LYNETTE ALLEN--b. Mar. 1, 1963 (adopted).

ii. TOYNA MICHELLE ALLEN--b. June 2, 1968.

iii. BOBBIE JO ALLEN.

(c) MARY IDA ALLEN--b. Mar. 19, 1942; on Feb. 4, 1964, m. ROBERT LEE SHIRLEY (b. June 1, 1943); m. 2nd, IRVIN H. BROWN; live at Jacksonville, FL.

i. JERRI ELLEN SHIRLEY--b. Dec. 5, 1964.

ii. CYNTHIA ANN SHIRLEY--b. Oct. 6, 1965.

(d) WANDA SUE ALLEN--b. June 28, 1948; on Apr. 11, 1969, m. WALTER EUGENE BUTLER (b. July 25, 1948); live at Ayden.

i. JASON BUTLER.

ii. SUSAN ELIZABETH BUTLER.



Dennis and Fannie McLawhorn Hobgood



Left to right: Beatrice T. Steele, Josie Mae T. Andrews,
Estelle C. and Lorenzo B. Tucker



Josephine and Annie



Annie Elizabeth McGlohon, about 19



Lorenzo Bancroft McLawhorn (1890-1920)



Beatrice Tucker

Richard Montgomery
AbbottLucy (Bett) Abbott
Hunsucker

(3) BLANCHE VIRGINIA ALLEN--b. June 10, 1904; d. Dec. 22, 1991, bur. Ayden Cem.; on Oct. 25, 1928, m. LEON LEWIS KITTRELL (b. Aug. 14, 1895; d. Sept. 24, 1961, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Louis Kittrell and Stella. She had 3 granddaughters, 5 great granddaughters, and 3 great grandsons when she died.

(a) LEON LEWIS KITTRELL JR.--b. Sept. 21, 1928; on Dec. 20, 1957, m. ELAINE HODGES (b. June 25, 1937); live in Dunn.

i. VIRGINIA GRACE KITTRELL--b. Dec. 19, 1958; on July 9, 1977, m. JOHN HARRISON ROSE (b. Sept. 26, 1950), son of James Boyd Rose Sr.; live at Irving, TX.

aa. JENNIFER LYNN ROSE--b. Dec. 2, 1980.

bb. MEREDITH ELANE ROSE--b. June 10, 1986.

ii. MARGARET LYNN KITTRELL--b. Apr. 10, 1960; on June 16, 1979, m. JAMES ALBERT SMITH, son of Jerry Sandlin Smith of Dunn; live at Guilford, CT.

iii. DORIS JANETTE KITTRELL--b. Dec. 2, 1964; on June 25, 1983, m. HUGHIE RUSSELL GODWIN II, son of Rosemond Martin Godwin of Irwin; live at Irwin.

(b) TODD ALLEN KITTRELL--b. Jan. 12, 1935; lives at Ayden.

b. FANNIE LEE MCLAWHORN--b. Feb. 16, 1874; d. of tuberculosis May 26, 1896; on Dec. 19, 1893, m. DENNIS W. HOBGOOD (b. Jan. 31, 1869; d. of pneumonia on Feb. 25, 1895, bur. McGlohon-McLawnhorn Cem.), son of R. W. and Mary Hobgood of Granville Co.; n. c.

c. MARTHA JANE MCLAWHORN--b. Dec. 21, 1876; d. of tuberculosis Mar. 29, 1905, bur. McGlohon-McLawnhorn Cem.; on Jan. 7, 1896, m. MAHLONE TUCKER (b. June 20, 1871; d. May 5, 1934), son of Benjamin Franklin Tucker and Martha Teel.

(1) LORENZO BENJAMIN (TUCKER) TUCKER--b. June 26, 1897; d. Jan. 1, 1970, bur. Greenwood Cem.; m. ESTELLE MARIE COLLINS (b. June 30, 1901; d. May 14, 1991, bur. Greenwood Cem.), dau. of James Hanrahan Collins and Margaret Melissa Stokes. She had 3 grandsons and 2 great grandchildren

when she died. They lived in Greenville.

(a) JANE MARIE TUCKER--b. Feb. 29, 1924; m. DAVID BIGELOW DOLGE, son of Albert Dolge and Gwenlyn Bigelow of CT.

i. ALBERT TUCKER DOLGE--b. Mar. 9, 1948; m. JUDITH: two children; live at Tolland, CT.

ii. DAVID BIGELOW DOLGE--b. June 5, 1950; m. KATHY _____; live at Greenville, SC.

iii. PETER WILLIAM DOLGE--b. Feb. 19, 1952; m. and lives at Taylors, SC.

(2) DELLA BEATRICE DUNLEIGH TUCKER--b. Mar. 18, 1901; d. May 23, 1964; m. 1st J. B. CARROLL JR. (b. June 29, 1898; d. Nov. 30, 1927, bur. Winterville Cem.), son of Joshua B. Carroll and Mary J.; m. 2nd, on June 6, 1936, THEODORE LAKIN STEELE (b. Oct. 18, 1900) of Indianapolis, IN. J. B. killed his baby and committed suicide.

(a) MARTHA JANE CARROLL--b. July 2, 1927; d. Nov. 30, 1927, bur. Winterville Cem.

(b) ELIZABETH STEELE--b. July 7, 1939; on Sept. 1, 1959, m. HOWARD FRANKLIN CREVELING JR. (b. Nov. 23, 1936); live in Indianapolis, IN.

i. JANE ELIZABETH CREVELING--b. Sept. 24, 1962.

ii. RICHARD MCKAY CREVELING--b. Feb. 3, 1965.

iii. THOMAS LAKIN CREVELING--b. Oct. 12, 1968.

(3) JOSIE MAY TUCKER--b. June 16, 1903; on June 28, 1926, m. FRANCIS LELAND ANDREWS JR. (b. Sept. 28, 1902; d. Feb. 8, 1966, bur. Bethel Cem.), son of Francis Leland Andrews; live in Bethel.

(a) MARTHA JANE ANDREWS--b. and d. July 18, 1927, bur. Bethel Cem.

(b) FRANCES TUCKER ANDREWS--b. Jan. 12, 1930; on Aug. 18, 1948, m. FRANK WINESETTE (b. Mar. 11, 1921), son of Eli and Mae Winsette;

live in Venice, FL.

i. FRANK GREGORY WINESETTE--b. Oct. 14, 1952.

ii. JOSEPH LELAND WINESETTE--b. Sept. 2, 1954.

d. Verna Rosalyn McLawhorn--b. May 1, 1878; d. Oct. 8, 1919, of tuberculosis, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Nov. 11, 1900, m. JOHN H. CHEEK (b. Oct. 24 1878, in Hillsboro; d. May 12, 1920, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), son of John Cheek and Margaret Oldham of Orange Co.

(1) JULIAN CAMPBELL (JACK) CHEEK--b. Feb. 23, 1901; d. June 1, 1961, bur. Winterville Cem.; on May 26, 1927, m. SUSIE STEPHENSON (b. Aug. 12, 1908; d. Mar. 21, 1989, bur. Winterville Cem.), dau. of Dillard Edward Stephenson and Emma Wuiminer (of France). Susie married a second time and was divorced in December 1972; she m. 3rd, on Jan. 10, 1973, Graham Donnie Jones (b. Feb. 23, 1944), son of Dalton Jones and Mary Novella Stokes of Route 6, Greenville. She had 5 grandchildren and 3 great grandchildren when she died.

(a) JOHN E. CHEEK--b. Dec. 7, 1930; on June 16, 1957, m. PATRICIA ANN STANLEY (b. Apr. 1, 1934), dau. of Durwood Stanley and Clyde Cox.; live on Route 2, Greenville.

i. JOHN STANLEY CHEEK--b. May 20, 1961. John graduated from North Carolina State University in 1993 and will move to Harrisburg, PA.

(b) Verna Cheek--b. Feb. 26, 1928; m. 1st, on May 6, 1944, GUY BRAXTON (b. Mar. 6, 1923; d. June 21, 1991), son of Lewis Henry Braxton and Melissa Everette; divorced in Apr. 1972; m. 2nd, on Sept. 30, 1989, JOSEPH RUSSEL GOOLSBY (b. May 31, 1913, in Orange Co., VA), son of Joseph Russell Goolsby and Elise Pearl Kite of Virginia. It was his second marriage also. They live in Grifton

i. BRENDA JOYCE BRAXTON--b. Feb. 3, 1946; on Jan. 31, 1965, m.

OAKLEY LAMONTE HOPKINS JR. (b. Oct. 28, 1943, in Crawford Co., PA), son of Oakley Lamonte Hopkins and Alverda M. Minnick of Titusville, PA.; live at Currie and have 3 sons.

aa. OAKLEY LAMONTE HOPKINS III--b. 1965; on Jan. 9, 1988, m. GINA CHERYL FOWLER, dau. of Gene and Ann Fowler of Raleigh; live in Wilkesboro. He graduated from North Carolina State University.

bb. GUY STEPHEN HOPKINS--b. in 1968; lives in Currie.

cc. JAMES EDWARD HOPKINS--b. in 1971; lives in Currie.

ii. JULIAN HARREL BRAXTON--b. Nov. 9, 1951; lives in Raleigh.

(c) ANNE ELIZABETH CHEEK--b. Sept. 5, 1935; m. 1st WILLIAM GUY SUTTON JR. (b. Oct. 8, 1922); divorced Jan. 1980; m. 2nd, on July 15, 1980, WILLIAM BENJAMIN BRINKLEY (b. Sept. 23, 1930, in Craven Co.), son of Edmund Eunice Brinkley and Addie Bunch of New Bern.; live in Greenville. It was his second marriage also.

i. JANET ELAINE SUTTON--b. May 27, 1956; lives in Orlando, FL. She is a registered dietician and has her own business.

ii. DAVID CAMPBELL SUTTON--b. Dec. 11, 1962; on Apr. 2, 1993, m. DESIRAE JERA; he is an attorney.

e. JOSEPHINE MCLAWHORN--b. Aug. 31, 1880; d. of tuberculosis May 21, 1904; bur. McGlohon-McLawnhorn Cem.; on Nov. 23, 1897, m. W. EDWARD PATRICK.

(1) FANNIE LEE PATRICK--m. ROY KESSINGER.

(2) LIMA RUE PATRICK--m. SAM DAVIS.

(a) JOHN DAVIS.

f. LEWIS ALLEN MCLAWHORN--b. Jan. 9, 1883; d. and bur. in Richmond, VA; on Dec. 25, 1910, m. PEARL V. NELSON (b. about 1882), dau. of Robert and Allie Nelson of Lenoir Co.

(1) VERNA ABBOTT MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 4, 1913; d. Sept. 7, 1914, bur. in

Contentnea township.

- (2) ALLEN STANLEY MCLAWHORN--b. Feb. 22, 1912, in Lenoir Co.; on June 22, 1953, m. ARMISSA BRIGHT of Grifton; divorced.

(a) Infant son--Nov. 2, 1953, bur. Family Cem., Pitt Co.

- (3) EDNA NELSON MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 8, 1915, in Lenoir Co.; d. Jan. 12, 1988, bur. Westview Cem., Kinston; n. m. She lived in Grifton. Her foster parents were Guy and Lillian Nelson of Grifton.

g. ANNIE ELIZABETH MCGLOHON--b. Oct. 15, 1887; d. Apr. 14, 1983, bur.

Winterville Cem.; on Aug. 21, 1912, m. ROBERT LEE ABBOTT (b. June 4, 1877; d. Apr. 11, 1955, bur. Winterville Cem.), son of Richard Montgomery Abbott and Lucy Abbott.

- (1) ROBERT LEE ABBOTT JR.--b. Aug. 31, 1913; d. Feb. 8, 1916, bur.

Winterville Cem.

- (2) LUCY ELIZABETH (BETT) ABBOTT--b. Dec. 12, 1914; on Dec. 15, 1937, m.

WAYLAND LEWIS HUNSUCKER (b. Mar. 11, 1912; d. Oct. 5, 1985, bur.

Winterville Cem.), son of Richard Hugh Hunsucker and Rosa Agnes Cox of Winterville.

(a) SUSAN ELIZABETH HUNSUCKER--b. Apr. 15, 1939; d. Apr. 16, 1939.

(b) SANDRA ELIZABETH HUNSUCKER--b. Sept. 30, 1940; n. m.; lives at Havelock.

(c) SUE ELLEN HUNSUCKER--b. Sept. 20, 1942; on Mar. 17, 1963, m. BEN OSHEL BRIDGERS (b. Aug. 31, 1939); live at Sylva.

i. ELIZABETH ABBOTT BRIDGERS--b. Nov. 27, 1963; on June 27, 1992, m. JOEL H. CHAMBERS, son of H. D. Chambers and Ruth Muse; live in Atlanta, GA. Elizabeth kept her maiden name when she married.

ii. JANE BENNETT BRIDGERS--b. Apr. 5, 1966; on Aug. 14, 1993, m. MITCHELL ROLAND MOSS (b. Sept. 16, 1962) of New Orleans, son of Alvin and Beverly Moss of Tampa, FL; live in New Orleans.

iii. SEAN MCKENZIE BRIDGERS--b. Mar. 3, 1968.

- (d) WAYLAND ABBOTT HUNSUCKER--b. July 1, 1948; on May 26, 1973, m. DIANA LYNN WEBSTER (b. Sept. 5, 1952), dau. of James William Webster and Vera Dare Rouse; live at Kinston.
- i. MATTHEW ABBOTT HUNSUCKER--b. May 9, 1978.
 - ii. MEGAN LEE HUNSUCKER--b. May 17, 1980.
 - iii. CAITLIN DARE HUNSUCKER--b. Mar. 3, 1983.
 - iv. MELISSA SUSAN HUNSUCKER--b. Feb. 4, 1986.
- (3) RICHARD MONTGOMERY ABBOTT--b. May 28, 1917; d. Mar. 12, 1972, bur. Winterville Cem.; in 1950, m. HELEN MEREDY (b. Oct. 15, 1924), dau. of Robert Meredy and Ruth; live in Winterville.
- (a) ROBERT MONTGOMERY (ROBIN) ABBOTT--b. Oct. 27, 1951; on Sept. 3, 1972, m. LINDA YVONNE WEATHINGTON (b. Oct. 27, 1950), dau. of John L. Weathington and Lois Lunell Smith; live near Winterville.
- i. ROBERT MONTGOMERY ABBOTT JR.--b. Oct. 6, 1974.
 - ii. AMANDA RENEE ABBOTT--b. Mar. 27, 1986.
- (b) SUSANNA ABBOTT--b. June 25, 1954; on May 29, 1976, m. DIXIE WAYNE HARRIS; live near Winterville.
- i. HOLLY GEORGIANA HARRIS--b. July 1977.
 - ii. KATIE ABBOTT HARRIS--b. Jan. 23, 1982.
- h. LORENZO BANCROFT MCLAWHORN--b. May 28, 1890; d. of tuberculosis Aug. 24, 1920, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Apr. 3, 1913, m. ELIZABETH (LIZZIE) DAIL (b. July 21, 1888; d. Apr. 18, 1974, bur. Ayden Cem.), dau. of Elias E. Dail and Alice (Allie) McLawhorn.
- (1) RENNO MCLAWHORN--b. Feb. 1, 1914; on Dec. 3, 1933, m. HAL LAMAR EDWARDS b. June 21, 1911; d. June 3, 1984, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of William Masters Edwards and Olgar Ormond; live in Ayden.
- (a) HAL LAMAR EDWARDS JR.--b. Nov. 28, 1934; on May 29, 1957, m. ELIZABETH KATHERINE GARRIOTT (b. Dec. 25, 1935); live in

Northbrook, IL.

- i. ELIZABETH HELEN EDWARDS--b. Oct. 6, 1957.
- ii. RACHEL LYN EDWARDS--b. Aug. 27, 1959.
- iii. SAMUEL PHILIP EDWARDS--b. July 22, 1964.
- iv. JOANNA RAE EDWARDS--b. Sept. 23, 1966.

(b) ORMOND KEMP EDWARDS--b. Mar. 3, 1936; on Dec. 27, 1963, m. JEAN PRATT (b. Feb. 23, 1940); live Greenwood, IN.

- i. BRYAN KEMP EDWARDS--b. Dec. 9, 1965.
- ii. KRISTI JILL EDWARDS--b. Feb. 6, 1969.

(c) THOMAS BANCROFT (TOMMY) EDWARDS--b. Dec. 28, 1939; on Nov. 25, 1962, m. JANE WILLIAMS (b. Oct. 23, 1937).

- i. MARK BANCROFT EDWARDS--b. Oct. 23, 1963.
- ii. JOHN LAMAR EDWARDS--b. May 27, 1965.
- iii. SHARON ELIZABETH EDWARDS--b. July 17, 1967.

(d) WILLIAM MASTERS EDWARDS II--b. Aug. 6, 1944; on Aug. 15, 1969, m. CHRISTINE MARIE PATERSON (b. Sept. 19, 1944); live in Pinehurst..

- i. LUCY BELLE MCLAWHORN--b. Apr. 6, 1892; d. Nov. 19, 1892, bur.

McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.

Chapter 9

STORIES MY GRANDMOTHER TOLD ME

(Note: The following is a speech given by Sue Ellen Hunsucker Bridgers on her family at a Children's Literature Conference at East Carolina University. Sue Ellen is an author and has written at least seven novels for young adults, three of which are Home Before Dark in 1976, All Together Now in 1979 and Notes for Another Life in 1981. She lives at Sylva.)

In the late afternoon, after she'd spent the early morning in the field, then cooked dinner, tended the plants in her greenhouse and prepared the Bible lesson for the nightly class her children attended at her knee, she would walk down the road to her sister-in-law's house, knitting as she went.

She walked briskly, watching her work, those quick hands clicking the needles as she purled a sweater for a winter's child. She never watched the road. She knew the way.

Around her waist there was a bulge--not another pregnancy--but her apron full of quilting pieces, the ends pulled up securely into the waist band to contain the squares. When she reached Bett's house, she would sit on the porch and piece awhile, stitch squares side by side, catching the corners until she had a big square. Then another. And another.

While she pieced, they would talk. They would be women together, looking out across the fields that belonged to them, where they had buried their babies, where older children now labored in the summer heat, where with every season the face of the land changed--and yet, was always the same.

Oh, to have been privy to those words spoken in the quiet of late afternoon, to have hung on those silences that hovered between them like smoke! There is no conversation of kings, no exchange between poets I would rather hear than the ordinary talk of those women who discovered themselves and each other with words and who, therefore, shared a common language.

No matter what they talked of, I know it was rooted--as they were themselves--in the land: the quest for it that bought their families across the Atlantic, the struggle to find it that brought them up the coast from Savannah into eastern North Carolina. The determination to keep it that put them in the fields next to their parents, their brothers and sisters, their husbands, and finally their sons and daughters.

They knew about the land. My great-grandmother Bett, on whose porch they sat, saw sharp deep rectangles dug into that earth to bury six of her seven daughters. She washed that black soil--the blackest that has ever been--from clothes against a washboard, days of hands in stinging lye--washing clean, cotton she had spun herself, woven at her loom, sewn by hand with invisible, invincible stitches, miles of stitches, days on end of cotton picked.

The land held the cotton, received seed, blossomed pink, split open their furry bolls. She could remember when there had been slaves to pick the cotton.

She could see them in the commissary her mother ran, exchanging hours for sugar, a slab of pork, cornmeal. She saw the soldiers, too, blue coats as raggedy as any hired man's, and she hid behind her mother's skirts when what she wanted to do was to scoop up the land, all of it, acre upon acre, into her tiny hand and hold it safe. The greatest threat was not that they would lose the slaves but that they would lose the land.

The land mattered to them because it was a place. It was tangible. They couldn't take it with them but they could leave it behind. It was permanence beyond themselves, the discernible boundaries of their family history, a map with their names upon it.

Here there stand twin chimneys, crumbling, brick turning to chalk, set within a grove of ancient oaks that once shaded a roof. Once a swing hung there and beneath it a black hollow of earth, scooped out of the grass by the brushing and skidding of barefeet as children pushed themselves off into the branches, listening as they did to the slight whistle of wind, the satiny rustle of leaves, the laughter below.

I can see my grandmother there, her auburn head almost level with the balcony veranda, as she swung high, fearlessly in her cotton shift, making for herself a breeze in the still afternoon air. Her mother and her aunt talked on the porch. Their voices rose to her now and then, or else fell into her breeze--she could never tell which. She heard the tail-end of a story or else the beginning of one. It didn't matter, because the stories went round and round, embellished as they went like the ball of yarn her mother wound. Somewhere at the center there had to be a beginning of the thread and there would be an end, too, tucked almost invisibly into the ball against its raveling. But they didn't consider a story ever ended because there would always be the past to reach into the future. There would always be this place, and they would always own it.

The past, a history, is captured in a place; and a thing named is a thing possessed. They knew that from the Bible--God did not create the darkness but He called the light Day and the darkness Night. By naming, He took possession, and so it is with the naming of places. My great-grandparents drew three letters from my great-grandfather's name and added "town" to it, and so the place had a name--Renston, an identity separate from every other crossroads and post office in North Carolina. It could be recalled, evoked, discussed, disparaged by name. It was home.

And so the land, the place, the home became one. It was where you started from. It was your connection to birth because you had been born as much out of the soil as from your mother's womb. Such fertile ground to bring cotton and tobacco and beans and corn and babies out! And you knew you would go back to it.

My grandmother was a young girl when her older sisters, all married and with babies of their own, began to die. One by one they hacked blood, grew thin, milk dried up, hair limp, foreheads clammy with tuberculosis. Who could have known it was catching, spread on spoons and linens?

A girl of twelve, my grandmother stood in the doorway to watch her mother hold a dying daughter in her trembling arms and to hear a clear, dauntless voice rise above the labored, wrasping breath, to sing: "There's a land that is fairer than day, and by faith we can see it afar. . . In the sweet bye and bye,

we shall meet on that beautiful shore."

She buried babies, too. There would always be miscarriages, stillborns, little ones to wrap a final time. The night Lucy Belle died, my grandmother held the lantern while her mother lined the tiny coffin with the finest material she had in the store--material set aside for a wedding or else a funeral.

In the darkness she pressed the soft carded cotton to the bottom and sides of the pine box her husband had made, measured and cut the cloth, making a bed, bringing all her skill to those quick sure hands that would have trembled had she let them know the dreadful task they were about--it was my grandmother who cried, robbed of her baby sister, a toddler who days ago trailed behind her begging to be carried, to go to the store for a chunk of rock candy, to hear the piano played and thump at it herself. My grandmother leaned toward the coffin, casting her feeble, shaky lantern light, and closed her wet eyes to the sight of it. Who could look, except a mother who measured the cloth, knowing the unmeasurable nature of grief and resigned to it. Dust you are and to dust you shall return. She knew it to be true and so she loved the earth even as it swallowed up her children.

These women and their land were the subject of much of my writing seventeen years ago. The pages have long since found the dustbin--the voice was a strained one, interrupted by the demands of my own babies, desperate for home because as a young married woman I left North Carolina for South Dakota. The old houses there were homesteads, or so it seemed to me, not homeplaces. The homeplace I am speaking of is a white house, most likely two-story with a veranda or at least a porch, a kitchen stuck to the back so that to enter it one has to cross the side porch where the pump drips and a communal cup hangs beside a small square of glass.

Here farmboys washed up for dinner and made awkward attempts at their jaws with papa's straight-edge razor. Here girls pressed talc spiced with lavender to their throats and shoulders. Here they flattened their mouths for a stain from a wet red cloth and pinched their cheeks until they stung. All before the fragile reflecting glass. Here at the back and side of the house was a community of enterprise--the smokehouse, the washhouse, the chickenhouse, a playhouse for the children, a pen for the dogs, a shed for the buggy. Here the chickens and geese could run loose in the yard and a goat nibbled at the grass through the front yard fence. The dust rose and settled its sooty gray color on the wall. But at the front there was green--the lawn--grass cultivated with the pains and care due a fragile crop, a brick walk, rockers on the sparkling porch.

Come in. The hall is cool but with sunlight at the back like an airy, fragrant tunnel. Come into the parlor. The dining room. See the screen door through which food miraculously appears as mother brings platters in on her arms for Sunday dinner or company supper. There is the stairway where children huddle in the dark listening to the talk below, scaring themselves with their own twitching and the shadow of the lamp on the landing. Above and below are bedrooms, and also the spare room for the loom and the desk at which my great-grandmother keeps the accounts. Further below the cool cellar where sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, cabbages, and apples breath the dirt and endure.

This is a homeplace. It is set in a field as if it is a rare and wonderful plant cultivated by a woman's care and formed to her design. The prophet Joel said that "your young men shall see visions" but it was a young woman who saw

this house in her mind and then set about to have it, to give her children not just "a" roof but this roof, and these roots. Her vision was to make a home in the wilderness. To keep the country but to bring rarefied air into this one place, beneath these trees that washed her with its breezes and encircled her in winter like a stark tower wall. All over eastern North Carolina you can see this vision enacted. Or you can see a clump of trees in a field and know that once a homeplace stood there as proud as the woman who cared for it.

Stella Willis saw a house like this one--remodeled, of course, and thank God for it, because a house can have another life and still retain the old one. It was the house where her father had been born, where his family had lived for generations, and although the land itself was home to him, the house was always the focus of his memory. A house is a place you can go "into" and that entering is a special event because you are suddenly surrounded by what a family holds dear, the symbols of their life. Here you find what they made by hand and bought with money. And all of it came from the land.

Even Stella's little house, a tenant house half-painted, was a miracle to her. When she stepped alone into it, she sensed "it was an empty, dusty world of filtered light waiting for her to clean it up and fill it with her whole life . . . Now she had a place to store the secret Stella and draw her longings out slowly, carefully, one by one, and keep them safe." And so she thinks that "she would never desert this place, never let it slip away as her daddy had. They could all vanish, and she would stay, because already what counted for her was here, inside walls that didn't move . . ."

"Walls that don't move, a place to store"--that was what a house meant to this migrant girl.

A house, especially an old house, a homeplace, owns us as much as we own it, maybe more so. Bleached boards hold memories. Crackled china catches light and holds it. Photographs on the mantel reflect our own faces. The timber of the house also provides the timbre--it creaks and squawks under foot, swells its window sashes and door jambs in summer, relaxes its hold in winter to let the cold in. The rafters make music, too, holding the roof steady in the wind. A summer storm blows up. Rain pellets the tin roof, a clattering music, and in the hallway downstairs, the bowl of crepe myrtle branches trembles as thunder spreads the sky open and a streak of lightning, like the one that killed Mae Willis, makes a hot, jagged path to ground.

Everything comes back to the earth. And so near every homeplace there must be a cemetery, set in a cornfield so that in summer it is invisible--the earth is breaking open to give out life, not to receive it--but in the winter, the narrow crosses and shallow etched stones stand above the frozen plowed-up fields, a reminder of pneumonia, killing colds, long nights of waiting through chills and fevers, the helpless biding of time.

And so Mae Willis, a migrant mother unable to accept a stationary life--a woman who had never had a homeplace or a sense of self--a powerless, disconnected woman--was laid to rest in the place from which she most wanted to flee. Her daughter Stella understood that because she knew the difference between them. Everything her mother rejected, Stella wanted and so she stayed in the tenant house, her own little homeplace set beside the real one, refusing to give up what belonged to her. The experience of ownership was new, a symbol of all the possibilities of her life.

"None of us ever owned anything," she said as she grasped at this new understanding, "until we came back to Daddy's home and Newton gave us that little house. But, somehow, I felt like it had always been ours. That land out there belonged to us no matter what anyone said. Daddy was born to it, and I was born to Daddy so the land and the house were mine. They truly belonged to me and I belonged to them, like I had known the house and the land long before and had somehow forgotten about them for a while."

Here is that connection to the land, the house, the identified place. In fiction, the writer pins down a place, identifies and defines it, gives the reader directions to it. For James Herriott, it is Yorkshire; for Eudora Welty, Mississippi; for Wilma Dykeman, it is western North Carolina and east Tennessee. For me, it is North Carolina.

That is not because what we know best is easiest to write about. To the contrary, the knowing makes it hard. That terrain that touches us deepest, that moves us most, is the most difficult to capture but the most necessary. This is the map of my memory, the place I want to understand well and to illuminate completely. I want to show you my vision. I want to see it for myself.

Time and place are joined to each other in a blood tie. The vital signs for a novel pulse there, at the "where" and "when". Once identified, they lack only the "who" because surely the "what" that follows will come naturally, the progression of events in time and place directed by a cast of characters to whom things will happen. "And so" the writer scribbles, frequently with invisible ink--and goes ahead.

The longer I work with the characters who people my books, the less sure I am of where they come from and why. There are some like Maggie Grover in *HOME BEFORE DARK* who take on a life apart from my intention and thereby change the course of the story, and some like Mae Willis who are so unsure and desperate that they let me control their destinies. There is Hazard Whitaker in *ALL TOGETHER NOW* who proposed to Pansy quite spontaneously and against my better judgment. There is Jane Flanagan who assumed with ease and validity the role I gave her. I give up trying to approach these people in an objective fashion. I will leave that to scholars and reviewers whose hapless job it is to study creativity after the fact.

Of course I wouldn't deny the technical aspects of fiction writing for writing is more work than inspiration and more practiced than spontaneous. It's important to me that I know what I'm doing while I'm doing it, but generally I don't know it in a way that can be recounted later. Recalling what I am thinking while I'm writing would be as impossible as recalling the actual words spoken between my great-grandmother and her sister-in-law on that front porch in 1898.

And yet, I know what they were saying, not because I heard it then, but because I can imagine it now. Their voices come to me over the snap and rhythmic fall of beans into a tin pan, over the squeak of a chair and the swish of feet under the swing. They speak of a wedding, a dress cut from Aunt Clarsy's new pattern ordered by mail. They talk of the new teacher who is coming to board or the winter, the new books they will send for. Aunt Clarsy recounts in half whisper the gossip from town because she has recently been there. They worry over a summer cough that doesn't go away, that common dreadful sign of impending doom. They speak without guile, or pretense or conceit, binding the common wounds of their difficult lives with a language that

is sincere and supportive.

I could put words in their mouths, punctuated with the scene around them--fading light through the trees, a lamp suddenly lit in the parlor, the soft throaty warble as one of the girls sits down at the piano to accompany herself. I could give them words and you would not object because fiction would make the words real. You would be willing to be there with them. Together, you and I would make it happen, whether it did or not.

What is real and what is not? What is truth and where is it separate from fiction? Eudora Welty says that "human life is fiction's only theme." And so there is a place beyond the physical location, the land, the home. There is the heart.

When I began writing my second book which became ALL TOGETHER NOW, I knew the place and it was not a country homeplace like the one Stella had loved, but a town homeplace--a big house on a shady street with more rooms than it needed--a room for a granddaughter, a room for a traveling man. It was the kind of house my great-grandfather built at the turn of the century for families of comfortable means in eastern North Carolina towns. It was a grandmother's house. It had a sideporch off the kitchen with red geraniums in clay pots on the ledge, a front porch with a swing, a dining room of inherited china and bulky, substantial furniture with a place for everyone at the table.

If HOME BEFORE DARK is about the land, then ALL TOGETHER NOW is about the heart. And it is a grandmother's heart. Readers are apt to tell me what they think of Casey and Dwayne, and of course, I hear about Pansy and Hazard because their affairs seem most poignant and were intended to be. And yet it is Jane Flanagan, the grandmother, who holds the story together. She is the reason for Casey's coming and for Hazard's, too. She is Ben's wife, Taylor's mother, Pansy's friend. She provides the sustenance of their lives and it is not just meals, clean clothes and dustless surfaces, but also comfort and courage and a stillness at the center of things. It was she who laid on hands during Casey's illness. It was she who sat patiently on Pansy's porch waiting until her friend could break the silence that "shattered around them like tiny shards of glass they must be careful not to tread on." It was she who, years ago, took the summer sheers off her living room windows so her son could wrap them on the wings of a dream. She was like the women on the porch in 1898, but brought into 1950. Although she saw the world getting larger while her life stayed the same, she was proud of who she was. Beyond her identity as wife, mother, grandmother, she knew another one--a personal private sense of her womanhood itself. Like her ancestors she could say by heart the Magnificat, and the last chapter of Proverbs. She knew the story of Deborah, and of Jael's defeat of Sisera, and that the resurrected Christ first appeared to women. She believed that the hand that rocked the cradle ruled the world. Her world was small until she lost brothers in one war and sons in another. While the starred flag hung in the shadow of her window, she planted a victory garden. She never failed to vote. She survived the Depression, supported the Red Cross and joined the Mother's March for the March of Dimes. Her faith in her own power was so unquestionable that she never even identified it as a power. She was admired for her community service, her patience, her thriftiness, her cooking, her cunning, her grace. In 1950, this woman, herself in her fifties, was content in little towns and rural communities all across this country.

She is not so happy today. Young women around her are making choices that didn't exist when she was younger. They are questioning the validity of the "stay-at-home" life she accepted, of volunteerism, of commitments that now seem more supportive than active. It is not enough to stuff envelopes; now she must make speeches. She buys frozen vegetables and jars of preserves in the supermarket because she is too busy to "put up" anymore. She makes use of every household convenience available to her and is not nostalgic about the limitations of the good ole days. She is on political advisory committees, the pulpit committee, the boards of directors of hospitals, homes for troubled children, banks, and colleges. She's back in college herself. Her granddaughters have no intention of "coming out" or of marrying young, but they share expenses and apartments with their boyfriends. This grandmother has a job now outside the home or else there is something she "does."

In NOTES FOR ANOTHER LIFE, the grandmother is a music teacher and a tennis player who cleans house because it is a necessary chore. She has taken in her grandchildren and also her son who is mentally ill and unable to function outside her care. She tries to understand her daughter-in-law who lives a life separate from her husband and children. She struggles to accept the fact that, just as she didn't make her son ill, she cannot make him well.

When this grandmother was young, she did not have the options available to her daughter-in-law or her granddaughter. Perhaps she didn't even want them. Or perhaps she has regrets. Still she has accepted another woman's pursuit of a consuming career and is supportive of her granddaughter's intention to become a concert pianist. But even with all the changes in the world that reflect on her life and values, this woman is still related to the women on the porch. The blood tie to place and family is still intact.

Because I feel this attachment keenly, I write about life in families. I find that the lives that interest me most are not isolated ones but those involved daily in the complicated footwork of family living. People related by blood share, whether they want to or not, a past and the prospect of a future as real and as important as their present. I believe that a nurturing figure, whether it be mother, father, grandparent or some other adult, is essential to family life but I realize, looking back on my accumulated efforts as a writer, that I do not have many successful mothers. Forced to face this subject, I have tread on the troubled waters of my own psyche to discover that for me, motherlessness provides the ultimate, the all-consuming conflict. No matter what the relationship is, close or distant, strained or loving, mothers are still our source. They are perhaps the most unique and certainly the most complex attachment we will ever have.

Surely Casey's summer would have happened with her mother there. Surely Stella could have found a place to be without her mother's death. I admit that Kevin and Wren could have had plenty of trouble dealing with their father's illness even if their mother had been available to them. But for me, the absence of these mothers makes every word more poignant, every step more stumbling, every question more difficult to answer.

So there is a personal reason for these motherless situations, but at the same time, I believe I write about people as I find them. Technically the characters seem to come first and then the kind of people they are dictates what they do, just as you and I are products of a certain heredity and environment.

Every writer faces the dilemma of whether to write about life as it is or

life as it should be. I have never found much to say about the best of all possible worlds because fiction is based on conflict, not perfection. If Kevin and Wren were perfectly adjusted to their mother's absence and their father's illness, there would be no story to tell about them. In the world as it should be, there would be no mental illness and the decisions Karen Jackson had to make would be non-existent. She would be free to do whatever was best for her, unhampered by misunderstandings or disapproval. But that isn't how the world is, although I believe that in *NOTES FOR ANOTHER LIFE*, three women are working toward their individual best possible worlds, each in her own way and with her own set of values and commitments, values that don't have to be incompatible. Bliss the grandmother is making the best of what life has given her. Karen, the mother, has changed her life drastically, taking action to save herself. The daughter Wren who is reaching maturity in the 80's, has the possibility of everything: faithful inspired commitments to other people, work she loves to do, a sustaining sense of self-worth that is not based on nurturing someone else. What these three women share over three generations of experiences is the hard knowledge that love is not always enough. They are each living with loss but they are surviving.

I celebrate their opportunities and their achievements. I approach them longing to understand, never to prosecute or defend. They are part of a widening circle of family that I embrace everyday, men and women, both blood relations and close friends, who take us in, lending their security to our panic, their hopefulness to our despair, offering their acceptance of us which is not unlike that of a mother who, knowing our dark places, loves us anyway.

I became a writer partly because I want to know people like these. It is often a matter of curiosity getting the better of me. I read a news article to find out what happened, but I read fiction to find out why. I write from the same motivation. Knowing "why" demands intimacy so I begin my work with a character. In the case of *HOME BEFORE DARK*, I began with a family--parents, a daughter and three younger siblings. The specific idea for their story came one hot summer afternoon when my husband and our children and I were traveling eastward in North Carolina toward my hometown for the weekend.

It was a long trip and we were hot, tired and irritable. After hours on the highway, we finally turned off onto a narrow asphalt farm road straight into the town where I grew up. Suddenly the world was quiet and cool. We drove through woods, past familiar farms, houses we knew, saw how things had changed in three months, noticed how crops were doing, who was ahead in their priming, whose corn was late. In the car, there was a sense of our being "almost there." We were suddenly quiet, like the audience during an overture. We were anticipating comfort, the familiarity of the place I know best in the world, the graciousness and affection of family, the "wholeness" homecoming. And then suddenly I thought, "What if I were not expected? What if I didn't know what awaited me there? What if everything had changed?"

And so there in the car, James Earl, Mae and Stella Willis appeared. This little migrant girl and her situation arrived in my mind almost simultaneously. I use the word "situation" purposefully because I don't want to imply I knew what was going to happen to Stella and her family. I didn't. Her "situation" was the point at which I first made her acquaintance. It is her setting and I knew where the story would take place because mood and memory can take me there in a matter of seconds. No matter where I am, I am also there in eastern North Carolina, the land of my childhood. I saw Stella as a migrant child immediately, born out of my memory of migrant children who would spend a few

weeks in our school in the dead of winter. They were silent children, slow academically but quick of eye as if they were absorbing things unseen by the rest of us. They always seemed older than we. I remember one migrant girl in particular because she was quite lovely looking and had an old fashioned romantic name. How I wished I could bridge the gap between us. But she was gone as quickly and as mysteriously as she'd come. I found her again in Stella.

HOME BEFORE DARK then was written out of two incidents in my own life--the migrant children of my childhood and a homecoming that triggered a spontaneous creative response. The setting came out of my having lived in a small southern town and having been a tobacco farmer's daughter. My characters are out of a memory of what those people are like--what they expect out of life, what their values are, and how they see themselves. It is proof that what seems like the most mundane kind of existence is, at the same time, rich in experience if one is atune to it.

My thinking for ALL TOGETHER NOW began with a retarded man who played baseball by himself. This man is the only character I've ever written about who really existed. He lived in Ft. Smith, Arkansas, in the early fifties while my husband was growing up there, and for years, my husband had been telling me there was a story to be told about this man whose name was Ike. But I didn't know very much about baseball and not much more about retarded people, although it happens that my best friend all through school had a retarded brother. Although I don't remember thinking consciously about this person while I was working on ALL TOGETHER NOW, I'm sure the writing was colored by having known him and by having lived in a community that has always been protective of him.

So I did know the kind of person Ike might have been and yet I felt very uncomfortable going into the mind of a retarded person. I saw the necessity of his reacting to another person, someone like my husband might have been as a boy. But a boy? That seemed so ordinary. So here comes Casey. A girl who looks vaguely like a boy. But will this man like a girl, even a tom-boyish one? I thought not, and so she must pretend to be a boy. To accomplish this bit of deception, she must be new in town or visiting. That brings us to the grandparents--a surrogate family and a loving, lenient environment. But even though I could not overestimate the importance of the grandmother of Casey and Dwayne, when I started writing, it was not about any of them.

I began with another character, a traveling man named Hazard Whitaker because I had a vivid image of him based on a little incident a friend once told me. She said her grandfather had in his young days been a vaudeville performer and even after he'd found more respectable employment, had a family and become a grandfather, he loved to dance and would announce himself to his grandchildren by sprinkling sand on the front porch of their house and doing a soft shoe. I wanted to capture that scene and Hazard Whitaker was just the man for the job. I think Pansy was there, waiting in the wings all that time because no sooner had Hazard knocked the geraniums off the porch than she appeared in my mind and from the first moment I saw her, I loved her.

I loved Hazard and Pansy, who had been courting each other for twenty-five years, so much that I had to constantly control an urge to let them have just one more encore. It was impossible not to give them free rein when they insisted. That accounts for their marriage, which seemed to me doomed from the start. How I ached for them. How I wanted to bring them around before it was too late. They barely made it. There was a moment when Pansy said to me, "No matter what you do, I will never take him back." I thought all was lost.

And then Casey showed me the way. A twelve year old girl, grieving the inhumanity we must all be constantly alert against, said to her grandmother when they had watched Dwayne Pickens being taken away to an institution, "How could we let him go when we know him?" Her reason was not that saving him would be generous and nice, not because it was morally right, not even because they loved him, but simply because they knew him. This knowledge of him made his hurts, his losses, his joys, theirs. This is the shared experience of our up-right, thinking, reasoning, emotional lives as human beings. Our kowlingness is our humanity.

And Pansy heard. Casey's words were the ones she'd been waiting for and they pierced straight through her pride, her bitterness, her frustration, her pain, and she suddenly knew Hazard's hurts as well as she knew her own. It was a wonderful moment for us all.

Madeleine L'Engle tells us that the writer must serve the work. C. S. Lewis believed that one should write a children's story when a children's story is the best art form for something we have to say. When I began HOME BEFORE DARK I had no plan for it beyond getting the Willis family out of my head and onto paper. It was a story I wanted to read. I knew nothing about the market, had never read young adult books. I don't think I was even aware of the category since my generation of young readers jumped from Nancy Drew to JANE EYRE without skinning our knees. I was aware, however, that one does not hide a light under a bushel and so eventually HOME BEFORE DARK found its way to New York and after being purchased by REDBOOK magazine was forwarded to Alfred Knopf where it found its home in the juvenile department. I was surprised but not chagrined. What better audience could there be than young people. Still I didn't consider myself a young adult writer who it would seem to me should be a young adult who writes books. A couple of years later when beginning ALL TOGETHER NOW and faced with the character of Dwayne Pickens, my first dilemma was finding the right person to engage in friendship with him. An adult friend seemed unrealistic and not very interesting. A child with approximately the same mental age seemed ideal. It was a matter of "serving the work" rather than writing a young adult book.

It was only in the case of notes for another life that I consciously wrote about teenagers. I wanted to write a book about a family coping with mental illness. It seemed essential that young people be involved in this story which ultimately has no answers but, I hope, some of the right questions. At the moment of creation and through those agonizing days of refinement and revision I was not thinking about the reader as a person but as a concept, as the goal of communication. I wanted to make an invented world clear, succinct and moving to whoever reached out for it, be they fifteen or fifty.

In the making of a book there are the essentials I have spoken of: time, place, the human element of character. But also commitment on the part of the writer to create this work she has envisioned, a world which contains the essentials in particular rather than in general terms: a particular place, a certain time, human beings who are both singular and familiar. The writer must have an intention of some sort, a base of action. I see family life as the core of my writing. I have a personal past, a family history that, while providing me with fertile creative ground, also provides me with awesome responsibility. These people who remind me of the child in me, also remind me of the continuum. They show me that I am a link between the past and the future. In the present, I can explore a way of life that is the expectation of some and the memory of others.

We are all caught in our culture, searching for sense in the confusion, and no one is more trapped than the teenager. Faced with the problems of daily life--the tremendous freedom they have, the problems of ecology and economy, the real and oppressive fear of nuclear holocaust, they have more need for interdependence than ever before. They need to share their mutual concerns with adults. They need concrete goals. They need to know we are with them and that they have ideas and visions and love to share that we adults are in true need of. They need books that reflect both the confusion and the calm, books that speak to the basic human need for companionship, books that portray family life in such a way that young people see the possibility of commitments to it that can sustain rather than destroy them.

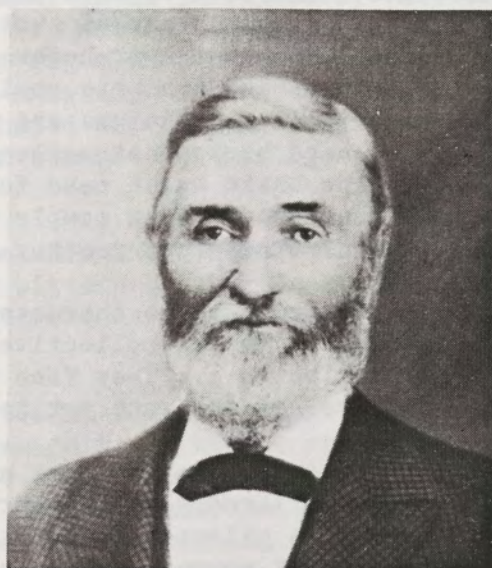
I believe that the characters in my books portray such a commitment. They are responsive to the collective well-being as well as to their individual goals and accomplishments. They face their days knowing how often the rain will fall, how frail we all are, and yet how resilient.

My great-grandmother Bett and my Aunt Clarsy knew that. They came together in the late afternoon on one porch of the other. They came loving each other, hearing in the silence between them as much as in the words they spoke, a history, a past woven into the present so what could separate either of them from the future. They came knowing the world was changing. Already in cities electric lamps brightened the evening sky. There was a telephone in the house and a sewing machine that bore stitches quicker than the eye could see. There was money now to send the children to college and colleges to send them to. They knew their daughters and their sons--those survivors--would be different from them, would know more about the world away from Renston, would be better educated, lose fewer children, find better ways to preserve the land and harvest its yield. Between them, as always, there was common cause and therefore, common language. And so I know what they spoke of and so do you. It was of the earth and of life and death and always--of love. It was women's talk, the fabric of fiction. I can hear it now.

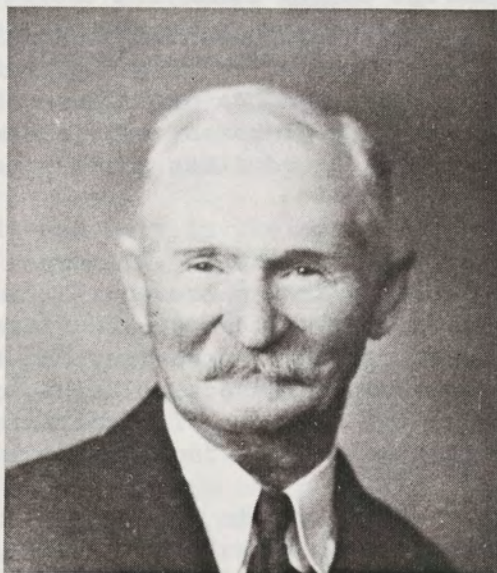
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Sallie Ann McGlohon Smith



John H. Smith



Gedaliah (Tom) Tucker



Pattie Smith Tucker



Tom and Pattie Tucker
Veva, Sallie and Warren

Tom and Pattie Tucker, Veva, Sallie and Warren



Warren K. Tucker



Earl Van Tucker

Chapter 10

SALLIE ANN MCGLOHON FAMILY

SALLIE ANN MCGLOHON was born Dec. 27, 1851, and died of a stroke Sept. 22, 1913. She was buried in the McGlohon-McLawhorn Cemetery. On Feb. 11, 1869, she married JOHN H. SMITH (b. Oct. 19, 1840; d. Feb. 19, 1910, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), son of Henry Smith and Celia Tucker. Her name appears in the 1860 Census as "Sarah." Evidently, she became known only by the nickname for Sarah.

- a. PATTIE ANN SMITH--b. Dec. 7, 1869; d. Oct. 8, 1956, bur. Grifton Cem.; on Nov. 26, 1893, m. GEDALIAH (TOM) TUCKER (b. Mar. 6, 1869; d. Sept. 26, 1947, bur. Grifton Cem.), son of Warren Tucker and Susan.
 - (1) WARREN KOSSUITHKO TUCKER--b. Aug. 6, 1895; d. Feb. 22, 1966, bur. Grifton Cem.; on Jan. 7, 1920, m. ELLA RUBY BELL (b. Mar. 3, 1898); live in Tampa, FL.
 - (a) GLORIA TUCKER--b. Apr. 22, 1923; on May 2, 1942, m. NED BOWEN MABRY (b. July 17, 1917); live in Columbus, GA.
 - i. (MIKE) MABRY--b. Oct. 26, 1944.
 - (2) MAGGIE TUCKER.
 - (3) VEDA VEVA TUCKER--b. Mar. 19, 1899; d. Feb. 7, 1960, bur. Wilson Cem.; on May 16, 1923, m. LESLIE ALVAH RENFROW (b. Jan. 2, 1899); lived in Lucama.
 - (a) LAURINE VALERIA RENFROW--b. Jan. 10, 1925; on May 13, 1944, m. RICHARD CHARLES HARN (b. Nov. 4, 1919), of Peru, IN.
 - i. CHARLES RICHARD HARN JR.--b. June 6, 1947; m. FLONNIE SHARON BARNES (b. Dec. 7, 1949).
 - aa. CHARLES BRYAN HARN--b. May 18, 1968.
 - ii. LESLIE PAUL HARN--b. Oct. 29, 1954.
 - (b) LESLIE HORACE RENFROW--b. Feb. 24, 1929; on Apr. 10, 1955, m. ANN JACKSON (b. Oct. 3, 1932).

- i. LESLIE HORACE RENFROW JR.--b. Jan. 21, 1960.
 - ii. RICHARD SPENCER RENFROW--b. Nov. 4, 1962.
 - (c) LESLIE ALVAH (TUCK) RENFROW JR.--b. Sept. 3, 1939; on July 20, 1968, m. LOLA MCDERMOTT (b. June 1, 1943).
 - i. VEDA ELIZABETH RENFROW--b. Mar. 2, 1970.
- (4) SALLIE VALERIA TUCKER--b. July 30, 1901; on June 2, 1929, m. GROVER SAMUEL MUMFORD (b. July 30, 1899; d. Feb. 8, 1979, bur. Grifton Cem.); live in Greensboro.
- (a) PATTY ANN MUMFORD (nee Jackson)--b. Jan. 20, 1936; m. 1st, on Aug. 22, 1956, DANIEL EDWARD HUDGINS III (b. Jan. 26, 1936); divorced; m. a second time.
 - i. SALLY ELIZABETH HUDGINS--b. Mar. 13, 1958.
 - ii. DANIEL EDWARD HUDGINS IV--b. Mar. 14, 1960.
 - iii. POLLY FULFORD HUDGINS--b. Aug. 16, 1962.
- (5) BENJAMIN GEDALIAH (BEN G.) TUCKER--b. June 8, 1907; m. 1st _____; m. 2nd on July 21, 1935, RUTH MOORE (b. Nov. 13, 1912), dau. of W. R. and Pansy Moore.
- (a) THOMAS RICHARD TUCKER--b. June 1, 1932; d. July 24, 1985, in Los Angeles, CA, bur. Grifton Cem.
 - (b) WILLIAM G. (BILL) TUCKER--b. Apr. 5, 1939; lives at Grifton.
 - (c) EARLE CAROL TUCKER--b. Dec. 24, 1949; on June 7, 1969, m. DANNY HINES (b. Oct. 4, 1947); live in Greenville.
- (6) EARL VAN TUCKER--b. Mar. 31, 1904; d. Jan. 22, 1953, bur. Grifton Cem.; n. m. He was a medical doctor and practiced in Grifton.
- (7) ROXIE SMITH TUCKER--b. Aug. 28, 1913; on June 30, 1933, m. 1st, WILLIAM FRANK CROSS (b. June 30, 1904; d. 1943), son of Frank Norfleet Cross and Mary Elizabeth Harrell of Sunbury; m. 2nd, on Oct. 30, 1968, FRANK LASSITER NIXON (b. 1894; d. 1978).; lived in Sunbury.

- (a) MARY ANN CROSS--b. Dec. 1, 1936; on July 16, 1960, m. JOHN ARTHUR BUSBY (b. Aug. 30, 1933); live in Atlanta, GA.
 - i. CLARISSA ANN BUSBY--b. July 18, 1961; m. DARYL EDWARD HARMS (b. Sept. 15, 1951), son of Walter Harms and Pauline Eshom of Illinois; live in Birmingham, AL.
 - aa. HANNAH KATHERINE HARMS--b. Apr. 4, 1989.
 - bb. EMMA ELIZABETH HARMS--b. Nov. 22, 1991.
 - ii. JULIA CROSS BUSBY--b. Jan. 31, 1965.
- (b) FRANK TUCKER CROSS--b. Jan. 27, 1938.
- (8) GLENDEL LEON TUCKER--b. Jan. 18, 1915; on Apr. 18, 1945, m. MARY KATHLEEN STOUT (b. Oct. 28, 1916) of Star.
 - (a) GLENDEL LEON TUCKER JR.--b. Dec. 20, 1953.
 - (b) VAN CARL TUCKER--b. Mar. 6, 1956; on May 15, 1982, m. FRIEDA BURCH, dau. of Warner M. Burch Sr. of Grifton; live in Grifton.
 - i. MARY KATHLEEN TUCKER--b. Oct. 14, 1984.
 - ii. VAN BURCH TUCKER--b. Jan. 29, 1986.
 - iii. BAILEY ELIZABETH TUCKER--b. Jun 17, 1988.
- b. GEORGE B. SMITH--b. Aug. 3, 1872; d. Feb. 20, 1879, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
- c. SUSAN JANE SMITH--b. May 5, 1875; d. with Bright's disease Oct. 23, 1932, bur. in Moore Family Cem. on farm; on Dec. 14, 1892, m. GEORGE LAFAYETTE (FATE) MOORE (b. Feb. 17, 1868; d. with Bright's disease Mar. 13, 1923, bur. in Family Cem. near Bethel), son of Elder Samuel Moore (Primitive Baptist minister) and Nancy Ward of Bethel.
- (1) JOHN SAMUEL MOORE--b. Oct. 24, 1893; d. Feb. 17, 1953, bur. Moore Family Cem.; m. MAGGIE TAYLOR (b. Aug. 6, 1899).
 - (a) NORMAN FOSTER MOORE--b. Sept 1, 1917; on Apr. 11, 1944, m. HAZEL MCINTOSH. He is deceased.
 - (b) JAMES SIDNEY MOORE--b. Oct. 15, 1918; d. Jan. 30, 1991, in



Lafayette (Fate) and Jane Smith Moore



Fate Moore Home



Jane Smith Moore

Jane Smith Moore

Pittsboro; m. 1st ELEANOR MOSS HARLOE; divorced; m. 2nd, on Jan. 3, 1952, HAZEL WILLIAMS BYRUM, dau. of Coon and Minnie Williams of Greenville; m. 3rd LOIS.

i. RAY MOORE--lives in Greenville

ii. TAMMY MOORE--m. an EVANS; live at Alexandria, VA

(c) JANE ELIZABETH MOORE--b. Jan 27, 1920; on Dec. 26, 1940, m. J. R. HIGHSMITH. She is deceased.

(d) MARGARET WADE MOORE--b. Apr. 1, 1921; in Mar. 1946, m. L. T. RENSCHAW; live in Decater, AL.

(e) ANNA JULIE MOORE--b. Feb. 14, 1923; in May 1946, m. J. H. FOSTER; live at Greenville.

(f) LOUISE TAYLOR MOORE--b. Feb. 5, 1925; d. Mar. 3, 1939, bur. Moore Family Cem. She committed suicide by taking poison.

(2) FAYE MARIE MOORE--b. Sept. 8, 1895; d. Sept. 19, 1963, bur. Bethel Cem.; m. MARSHALL T. WHITEHURST.

(a) MARY FRANCES WHITEHURST--b. Mar. 13, 1919; m. WILLIAM GRIFFITH GRIFFIN.

(b) KATHLEEN WHITEHURST--b. Nov. 3, 1921; m. DAVID HILBURNE.

(c) MARIE WHITEHURST--b. May 25, 1924; m. GEORGE WILLIFORD.

(d) VIRGINIA JANE WHITEHURST--b. Jan. 8, 1929; m. RUSSELL DAVIS.

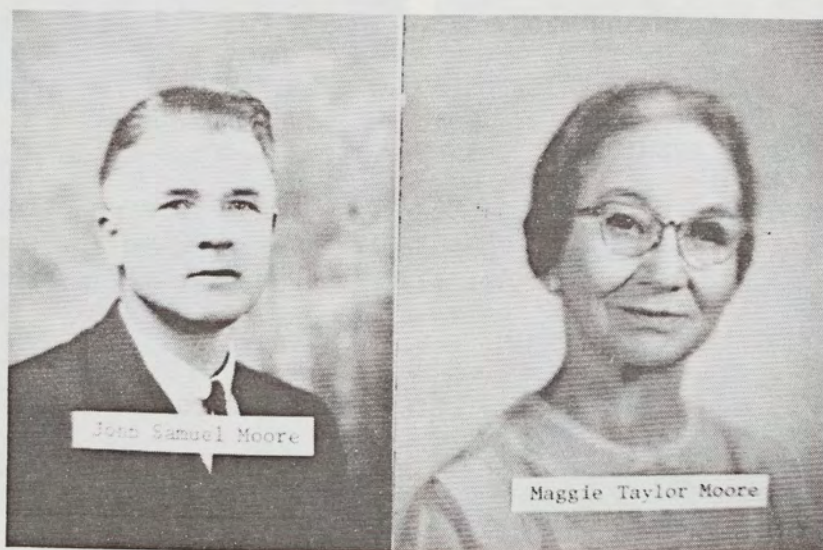
(e) JOE WHITEHURST--b. Oct. 11, 1931.

(3) EVA CATHLEEN MOORE--b. Oct. 22, 1897; d. Jan. 12, 1905, bur. Moore Cem.

(4) OLLEN LAFAYETTE MOORE--b. Apr. 17, 1900; d. July 9, 1901, bur. Moore Cem.

(5) MARY JANE MOORE--b. Apr. 16, 1902; on Dec. 23, 1920, m. CARY EDWARD BROWN (b. Aug. 27, 1900; d. July 2, 1988, bur. Bethel City Cem.). When he died, he had 5 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

(a) RACHEL MARIE BROWN--b. Sept. 19, 1922; on Aug. 24, 1947, m. the



John Samuel and Maggie Taylor Moore



Seated left to right: Carey E. and Mary J. Moore Brown.
Standing: Rachel Marie, Carey Jr., and Mary Ruth.

- Rev. W. F. MARKS (b. Oct. 1, 1921); lived in Charlotte in 1988.
- (b) MARY RUTH BROWN--b. Jan. 21, 1926; on June 17, 1953, m. WILLIAM LEE WHITLEY (b. Apr. 28, 1924); live in New Bern.
- (c) CAREY EDWARD BROWN JR.--b. July 20, 1932; on Dec. 19, 1954, m. EVELYN ANNE THIGPEN (b. Dec. 26, 1939); live at Louisburg.
- d. JOSEPH FREDERICK SMITH--b. Jan. 31, 1878; d. Dec. 12, 1930, bur. Moore Family Cem.; Co. H, 47 US Vol. Infantry, World War I; m. ROSA ELLA ABRAMS (b. Apr. 28, 1879; d. June 15, 1956, bur. Moore Family Cem.).
- (1) NANNIE ATHLEEN SMITH--b. Feb. 10, 1903; d. Apr. 2, 1966, bur. Moore Family Cem.; in 1921, m. NEIL EDMUND RESICO (b. 1902) of Mount Clemens, MI.
- (a) JOSEPH KARL RESICO--b. Apr. 21, 1923; m. in 1948.
- (b) NEIL EDMUND RESICO JR.--b. Sept. 13, 1924; m. in 1945.
- (c) MARY ROSE RESICO--b. Oct. 2, 1925; in Aug. 1946, m. JESSE LEE VIVERETTE.
- i. REGINA LEE VIVERETTE--b. Apr. 20, 1947.
- ii. JESSE RAY VIVERETTE--b. Nov. 28, 1949.
- iii. Daughter.
- (d) JOHN THOMAS (JACK) RESICO--b. Nov. 3, 1926; on June 5, 1949, m. IRMA FAYE LANIER (b. Aug. 23, 1928); live in Rocky Mount.
- i. VIRGINIA LANCASTER RESICO--b. Dec. 10, 1951.
- ii. JOHN THOMAS RESICO JR.--b. July 18, 1963.
- (e) RACHEL JANE RESICO--b. Jan. 30, 1928; n. m.
- (f) NANCY SUE RESICO--b. Aug. 20, 1930; m. DON IRWIN; five children.
- e. Infant daughter--Sept. 18-Oct. 18, 1880, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
- f. LOVIE E. SMITH--b. Sept. 4, 1882; d. Apr. 3, 1931, bur. Westview Cem.; on May 11, 1902, m. AMBROSE D. JOHNSTON (b. Nov. 23, 1872; d. Sept. 20, 1934, bur. Westview Cem.).



Mary and Lovie Smith



Joseph Frederick Smith



Sally, Lilla, Rosa, and
Ambrose Johnston



John David Smith

- (1) ANNIE LEE JOHNSTON--b. Mar. 27, 1903; d. Oct. 26, 1936, bur. Westview Cem.; m. FLOYD BARWICK JONES (b. Nov. 8, 1904; d. Sept. 14, 1949, bur. Westview Cem.).
- (a) FLOYD BARWICK JONES JR.--b. Oct. 20, 1929; d. May 3, 1987, bur. Westview Cem.; on Jan. 22, 1950, m. CHARLOTTE SUTTON (b. July 3, 1931); live in Kinston.
- i. VIRGINIA ANNE JONES--b. Dec. 15, 1950.
- ii. FLOYD BARWICK JONES III--b. Nov. 17, 1952.
- iii. IRBY CARL JONES--b. Oct. 2, 1956.
- (b) FRANCIS NEIL JONES; m. and live at Pink Hill.
- (c) MARY ANN JONES--b. May 20, 1934; m. a BALL; live on Route 4, Kinston.
- (d) GLENWOOD CAROL JONES--d. Nov. 13, 1935, bur. Westview Cem.
- (2) ROBERT GLENN JOHNSTON--b. June 27, 1904; m. 1st, ROBBIE AGNES FENTRESS of Bayboro; divorced; m. 2nd, CECILE B.
- (a) ROBERT GLENN JOHNSTON JR.
- (3) SALLIE JANE JOHNSTON--b. May 10, 1906; n. m.
- (4) LILA J. JOHNSTON--b. Mar. 9, 1908; d. Feb. 2, 1965, bur. Westview Cem.
- (5) AMBROSE D. JOHNSTON JR.--b. Feb. 23, 1910; d. Mar. 13, 1984, bur. Westview Cem.; m. ELIZABETH _____.
- (6) ROSA ELLA JOHNSTON--b. Dec. 27, 1912; d. Nov. 10, 1951; on Oct. 12, 1941, m. PATRICK JAMES POWERS.
- (a) PATRICK JAMES POWERS JR.--b. Nov. 8, 1943; m. 1st, ELLA RAYE MITCHELL of Wilson (lived in Northumberland, PA); divorced; one child; m. 2nd, in 1968, BARBARA WENDEL.
- i. SCARLETT EVE POWERS--b. June 4, 1964; m. VICTOR MALLENBAUM; live in Greenville.
- g. MARY CLARSIE SMITH--b. Nov. 2, 1885; d. Aug. 6, 1957, bur. Winterville Cem.;



Mary Smith Jackson

George Allen Jackson

Mary Smith and George Allen Jackson



Wilbur, Eva, and John Allen Jackson



John Allen Jackson



Jamie Smith



Children of Mary Alice Jackson Harrell

on June 4, 1905, m. GEORGE ALLEN JACKSON (b. Feb. 16, 1879; d. June 6, 1912, bur. Winterville Cem.), son of Allen Jackson and Louvenia Dail.

(1) EVA ALICE JACKSON--b. Mar. 12, 1906; on May 25, 1930, m. HARLAN OTHO WHITE (b. Nov. 22, 1901; d. Oct. 18, 1950, bur. Hillcrest Cem., Colerain), son of Zachariah White and Alfredy Slade of Colerain. Eva lives in Colerain.

(a) MARY ALICE WHITE--b. Dec. 20, 1931; d. Oct. 11, 1944, Bur. Hillcrest Cem.

(b) FREIDA RUTH WHITE--b. Oct. 26, 1946; m. 1st, on June 1, 1968, HARVEY KEITH PURVIS (b. Dec. 12, 1943), son of Harvey Junius Purvis Jr. and Elizabeth Griffin of Ahoskie; divorced; m. a second time; on , m. JOHN H. STOX, son of John Wiley and Laura Stox of Ayden; divorced. Freida lives at Manteo.

i. MARY CLAIRE PURVIS--b. Sept 27, 1970.

(2) JOHN ALLEN JACKSON--b. July 1, 1907; d. Aug. 26, 1959, bur. Winterville Cem.; m. 1st, on Feb. 6, 1927, SUSIE SHEPARD (b. Aug. 24, 1907), dau. of Booker Goodrich Shepard and Mattie Sue Hudson of Naruna, VA; divorced; m. 2nd MOLLY BOOMER; divorced; m. 3rd, KENNIE VIRGINIA MCLAWHORN (b. Feb. 15, 1916), dau. of James Henry McLawhorn and Virgie Anna Forlines of Winterville.

(a) JOHN ALLEN JACKSON JR.--b. Nov. 1, 1927; n. m.; lives in Colerain.

(b) MARY ALICE JACKSON--b. Jan. 19, 1932; on Apr. 22, 1956, m. WILLIAM PERSON HARRELL (b. Apr. 5, 1928), son of Britton Harrell and Bessie Owens of Colerain; live at Colerain.

i. PATTY ANN HARRELL--b. Nov. 29, 1956; m. SHERWOOD BASS.

aa. MARY DEAN BASS--b. Feb. 21, 1984.

ii. EVA GAY HARRELL--b. Sept. 30, 1957.

iii. WILLIAM PERSON (BILL) HARRELL JR.--b. Jan. 31, 1962; m. MARY

ELLEN FARLESS.

aa. BRITTANY JO HARRELL--b. Sept. 24, 1983.

iv. JOHN ALAN HARRELL--b. Dec. 8, 1964.

v. EDWARD JACKSON HARRELL--b. Jan. 16, 1970.

(c) PATTY ANN JACKSON--b. Jan. 20, 1936; adopted by Grover S. Mumford and Sallie Tucker (see their family).

(d) GEORGE HARLEY JACKSON--b. Aug. 10, 1946; m. 1st, on July 9, 1966, REBECCA ANN HARRIS (b. Jan. 21, 1949), dau. of Harry W. Harris and Fannie Rebecca Cannon of Ayden; divorced; m. 2nd, on Nov. 16, 1974, BRENDA GALE HARRIS, dau. of K. Roscoe Harris and Dorothy Cogdill; live on Route 1, Winterville.

i. GEORGE HARLEY JACKSON JR.--b. Nov. 24, 1967.

(e) EVA VIRGINIA JACKSON--b. Dec. 13, 1947; on Feb. 26, 1972, m. CHARLES RAY NOBLES (b. July 23, 1946), son of David Henry Nobles and Minnie Griffin of Ayden; live at Raleigh.

i. CHARLES GRIFFIN NOBLES--b. May 6, 1977.

ii. JOHN EWELL NOBLES--b. Nov. 13, 1979.

(3) WILBUR ROY JACKSON--b. Oct. 17, 1908; d. Apr. 21, 1969, bur.

Winterville Cem.; on Sept. 23, 1935, m. ELMA LESESNE (b. 1908, raised in an orphanage); divorced; m. 2nd, on Oct. 15, 1946, HAZEL YORK (b. Aug. 23, 1913), dau. of Charles Edward York and Myrtle King of Kena, LA. Wilbur served in the Air Force in World War II.

(4) GEORGE ALVAH JACKSON--b. May 8, 1910; d. Sept. 10, 1956, bur. Bethel Cem.; Sp I USNR, World War II; on June 27, 1940, m. SYLVIA CHERRY WEEKS (b. Apr. 19, 1906), dau. of Walter Cherry and Jennie Alsbrook of Tarboro.

(a) SYLVIA ANN JACKSON--b. Aug. 31, 1945; on Jan. 15, 1966, m. DENNIS ALTON ROBERSON JR. (b. June 28, 1943), son of Dennis Alton

Roberson and Margaret Ross of Robersonville.

i. DENNIS ALTON ROBERSON III--b. July 16, 1972.

ii. DENISE ROBERSON.

(5) CLARSIE LOU JACKSON--b. Jan. 10, 1912; d. Oct. 16, 1912, bur.

Winterville Cem.

h. JOHN DAVID SMITH--b. June 14, 1888; d. Feb. 19, 1946, bur. McGlohon-

McLawhorn Cem.

i. MAGGIE SMITH--b. Dec. 7, 1890; d. Oct. 16, 1895, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn
Cem.

j. JAMES T. (JAMIE) SMITH--b. Sept. 1893; m. CLYDE CHAPMAN.



J. F. Jerome McGlohon



Harriet Brown McGlohon



Zelota McGlohon Harrington



Ira Jerome McGlohon



Freddie Grey and Dora

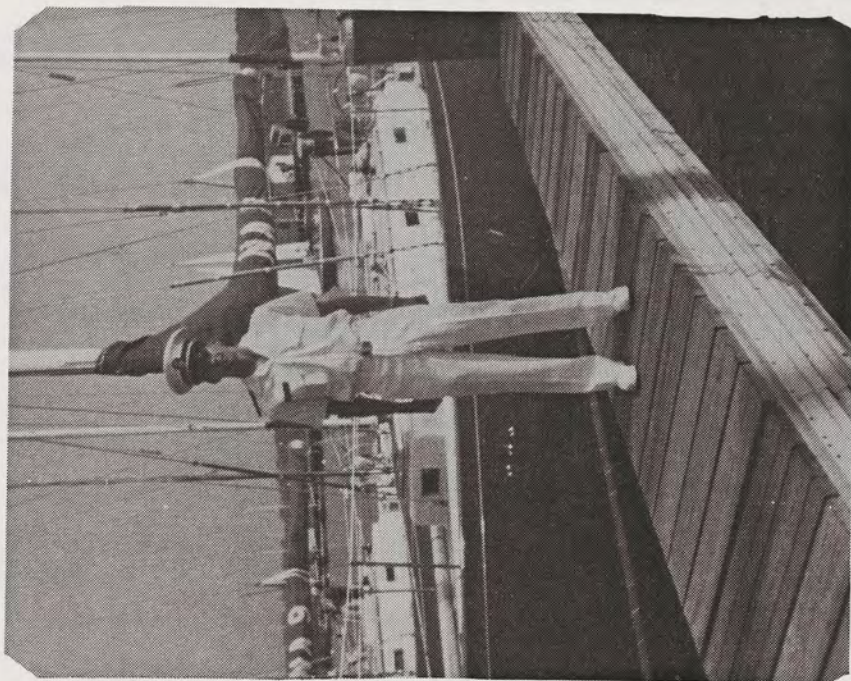
Freddie Grey and
Dora B. McGlohon

Chapter 11

JOSEPH MCGLOHON FAMILY

JOSEPH SPIRE (SPIER?) MCGLOHON was born February 18, 1854. He died with T. B., which he contracted as a result of ditching while he unknowingly had the measles, on Jan. 25, 1881. He was buried in the McGlohon-McLawhorn Cemetery. On September 25, 1879, he married ZELOTA FRIZELLE (bur. Frizelle Family Cem. near Maury in Greene Co.), the daughter of J. J. Frizelle and Susan Hart. Joe's will spells his name with an "r"--McGlohorn.

- a. JOSEPH FREDERICK JEROME MCGLOHON--b. July 26, 1879; d. Oct. 24, 1948, bur. Ayden Cem.; on June 3, 1914, m. HARRIET HOPKINS BROWN (b. Aug. 17, 1886; d. Dec. 22, 1955, bur. Ayden Cem.), dau. of Gray Little Brown and Harriet Stancil of Edgecombe Co.
 - (1) HARRIET ZELOTA MCGLOHON--b. Mar. 29, 1915; on July 4, 1936, m. JAMES EDWIN HARRINGTON (b. Oct. 15, 1913; d. Dec. 20, 1968, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Ed and Mamie Harrington; lives on Ayden route.
 - (a) EDWIN JEROME HARRINGTON--b. Aug. 13, 1937.
 - (b) BROWNIE ZELOTA HARRINGTON--b. Jan. 13, 1939; on June 17, 1961, m. GEORGE WILEY STANCIL (b. May 5, 1937); live at Merry Hill.
 - i. ANTHONY WILEY STANCIL--b. June 1, 1964; d. July 27, 1990, in a helicopter crash in the Chocolate Mountain Bombing Range in southern California, bur. in Ayden Cem. He was promoted to captain in the U. S. Marine Corps after his death.
 - ii. JON SCOTT STANCIL--b. May 10, 1967; on June 12, 1993, m. DANIALE ELAINE ROBSON.
 - (2) IRA JEROME MCGLOHON--b. May 22, 1917; n. m.
 - (3) FREDERICK GREY MCGLOHON--b. Feb. 23, 1919; on Mar. 2, 1957, m. DORA MAE BULLUCK (b. July 30, 1919).



Anthony Wiley Stancil, 1982, First
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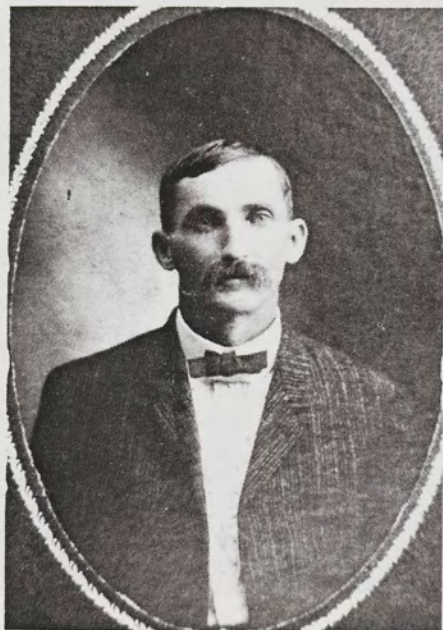
Jon Scott
Stancil



Anthony W. Stancil and Jon Scott
Stancil, May 18, 1986, in Annap-
olis, MD, the Sunday after the
Baccalaureate Service in the U. S.
Naval Academy Chapel

(a) HARRIET BULLUCK MCGLOHON--b. Aug. 20, 1959; on July 30, 1980, m.
JOHN KELLY EDWARDS (b. Oct. 29, 1957), son of Jack Futrelle
Edwards and Mary Magdaline Sutton. (See his family.)

(4) BROWNIE MCGLOHON--b. July 9, 1925; d. July 28, 1925, bur. Ayden Cem.



Charles McLawhorn, about 1889



Herman and Charles Jr. McLawhorn,
Summer of 1915



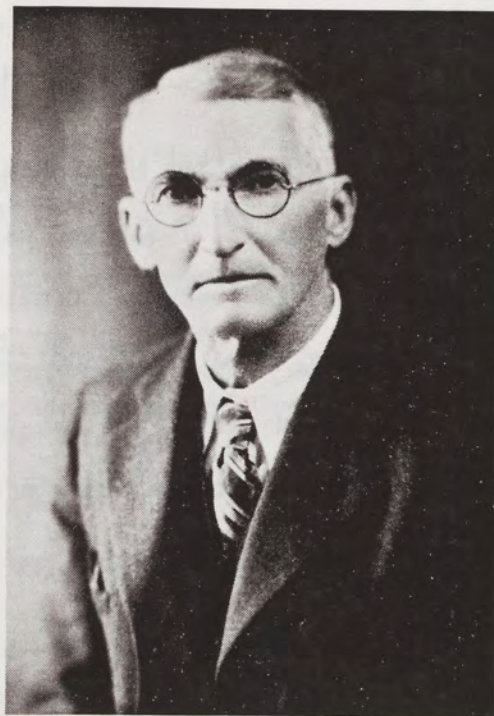
Home of Charles and Maggie B.
McLawhorn, Fall 1896



Home of Charles and Maggie B.
McLawhorn, Fall 1914 or 1915



Maggie Barnhill McLawhorn



Charles McLawhorn



Charles McLawhorn Family, 1954. Seated left to right: Leckie, Herman, Myrtle, Dennis and Jennie. Standing: Helen, Mary Ida, and LaRue.

Chapter 12

CHARLES MCLAWHORN FAMILY

CHARLES (CHARLIE) MCLAWHORN was born July 16, 1863. He died of a heart attack on April 5, 1934, and was buried in teh McGlohon-McLawhorn Cemetery; but he was moved to Greenwood Cemetery in Greenville. On December 18, 1889, he married MARY MAGDALENE (MAGGIE) BARNHILL (b. Oct. 2, 1869; d. Sept. 23, 1948, bur. Greenwood Cem.), the daughter of John Richard Barnhill and Mary M. Charlie was a farmer and owned quite a bit of land in Pitt County. He lived on Route 1 Winterville.

a. RICHARD HERMAN MCLAWHORN--b. Dec. 12, 1890; d. Jan. 28, 1971, bur. Ayden Cem.; m. 1st, on Sept. 25, 1921, JANIE TYSON (b. June 21, 1900; d. Apr. 27, 1946, bur. Ayden Cem.), dau. of C. L. and Lizzie Tyson; m. 2nd, on June 14, 1947, RUBY GARRIS (b. Apr. 15, 1899; d. Apr. 5, 1979, bur. Ayden Cem.; lived in Renston community.

(1) RICHARD HERMAN (R. H.) MCLAWHORN JR.--b. Aug. 31, 1923; d. June 19, 1987, bur. Ayden Cem.; on Jan. 29, 1943, m. BETTY ELLIS MCGLOHON (b. July 16, 1921; d. June 28, 1987, bur. Ayden Cem.), dau. of Doctor McGlohon and Nina Ester Smith.

(a) RICHARD HERMAN MCLAWHORN III--b. Oct. 6, 1943; on Jan. 23, 1968, m. MARIAN HARVEY NELSON (b. Feb. 23, 1943), dau. of Richard Nelson and Muriel Harvey of Grifton; live in Grifton.

i. RICHARD ALEXANDER MCLAWHORN--b. Feb. 17, 1969.

ii. DAPHNE OLIVIA MCLAWHORN--b. Feb. 17, 1972.

iii. JOHN HARVEY MCLAWHORN--b. June 15, 1973.

iv. ADAM NELSON MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 11, 1976.

(b) NINA JANE MCLAWHORN--b. Mar. 19, 1946; m. 1st, on Sept. 11, 1966,

STEVEN WILLIAM STOX (b. Apr. 7, 1948), son of John Wiley Stox and Laura (called Larrie); divorced; m. 2nd, on Dec. 20, 1979, GROVER CAUTHEN of Raleigh; live in Wilmington.

- i. STEVEN WILLIAM STOX II--b. May 7, 1967; on Apr. 6, 1991, m. SUSAN MARTIN of Myrtle Beach, SC; live in Garden City, SC.
- (c) JOEL BRYANT MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 2, 1947; m. 1st, on July 17, 1970, JUDY KAY HUNTER (b. Dec. 3, 1950), dau. of Herman Tyree Hunter and Sallie of Clinton; divorced; m. 2nd, on Nov. 14, 1992, SUSAN LINDSAY STOKES CRAWFORD (b. June 19, 1954, in Wilson) of Winterville, dau. of David Calvin Stokes and Ann Adair Webb of New Bern.
 - i. SUSAN ELIZABETH MCLAWHORN--b. Nov. 11, 1971.
 - ii. JOEL PATRICK MCLAWHORN--b.
 - iii. REBECCA JEAN MCLAWHORN--b. May 22, 1979; d. Oct. 29, 1992, bur. Ayden Cem.
 - iv. RICHARD THOMAS MCLAWHORN--b. June 11, 1993.
- (d) BETTIE JEAN MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 27, 1948; on Jan. 19, 1974, m. DAN CREWS USRY (b. Apr. 24, 1938), son of Lindsey Usry and Mary Alma Overton of Richmond, VA; divorced and resumed maiden name.; lives at Raleigh.
- (e) ANDY ELLIS MCLAWHORN--b. Jan. 23, 1952; m. EVA DETTWILER (b. Dec. 11, 1950) of Reigoldswil, Switzerland; live on Route 1, Winterville.
 - i. ALBRECHT NICHOLAS MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 31, 1976.
 - ii. BRYAN LUCAS MCLAWHORN--b. Jan. 13, 1979.
 - iii. ARLO ELIAS MCLAWHORN--b. Apr. 22, 1982.
- (f) MYRA ELIZABETH MCLAWHORN--b. Nov. 13, 1959; on Mar. 31, 1979, in Dillon, SC, m. JOHN COTTON MANNING, son of Herman L. (Jack) Manning and Ruth Williams of Grifton; live in Raleigh.
 - i. JACK WESLEY MANNING--b. Oct. 31, 1983.
 - ii. ELLIS JANE MANNING--b. Feb. 3, 1988.

- (2) PATSY JANE MCLAWHORN--b. June 7, 1925; on Apr. 10, 1947, m. RALPH

CONLEY WORTHINGTON (b. Feb. 29, 1924; d. Sept. 1, 1971, bur. Ayden Cem.), son of Jim Blaine Worthington and Pearl Almeta Hester of Winterville; divorced and remarried; m. 2nd, THURMAN MILLS; divorced.

(a) RALPH CONLEY (WORTH) WORTHINGTON JR.--b. Feb. 25, 1951; on Dec. 23, 1976, m. BEVERLY ESTELLE HOGSHIRE, dau. of William Judson Hogshire of Rocky Mount; divorced; m. 2nd, on Oct. 1, 1983, DARLENE SMITH, dau. of David Harold Smith of Ayden; live on Route 1, Ayden.

(b) JANIPAT WORTHINGTON--b. Dec. 7, 1961; on Oct. 2, 1982, m. JOSEPH LAWRENCE WHALEY of Arapahoe, son of Joseph L. Whaley and Catherine T. Whaley of Grifton; live in Ayden.

(3) CHARLES LORENZO MCLAWHORN--b. July 13, 1927; on Nov. 27, 1946, m. BROWNIE ELIZABETH DAIL (b. Mar. 20, 1926), dau. of Luther Dail and Clara Jolly. Charles has served in the North Carolina Legislature as a representative and presently as a senator. They live on Route 1, Winterville.

(a) CHARLES LORENZO (SONNY) MCLAWHORN JR.--b. Oct. 3, 1947; m. 1st BARBARA ANN BURLESON; divorced; m. 2nd, on Dec. 17, 1988, ELISA GAIL MURRAY, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. James Edward Murray; they live at his great-grandfather's homeplace on Route 1, Winterville.

i. MELISSA D. MCLAWHORN--b. Sept. 29, 1969.

ii. CHARLES LORENZO MCLAWHORN III--b. Dec. 27, 1976.

iii. MOLLY MADISON MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 15, 1991.

(b) LEON DAIL MCLAWHORN--b. Mar. 14, 1950; m. TSIN Y LING. They are both veterinarians and operate an animal clinic between Winterville and Greenville.

i. JENNIFER KWAN-LING MCLAWHORN--b. Dec. 30, 1987.

(c) STEPHEN JOLLY MCLAWHORN--b. Dec. 9, 1952; on May 1, 1982, m. KATHY OAKLEY EVANS, dau. of Robert Edward Evans of Route 1, Roxboro.;

- i. TYLER EVANS MCLAWHORN--b. Jan. 4, 1984.
 - ii. MEGHAN ELIZABETH MCLAWHORN--b. May 17, 1986.
- (4) DAPHNE MCLAWHORN--b. Aug. 22, 1928; on June 13, 1946, m. ROY HOBBS BYRD (b. Oct. 27, 1922); live at Bunnlevel.
- (a) ROY HOBBS BYRD JR.--b. Jan. 14, 1955.
 - (b) JENNY LYNN BYRD --b. Nov. 10, 1964 (adopted); on Oct. 13, 1990, m. KENNETH EDWARD MOOREFIELD JR. of Greenville, son of Kenneth E. Moorefield of Rocky Mount; live in Raleigh.
- (5) WILLIAM MANGUM (BILL) MCLAWHORN--b. Dec. 5, 1929; on Feb. 18, 1950, m. CLARA LOU DAIL (b. Oct. 8, 1931), dau. of Luther Dail and Clara Jolly; live on Route 1, Ayden.
- (a) JANIE JOLLY MCLAWHORN--b. Jan. 30, 1951; on Sept. 21, 1972, m. GEORGE L. FOUKE of Laurinburg; divorced; lives in Cleveland, OH; n. c.
 - (b) NANCY CAROLYN MCLAWHORN--b. Nov. 1, 1952; on May 27, 1972, m. WILLIAM SAMUEL (BILLY) MAY (b. Sept. 13, 1951, in Lenoir Co.), son son of William Respass May and Clarissa Brooks Edwards. See his family.
 - (c) WILLIAM MANGUM (BILLY) MCLAWHORN JR.--b. May 5, 1955; on Nov. 15, 1981, m. MARTHA ANNE GORE DOCSH (b. June 16, 1945, in Columbus), dau. of Lennon LeRoy Gore and Mabel Lewis.
- b. MARTHA MYRTLE MCLAWHORN--b. Sept. 7, 1892; d. Jan. 19, 1965, bur. Greenwood Cem.; on June 9, 1936, m. LEON WARREN TUCKER (b. June 16, 1878; d. June 17, 1951, bur. Greenwood Cem.), son of J. A. K. and Della Tucker; n. c.
- c. DENNIS TORBET MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 6, 1894; d. Jan. 24, 1968, bur. Greenwood Cem.; on Sept. 2, 1925, m. MADGE WATKINS JENKINS (b. Feb. 22, 1902; d. Jan. 23, 1993, bur. Greenwood Cem.), dau. of Charles James Jenkins and Mamie Watkins of Edison, GA. Madge had Alzheimer's disease. There were 18 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren when she died.



Dennis T. McLawhorn, about 6



Dennis T. McLawhorn, Leckie,
and Charles Jr.



Dennis McLawhorn Family

- (1) MAMIE BARNHILL MCLAWHORN--b. Apr. 25, 1927, in Greenville; on Sept. 2, 1949, m. KENNETH KIRWIN DEWS (b. Jan. 8, 1922, in Blakely, GA.); live on Route 1, Winterville.
- (a) KENNETH KIRWIN (KENNY) DEWS JR.--b. Feb. 1, 1951, in Greenville; on June 21, 1975, m. MARY ELIZABETH KIZER, dau. of Drury Kizer of Hope Mills.
- i. KRISTI ELIZABETH DEWS--b. Oct. 15, 1977.
- ii. ASHLEY DENYSE DEWS--b. Aug. 15, 1980.
- (b) ALEXINE BATES DEWS--b. July 9, 1953; on Aug. 19, 1972, m. PATRICK JOSEPH DECUZZI JR. (b. Sept 23, 1953, in San Antonio, TX), son of Patrick Joseph DeCuzzi and Esther Danez Vincent; divorced.
- i. ANGELA MARIE DECUZZI--b. Apr. 24, 1981.
- (c) MADGE GAY DEWS--b. Jan. 27, 1955, in Greenville; on Aug. 19, 1978, m. STEVAN HAYDEN THOMPSON (b. Nov. 25, 1952), son of Everette Hayden Thompson and Joann Mason. In 1993 they were living in Honolulu, HI.
- i. KENNETH STEVAN THOMPSON--b. Nov. 7, 1983, in Johannesburg General Hospital, South Africa.
- ii. JOANNA LEIGH THOMPSON--b. Oct. 10, 1987.
- (d) CATHERINE CLAIRE DEWS--b. July 15, 1961, in Greenville; on May 28, m. JOSEPH ANTHONY NELSON, son of James Arthur Nelson Sr. of Bethel; live on Route 1, Winterville.
- i. MARY CATHERINE NELSON--b. Feb. 22, 1988.
- ii. ANNA BLAIR NELSON--b. Apr. 5, 1991.
- (2) MADGE GAY MCLAWHORN--b. June 16, 1929, in Greenville; on Feb. 6, 1954, m. JAMES ERSKINE LOVE JR. (b. Aug. 1, 1928; d. Feb. 21, 1987, bur. Arlington Cem., Atlanta, GA), son of James Erskine Love (b. Feb. 16, 1905; d. May 14, 1969, bur. Arlington Cemetery, Atlanta) and Gladys

Keith (b. Aug. 14, 1898; d. Aug. 28, 1978, bur. Greenwood, SC), who were divorced in 1936; lives in Atlanta, GA.

(a) DENNIS MCLAWHORN LOVE--b. Aug. 15, 1955, in Atlanta, GA; on Apr. 23, 1983, m. BETTS CULP (b. Feb. 21, 1957).

i. CATHERINE CULP LOVE--b. Nov. 25, 1984.

ii. DENNIS MCLAWHORN LOVE JR.--b. Jan. 8, 1987.

iii. ALISON THORNWELL LOVE--b. Jan. 18, 1988.

(b) JAMES ERSKINE LOVE III--b. Dec. 9, 1956; on Nov. 22, 1986, m. SARAH ELLEN MCINTIRE (b. Jan. 9, 1954).

i. JAMES ERSKINE LOVE IV--b. June 14, 1988.

ii. MARGUERITE PALMOUR LOVE--b. Mar. 6, 1990.

iii. WALTER BARROW LOVE--b. Sept 27, 1991.

(c) CAROL ANNE LOVE--b. Sept 28, 1958; on July 24, 1982, m. GEORGE KING JENNISON (b. Nov. 10, 1957).

i. JOHN ERSKINE JENNISON--b. Sept. 10, 1985.

ii. DAVID JACKSON JENNISON--b. Aug. 6, 1987.

iii. CHRISTINA LOVE JENNISON--b. Sept. 12, 1990.

(d) CHARLES KEITH LOVE--b. Jan. 30, 1961; on May 26, 1990, m. BARBRA ELLEN STEINMAN (b. Mar. 18, 1961), dau. of Fredric James Steinman (b. June 25, 1934) and Mary Jane Rewakosky (b. Aug. 17, 1934). They live in Prescott, Arizona.

i. EMILY DENYSE LOVE--b. Jan. 31, 1992.

(e) WILLIAM JENKINS LOVE--b. June 12, 1962; on Aug. 6, 1988, m. HELEN ELIZABETH (BETH) BRUMLEY (b. Apr. 20, 1962), dau. of Dr. George William Brumley Jr. and Jean Stanback of Northside Atlanta, GA. In 1993 they lived in Phoenix, AZ.

i. SARAH JENNINGS LOVE--b. Nov. 13, 1991, in Durham, NC.

(f) DAVID MCLAWHORN LOVE--b. Aug. 18, 1971.

- (c) DENYSE TORBET MCLAWHORN--b. Dec. 28, 1933, in the Renston community; on Aug. 3, 1957, m. IRVING LEE SMITH JR. (b. May 10, 1933), son of Irving Lee Smith and Josephine Robertson of Robersonville; live in Robersonville.
- (a) IRVING LEE SMITH III--b. Oct. 17, 1958; on July 9, 1983, m. FRIEDA VIRGINIA REGISTER; live in Robersonville..
- i. CAROLINE ELIZABETH SMITH--b. June 17, 1987.
- ii. SALLY MORGAN SMITH--b. Dec. 18, 1988.
- iii. WILLIAM GRAY SMITH--b. Sept. 16, 1991.
- (b) CHARLES GILBERT SMITH--b. Jan. 10, 1960.; on June 22, 1985, m. JODY MAREE' WHITE, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Elder White of Ahoskie; live in Morehead.
- i. JENA DELAINE SMITH--b. Nov.
- ii. CHARLES GILBERT SMITH JR.--b. Sept. 9.
- (c) ROBERT LAWRENCE SMITH--b. Apr. 13, 1963; on Mar. 7, 1987, m. JANET DAVENPORT CLARK, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Clark of Route 3, Williamston; live in Belhaven.
- (d) DENNIS MCLAWHORN SMITH--b. Sept. 6, 1968.
- (4) JO ANNE MCLAWHORN--b. Aug. 14, 1935, in Greenville; on Oct. 22, 1960, m. DOUGLAS MORGAN PADGETT (b. May 17, 1936, in Shelby), son of P. Maxwell Padgett and Fern Morgan; live in Atlanta, GA.
- (a) DOUGLAS MORGAN PADGETT JR.--b. Sept. 1, 1964, in Warner Robins, GA.
- (c) MARIANNE MCLAWHORN PADGETT--b. June 5, 1966, in Warner Robins, GA; on Nov. 28, 1992, m. MICHAEL RAYMOND TRAPNELL; live in Atlanta, GA.
- (d) ELIZABETH DENYSE PADGETT--b. Apr. 30, 1973, in Atlanta, GA.
- d. JENNIE MCLAWHORN--b. Feb. 26, 1897; d. Mar. 7, 1970, bur. Pinewood Memorial

Park; on Sept. 13, 1921, m. COY LESLIE FORBES (b. Mar. 17, 1892; d. Oct. 12, 1961, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park), son of W. Alfred Forbes and Nannie E.; divorced; lived between Stokes and Pactolus.

(1) Infant son--Sept. 22, 1922, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.

(2) CHARLES ALFRED FORBES--b. Feb. 19, 1925; on Nov. 28, 1943, m. BLANCHE CHERRY JACKSON (b. Sept. 26, 1926), dau. of Charlie Cletas Jackson and Geneva Catherine McLawhorn; divorced.

(a) JENNIE KATHRYN FORBES--b. Dec. 29, 1944; on June 11, 1967, m.

LARRY GIPSON CRUMPLER (b. May 4, 1943); divorced.

i. JUDD FORBES CRUMPLER--b. Oct. 13, 1970.

(b) DONNA JANE FORBES--b. Apr. 17, 1951; on Jan. 31, 1976, m. ROBERT

CRAVEN TURNER JR. (b. Sept. 17, 1946), son of Robert Craven Turner of Raleigh.

i. LEIGH FORBES TURNER--b. Aug. 26, 1983.

(c) JOSIE PACE FORBES--b. June 17, 1956.

(3) CLARISSA JEAN FORBES--b. Nov. 8, 1928; m. 1st, (BUSTER) FLETCHER, son of William Alfred Fletcher, who d. by drowning; divorced; m. 2nd, a LEIGH; divorced; n. c.; lives in Greenville and Raleigh.

e. LARUE MCLAWHORN--b. Apr. 4, 1890; d. Feb. 22, 1989, bur. Greenwood Cem.; on Aug. 12, 1926, m. OBED CASTELLOE (b. Oct. 25, 1893; d. Jan. 31, 1956, bur. Greenwood Cem.), son of William Henry Castellloe and Octavia Mitchell of Aulander. Obed was a mail carrier and they lived on Route 1, Winterville. Larue had 13 grandchildren when she died.

(1) THOMAS EDISON CASTELLOE--b. Oct. 18, 1931; on Nov. 23, 1963, m. MOLLY SANDERS FOUNTAIN (b. Mar. 30, 1936), dau. of William Marsh Sanders and Mildred Cooley; live in Raleigh. Thomas is an orthopedic surgeon in Raleigh.

(a) MOLLY SANDERS CASTELLOE--b. Aug. 28, 1964.

(b) KEATH MARSH CASTELLOE--b. Sept. 15, 1966.

(c) THOMAS EDISON CASTELLOE JR.--b. July 19, 1969.

- (d) CLIFTON SANDERS CASTELLOE--b. Mar. 7, 1971.
- (2) BETSY CASTELLOE--b. Mar. 13, 1934; on Feb. 28, 1959, m. Dr. JOHN WILLIAM ORMAND JR. (b. Aug. 26, 1930), son of John William Ormand and Louise Thoman; live in Wilmington.
- (a) JOHN WILLIAM ORMAND III--b. June 24, 1962.
- (b) LISA ORMAND--b. Apr. 22, 1964.
- (c) RUE ANN ORMAND--b. Dec. 13, 1965.
- (d) KRISTIN ORMAND--b. Oct. 28, 1968.
- (e) MAGGI CASTELLOE ORMAND--b. Apr. 24, 1970.
- (3) MAGGIE LARUE CASTELLOE--b. Oct. 14, 1938; on Aug. 30, 1970, m. BARNARD LAW COLLIER (b. July 27, 1938, in Detroit, MI); divorced; lives in Marshall, VA.
- (a) KATE CASTELLOE COLLIER--b. Mar. 12, 1972.
- (b) ALEXANDER CASTELLOE COLLIER--b. Apr. 20, 1976.
- (4) PAUL EDGAR CASTELLOE--b. Mar. 28, 1944; on May 11, 1963, m. LINDA DAVENPORT (b. May 9, 1944), dau. of Ruland W. Davenport and Doris Nichols; divorced. Paul is a lawyer in Raleigh.
- (a) PAUL EDGAR CASTELLOE JR.--b. Mar. 10, 1965.
- (b) LINDA BLAIR CASTELLOE--b. May 28, 1970.
- f. MARY IDA MCLAWHORN--b. May 11, 1903; d. July 8, 1987, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Dec. 28, 1943, m. CEDRIC DONALD (DON) LANGSTON (b. Aug. 12, 1914; d. Nov. 4, 1988, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park), son of Charles Ernest Langston and Almeta Moye. See Don's family.
- g. HELEN EUNICE MCLAWHORN--b. Nov. 7, 1906; d. Dec. 14, 1987, bur. Ayden Cem.; on May 19, 1927, m. JAMES CLARENCE WHITEHURST (b. Mar. 3, 1903; d. July 23, 1959, bur. Ayden Cem.); lived on an Ayden route. She had 3 great-grand-children when she died.
- (1) JAMES CLARENCE (J. C.) WHITEHURST JR.--b. Dec. 16, 1928; on June 22,

1957, m. MARY ANN HUFFINS^E_A (b. Feb. 29, 1932); live in Greenville.

(a) ELIZABETH ANN WHITEHURST--b. June 14, 1958; on Mar. 21, 1987, m. JAMES WILLIAM TURNER, son of Jack Douglas Turner (deceased) and Helen of Shelby; live on sailboat, Wind Willing, at Beaufort.

(b) MARY HELEN WHITEHURST--b. July 22, 1961; on Nov. 26, 1988, m. CALVIN MCPHAIL KIRVEN, son of Clarence Kirven Jr.(deceased) and Ellen Ross of Wrightsville Beach and Clinton; live in Raleigh.

i. CALVIN MCPHAIL KIRVEN JR.--b. Aug. 24, 1991.

(c) JAMES CLARENCE WHITEHURST III--b. Jan. 25, 1964; on July 18, 1992, m. LUCI ANNE PENNINGTON, dau. of Edward Miles Pennington (deceased) and Agnes Turnage of Snow Hill; live in Greenville.

(2) HELEN JOYCE WHITEHURST--b. Mar. 5, 1931; on June 21, 1950, m. WILLIAM RICHARD (BILL) STROUD (b. Aug. 1, 1928), son of O. C. Stroud of Ayden; live in Raleigh.

(a) LU ANN STROUD--b. Jan. 1, 1954; on July 14, 1979, when they lived in Ayden; on July 7, 1979, m. JAMES ROWE HEFNER, son of Richard Carroll Hefner and Terreisa of Raleigh; live in Vacaville, CA.

i. ZACHARY JAMES HEFNER--b. Nov. 24, 1981.

ii. MATTHEW WILLIAM HEFNER--b. Aug. 9, 1984.

iii. ANDREW JACOB HEFNER--b. July 29, 1988.

(b) MARY MAC STROUD--b. Apr. 5, 1956, when they lived in Ayden; d. Sept. 19, 1988, bur. in Oakwood Cem., Raleigh; on Aug. 29, 1981, m. MARK ANDREW MCLEAN, son of Walter Copley McLean of Charlottesville, VA; lived in Richmond, VA.

i. MARGARET ANN MCLEAN--b. Nov. 27, 1986.

(c) WILLIAM RICHARD STROUD JR.--b. July 24, 1962, when they lived in Ayden; on June 20, 1992, m. DEBORAH ELIZABETH EDWARDS, dau. of Robert Oliver Edwards and Harriet Britt Allen (who are divorced);

live in Raleigh.

- (c) CHARLES MCLAWHORN (MAC) WHITEHURST--b. Nov. 19, 1934; m. 1st on June 11, 1961, BONNY LEE RUTLEDGE (b. Mar. 15, 1940); divorced; m. 2nd, on Dec. 10, 1971, REBECCA OLIVIA STRICKLAND, dau. of L. W. Strickland of Raleigh; lives on Ayden route.

i. CHARLES MCLAWHORN WHITEHURST JR.--b. June 20, 1965 (adopted); lives in Raleigh.

ii. EMILY RUTLEDGE WHITEHURST--b. Oct. 22, 1967 (adopted); m. 1st, on Jan 16, 1987, WILLIAM THOMAS LEWIS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ray Lewis of Winterville, in Casa de Camp, Dominican Republic; divorced; m. 2nd, on Feb. 3, 1989, Sgt. THOMAS ALTON JACKSON, son of Karen Megram of Puyallup, WA.

iii. CHRISTOPHER MARK WHITEHURST--b. Mar. 1, 1973.

- h. LECKIE BARNHILL MCLAWHORN--b. Mar. 3, 1909; d. Feb. 21, 1974, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Mar. 16, 1940, m. CHARLES VESTAL WILKERSON (b. Jan. 28, 1911), son of S. G. Wilkerson of Greenville.

(1) MATTIE CAROLE WILKERSON--b. Dec. 18, 1941; on Jan. 10, 1970, m. PAUL NATHAN SAMUELSON; live in Birmingham, AL.

(a) DAVID WILLIAM SAMUELSON--b. Jan. 8, 1972.

(2) CHARLES VESTAL WILKERSON JR.--b. Apr. 18, 1944; on Aug. 28, 1965, m. BARBARA CONDON ROBINSON (b. Aug. 8, 1945); live in Greenville.

(a) EMILY ELIZABETH WILKERSON--b. May 19, 1966; on June 14, 1986, m. TIMOTHY ALLEN FAULKNER, son of Lonnie Evan Faulkner and Sue Allen; live in Greenville.

i. ANDREW WILKERSON FAULKNER--b. Aug. 8, 1993.

(b) CHARLES VESTAL WILKERSON III--b. May 8, 1969.

- i. CHARLES MCLAWHORN JR.--b. Oct. 27, 1912; d. Nov. 7, 1924, bur. McGlohon-McLawnhorn Cem., moved to Greenwood Cem.



Charles Henry and Clarissa McGlohon Langston



Lucy Belle Langston



Henry Jerome Langston

Chapter 13

CLARISSA REBECCA MCGLOHON LANGSTON FAMILY

CLARISSA REBECCA MCGLOHON was born January 26, 1886; died with tuberculosis and cancer on June 25, 1916; and was buried in the McGlohon-McLawhorn Cemtery. On December 8, 1886, she married CHARLES HENRY LANGSTON (b. Jan. 14, 1865; d. Nov. 19, 1938, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), son of Thomas Henry Langston and Louisa King of Lenoir County. They lived in Lenoir County for awhile and then moved to her farm near Winterville. Charles married second Mary Alice Tripp (b. Aug. 2, 1866; d. Nov. 19, 1938, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), dau. of Bryant Tripp.

- a. HENRY JEROME LANGSTON--b. in Jan. 1888; deceased; m. EDNA TYNER (d. 1932, bur. Danville, VA). Henry was a physician and practiced in Danville, VA.
 - (1) CHARLES EDWARD LANGSTON--b. Apr. 4, 1915; d. Apr. 10, 1915, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.
 - (2) CARL EUGENE LANGSTON.
 - (a) PETER LANGSTON.
 - (3) CAROLYN LANGSTON--m. AL STEVENS; divorced.
 - (a) AL STEVENS JR.
 - (4) HENRY JEROME (PETE) LANGSTON JR.--b. June 8, 1925; n. m.; lives in Danville, VA.
- b. EVA ESTELLE LANGSTON--b. July 24, 1889; d. Mar. 12, 1954, bur. Winterville Cem.; on Dec. 22, 1913, m. GEORGE NICKOLAS (CUTLER) EDWARDS (b. Apr. 19, 1884; d. Dec. 26, 1960, bur. Winterville Cem.), of Nash Co.; lived on Route 1, Winterville.
 - (1) JAQUES FUTRELLE (JACK) EDWARDS--b. Nov. 19, 1914; d. Dec. 10, 1971, bur. Winterville Cem.; on July 12, 1945, m. MARY M. SUTTON (b. Aug. 12, 1921).



Eva Langston Edwards



George Nickolas Edwards



Almeta and Callie Moye



Charles Ernest Langston

- (a) MARY CATHERINE EDWARDS--b. Apr. 28, 1948; on June 24, 1966, m. JAMES LEON WOOLARD (b. Mar. 22, 1946); live in Greenville.
 - i. SHEILA ELLEN WOOLARD--b. Dec. 30, 1970.
 - ii. JAMES NEAL WOOLARD--b. Aug. 14, 1974.
 - (b) EVA JEANNETTE EDWARDS--b. Oct. 3, 1951; on Nov. 8, 1969, m. LOUIS JOSEPH PANICELLI (b. June 12, 1951), son of Louis Anthony Panicelli (b. in PA) and Julia Christine Hart.
 - i. JENNIFER SUZANNE PANICELLI--b. Mar. 26, 1973.
 - ii. JOSEPH COREY PANICELLI--b. Jan. 31, 1977.
 - (c) JOYCE ANN EDWARDS--b. Aug. 5, 1953; on June 1, 1975, m. LEO PAUL FRANKE (b. June 21, 1953, in Nuremberg, Germany), son of Robert H. Franke and Annie May of Winterville; live in Roxboro.
 - (d) JACK RICHARD EDWARDS--b. Sept. 19, 1955; on Aug. 2, 1975, m. JAN LYNN BALDWIN (b. Jan. 5, 1955, in Onslow Co.), dau. of Benjamin Harrison Baldwin Jr. (b. in PA) and Susan Virginia Webster (b. in PA) of Elizabeth City.
 - (e) JOHN KELLY EDWARDS--b. Oct. 29, 1957; m. 1st, on July 30, 1980, HARRIET BULLUCK MCGLOHON (b. Aug. 20, 1959), dau. of Frederick Grey McGlohon and Dora Mae Bulluck; divorced; m. 2nd, on Dec. 30, 1988, MAXINE STANCILL HOLIDAY, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Stancill of Greenville.
 - i. FREDERICK CASEY EDWARDS--b. Dec. 4, 1980.
 - ii. BRIAN KELLY EDWARDS--b. Apr. 17, 1990.
 - (f) NANCY RACHEL EDWARDS--b. Sept. 23, 1958; d. Sept. 24, 1978, bur. Winterville Cem.
- (2) JULIA REBECCA EDWARDS--b. Mar. 16, 1916; on Aug. 31, 1934, m. ELWOOD CLAYTON DAVENPORT (b. June 16, 1913), son of D. C. Davenport and Maggie.

- (a) RALPH CLAYTON DAVENPORT--b. Sept. 20, 1940; d. Oct. 9, 1991, bur. Winterville Cem.; on June 17, 1962, m. MARILYN ANN BUCK (b. Mar. 5, 1940) of Vanceboro. He had one grandson when he died.
 - i. RALPH CLAYTON (CLAY) DAVENPORT JR.--b. Oct. 16, 1967; on May 17, 1985, m. PATRICIA ANN LAMM (b. Feb. 5, 1967), dau. of Kenneth Lamm of Grimesland and Wanda Grainer of Thomasville,
 - aa. ERIC CLAYTON DAVENPORT--b. Mar. 3, 1990.
 - ii. DARREN ELWOOD DAVENPORT--b. Apr. 17, 1969.
 - iii. DOUGLAS DADE (DOUG) DAVENPORT--b. May 5, 1971.
 - iv. DANIEL EDWIN (DUKE) DAVENPORT--b. June 5, 1974.
- (b) JACK VERNON DAVENPORT--b. Sept. 23, 1942; m. 1st, on Jan. 17, 1965, JANE CARSON CRANDALL; divorced; m. 2nd, on May 25, 1967, REBECCA ANN DAVENPORT LANG (b. July 15, 1944), dau. of Walter Davenport and Juanita Mizzelle; divorced in Nov. 1975; m. 3rd, on Apr. 28, 1979, DELORES ANN MERCER SHANNON (b. Feb. 10, 1950, in Pamlico Co.), dau. of Bertia J. Mercer and Almeda L. Daniels of Greenville.
 - i. RONALD TODD DAVENPORT--b. Aug. 19, 1968.
- (3) GEORGE LANGSTON EDWARDS--b. Sept. 9, 1917; d. Mar. 14, 1936, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem., moved to Winterville Cem.; n. m.
- (4) MILDRED BELL EDWARDS--b. Oct. 24, 1920; on Nov. 30, 1940, m. NORMAN DIXON SAVAGE (b. Apr. 11, 1920), son of Heber Thomas Savage and Effie Henrietta Sermons; live in Raleigh.
 - (a) GEORGE THOMAS (TOMMY) SAVAGE--b. June 14, 1943; m. 1st, on Aug. 25, 1963, MABLELEEN FLAKE (b. Nov. 29, 1943), dau. of William C. (Tommy) Flake and Mable Kathleen Mills; m. 2nd, on Feb. 8, 1986, DAPHNE ANN ROACH, dau. of Mr. and Mrs. Winifred M. Roach of Route 1, Grifton; live on Winterville route.
 - i. LISA MICHELLE SAVAGE--b. June 5, 1967; on June 21, 1986, m.

RONALD GRAY WIGGINS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Earl Wiggins
of Chocowinity.

(b) CAROLYN LAVERNE SAVAGE--m. MERVIN WICKER; live on Route 2,
Edenton.

i. MICHAEL WICKER.

ii. SHAWN WICKER.

(c) WAYNE SAVAGE--m. 1st, on May 31, 1975, LINDA _____; divorced;
m. 2nd, SHERRY BROWN; live on Route 1, Aynor, SC.

(d) CHARLES NORMAN SAVAGE--on July 15, 1972, m. SHIRLEY JEAN LIGGINS,
dau. of Donald L. Liggins of Raleigh; live in Harrisburg.

(e) EDWARD LANGSTON SAVAGE--on Nov. 17, 1984, m. ANNE LINDSEY DRIVER,
dau. of Philithia N. Lindsey of Zebulon and the late Herman M.
Lindsey; live in Wendell.

(5) CLARISSA BROOKS EDWARDS--b. July 11, 1921, in Richmond, VA; on Jan.
14, 1948, m. WILLIAM RESPESS MAY (b. May 15, 1925; d. July 26, 1972,
bur. Winterville Cem.), son of William Samuel (Billy) May and Ella
Credle. Clarissa now lives in Marietta, GA.

(a) LINDA EILEEN MAY--b. Dec. 28, 1948, in Lenoir Co.; on Jan. 23,
1971, m. ROBERT ALEXANDER HAISLIP III (b. May 20, 1949), son of
Robert A. Haislip Jr. and Frances Ruth Nelson of Oak City;
divorced; resumed maiden name.

(b) WILLIAM SAMUEL (BILLY) MAY--b. Sept. 13, 1951, in Lenoir Co.; on
May 27, 1972, m. NANCY CAROLYN MCLAWHORN (b. Nov. 1, 1952), dau.
of William Mangum (Bill) McLawhorn and Clara Lou Dail.

i. KRISTEN DAIL MAY--b. Mar. 3, 1978.

(c) GEORGE NICHOLAS (NICK) MAY--b. Dec. 10, 1954, in Pitt Co.; live
in Chesapeake, VA.

(d) CLARISSA SUSAN MAY--b. Dec. 17, 1958, in Pitt Co.; on ,

m. CAREY WEBB

She kept her maiden name. They live in Warner Robbins, GA.; n. c.

(6) CHARLES VERNON EDWARDS--b. Mar. 28, 1925; d. May 20, 1956, bur.

Winterville Cem.; m. ELSIE BIGGS (b. Nov. 11, 1926; d. with cancer Nov. 14, 1987, in Elizabeth City), of Martin Co. Elsie had 5 grandchildren when she died.

(a) CHARLENE EDWARDS--b. Nov. 11, 1951, m. in June 1972 DAVID HAYES; live in Wilson.

(b) JULIA ANN EDWARDS--b. Jan. 13, 1955; m. 1st TERRY BROWER; divorced; m. 2nd SCOTT DE ROY in 1978; live in Elizabeth City.

i. KEVIN BROWER.

c. CHARLES ERNEST LANGSTON--b. Nov. 3, 1890; d. Apr. 10, 1967, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Sept. 29, 1913, m. ALMETA MOYE (b. Aug. 19, 1892; d. July 24, 1963, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park), dau. of Macon Glasgow Moye and Florence Nobles; lived on Winterville route.

(1) CEDRIC DONALD (DON) LANGSTON--b. Aug. 12, 1914; d. Nov. 4, 1988, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Dec. 28, 1943, m. MARY IDA MCLAWHORN (b. May 11, 1903; d. July 8, 1987, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park), dau. of Charles McLawhorn and Mary Magdalene (Maggie) Barnhill. Don was the president of the Bank of Winterville (now First Citizens Bank). They lived in Winterville and later between Winterville and Greenville on Highway 11.

(a) MARY VIRGINIA LANGSTON--b. Oct. 19, 1945; on Feb. 6, 1971, m. WILLIAM PROCTOR JONES (b. July 5, 1941, in Decatur, GA), son of James Carlyle Jones Sr. and Mildred Elizabeth Proctor of Twin City, GA; divorced; lives in Alexandria, VA.

i. HEATHER LANGSTON JONES--b. Apr. 1, 1972.

ii. MARY LISA JONES--b. Mar. 28, 1975.

- (2) CHARLES ERNEST (TED) LANGSTON JR.--b. Oct. 10, 1917; d. June 15, 1978, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; m. 1st, on July 4, 1937, MARJORIE BRYCE HAYNES; divorced; m. 2nd, on Sept. 5, 1964, ESTELLE BROWN LANG (b. Dec. 13, 1917; d. June 13, 1973, bur. Ayden Cem.), dau. of Grover C. Brown and Mary Newell.
- (a) CHARLES ERNEST LANGSTON III--b. Dec. 5, 1939; on Nov. 15, 1956, m. ANTOINETTE FERNANDEZ.
- i. MARIE LANGSTON.
- ii. LYNN LANGSTON.
- (b) RICHARD MARTIN LANGSTON--b. Aug. 29, 1948; on Nov. 26, 1969, m. BRENDA CHERRY (b. in 1949).
- (3) THOMAS HENRY LANGSTON--b. Aug. 8, 1919; d. July 27, 1976, bur. Pinewood Memorial Park; on Dec. 26, 1941, m. LUCY LOUISE WORTHINGTON (b. May 31, 1917), dau. of James (Jim) Blaine Worthington and Pearl Almeta Hester. Louise lives on Route 3, Winterville.
- (a) THOMAS HENRY (TOMMY) LANGSTON JR.--b. Aug. 4, 1947; m. 1st, on Sept. 4, 1970, BONNIE VAIL KINSAUL (b. Apr. 4, 1950), dau. of Ned Vail Kinsaul and Minnie Jaxie Carter of Greenville; divorced in Apr. 1976; m. 2nd, on Aug. 26, 1978, MARY EMMA KNAPP (b. Sept. 7, 1946, in Hamilton, OHio), dau. of Robert Henderson Knapp and Mary Ann Kleier of Greenville; live on Route 3, Winterville. Tommy is president of First Citizens Bank in Winterville.
- (b) JAMES ERNEST LANGSTON--b. Nov. 8, 1950; on July 22, 1972, m. BETTY FAYE RICE (b. June 22, 1951), dau. of Ronald Earl Rice Sr. and Ellie Eason of Greenville.
- i. JAMES ERNEST LANGSTON JR.--b. Dec. 31, 1977.
- ii. THOMAS BLAKE LANGSTON--b. Jan. 23, 1983.
- (4) JEAN ELIZABETH LANGSTON--b. Feb. 26, 1921; d. Aug. 8, 1981, bur.

Pinewood Memorial Park; m. FREDERICK AUGUSTA (FRED) WORTHINGTON JR. (b. Feb. 19, 1920; d. May 7, 1992, bur. Winterville Cem.), son of Fred A. Worthington and Celia Christine Smith; divorced.

(a) JEAN ELIZABETH WORTHINGTON--infant, 1943, bur. Winterville Cem.

(b) FREDERICK AUGUSTA WORTHINGTON III--b. Oct. 14, 1947; on Feb. 6, 1966, m. RICKIE IRENE JACKSON (b. Mar. 26, 1947), dau. of Rick Jackson and Irene Nobles of Winterville; live in Murfreesboro.

i. JONATHAN FREDERICK WORTHINGTON--b. Sept. 9, 1966.

ii. SONYA RAE WORTHINGTON--b. Mar. 9, 1971.

(c) JEAN KATHRYN (KATHY) WORTHINGTON--b. June 30, 1949; on Mar. 5, 1966, m. WILLIAM COREY (BILLY) STOKES (b. Jan. 27, 1948), adopted son of Rhodes Corey Stokes and Hazel Cherry of Ayden; live in Ayden.

i. MONICA LYNNE STOKES--b. Oct. 16, 1966.

ii. CAROLE COREYNE STOKES--b. Mar. 30, 1970.

iii. WILLIAM COREY STOKES II--b. Dec. 25, 1972.

(5) MACON MOYE LANGSTON--b. Feb. 12, 1924; d. Jan. 4, 1927, bur. Moye Cem.

(6) JAMES RICHARD (JIMMY) LANGSTON--b. Aug. 7, 1930; m. 1st, on Feb. 20, 1954, PATRICIA (PATSY) ROBERSON (b. Apr. 30, 1935), dau. of Vance Little Roberson and Myrtle Green of Robersonville; divorced; m. 2nd, SYLVIA BORDERS (b. Dec. 30, 1939), dau. of George Mack Borders and Della Hord; divorced; m. 3rd, on Sept. 27, 1979, OLLIE NICHOLSON BOWEN (b. Feb. 27, 1947), dau. of Berkley Saunders Nicholson and Marjorie Martin of Williamston; live on Route 1, Winterville.

(a) PATRICIA REBECCA LANGSTON--b. July 10, 1955; on Oct. 27, 1984, m. WALTER DAVID ROUSE, son of Harold F. Rouse of Wilson and Daphne Y. Keegan of Charlotte; live in Charlotte.

(b) RICHARD MOYE LANGSTON--b. May 30, 1981.

(7) MARGARET ROSE (PEGGY) LANGSTON--b. Sept. 22, 1932; m. WALLACE STEWART BAKER; lived in Washington, IL, until Wallace retired; now live at her father's homeplace on Route 1, Winterville.

(a) MARGARET (MEG) BAKER--m. TOM DEVORSHAK.

i. SARAH ELIZABETH DEVORSHAK.

ii. SHANDRA DEVORSHAK--twin.

iii. Son--twin of Shandra.

(b) WALLACE STEWART BAKER JR.

(c) CHARLES BAKER.

d. LUCY BELLE LANGSTON--b. Jan. 8, 1894; d. with tuberculosis Oct. 28, 1922, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on Dec. 21, 1916, m. SPURGEON CASHWELL CARROLL (b. Nov. 24, 1888; d. June 29, 1939, bur. Winterville Cem.).

(1) SPURGEON CASHWELL (S. C.) CARROLL JR.--b. June 13, 1921; d. July 29, 1943 (suicide), bur. Winterville Cem.; n. m.



Louis Lonza McLawhorn



Lula Forbes McLawhorn



Lizzie Grubbs McLawhorn



Lester and Rena McLawhorn



Rena McLawhorn Whitehurst
and Lula Mae



Samuel A. Whitehurst



Anna Forbes and Lester McLawhorn



Lester McLawhorn Family. Left to
right: Jean, Joyce, Lula Jane,
Ricks, J. L., and Frances Earle.

Chapter 14

LOUIS MCLAWHORN FAMILY

LOUIS LONZA MCLAWHORN was born April 28, 1872. He died of a stroke on Jan. 19, 1926, and was buried in the McGlohon-McLawhorn Cemetery. He married first, on February 21, 1893, LULA FORBES (b. Mar. 6, 1874; d. Sept. 9, 1906, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.), daughter of James and Irene Forbes. He married second, on May 28, 1908, LIZZIE GRUBBS (b. July 13, 1889; d. Aug. 9, 1963, bur. Winterville Cem.), daughter of R. B. Grubbs and Elizabeth A. He was a farmer and lived on the homeplace.

- a. MARTHA IRENE (RENA) MCLAWHORN--b. Jan. 1, 1895; d. Sept. 10, 1991, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.; on July 19, 1919, m. SAMUEL ARTHUR WHITEHURST (b. July 6, 1890; d. Apr. 8, 1981, bur. McGlohon-McLawhorn Cem.). Sam was a sheriff of Pitt County, and they lived in Greenville. She had 15 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren when she died.

- (1) LULA MAE WHITEHURST--b. Dec. 28, 1920; on Feb. 21, 1942, m. JAMIE LEON WILSON (b. Dec. 18, 1918), son of William Clinton Wilson and Bertha Hardee; live on Route 1, Winterville.

- (a) SYLVIA DIANE WILSON--b. Mar. 8, 1946; on Nov. 28, 1968, m. LENDSYER TYRONE STANCILL (b. Nov. 7, 1948), son of Herman Stancill and Maisie Jones; live on Route 1, Winterville.

- i. TRACY LYNN STANCILL--b. Oct. 23, 1972.
- ii. CHRISTY DIANE STANCILL--b. Sept. 20, 1976.
- iii. KELLY SCOTT STANCILL--b. Oct. 9, 1981.

- (b) SUZANNE WILSON--b. Sept. 8, 1948; on June 15, 1970, m. IRA MICHAEL GRAY (b. Oct. 11, 1946), son of Ira Matthew Gray and Eula Holton of Washington; live on Route 7, Washington.

- i. JAMIE ANN GRAY--b. Nov. 23, 1978.
 - (c) KATHY ANN WILSON--b. July 19, 1953.
 - (d) JAMIE LEON WILSON JR.--b. June 24, 1955; on Feb. 12, 1981, m. BETTYE HUFFMAN.
 - (e) WILLIAM ARTHUR WILSON--b. Mar. 6, 1957.
- (2) PATSY AELITHE WHITEHURST--b. Dec. 25, 1922; d. Nov. 19, 1976, bur. Oak Ridge, TN; on Mar. 16, 1948, m. SEYMOUR A. LEVIN (b. in Sept. 1922).
- (a) STEPHEN A. LEVIN--b. May 18, 1950; m. SHARON HARRIS (b. 1943); live in Clayton.
 - i. DAVID ELIJAH LEVIN--b. Aug. 14, 1981.
 - (b) NATALIE JANE LEVIN--b. Feb. 25, 1952; lives in New York City, NY.
 - (c) CHARLES LEVIN--b. Sept. 8, 1954; in June 1981 m. ANNETTE HOWARD; live in Nashville, TN.
 - (d) MARGARET LEVIN--b. Mar. 25, 1956.
- (3) ARTHUR LLOYD WHITEHURST--b. Apr. 29, 1925; on June 2, 1951, m. BETTY BROKAW (b. Nov. 24, 1928). He is a chiropractor and lives in Plymouth.
- (a) MARSHA LYNN WHITEHURST--b. Dec. 5, 1952; lives at Virginia Beach, VA; n. m.
 - (b) MARIE ANNETTE WHITEHURST--b. May 9, 1955; on Dec. 31, 1988, m. Dr. JEROME BATCHELOR GARDNER of Raleigh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvard Batchelor Gardner of Rocky Mount.
- (4) MARTHA WOOLARD WHITEHURST--b. Dec. 10, 1927; on Dec. 27, 1947, m. HAROLD LLOYD MILLS (b. Oct. 9, 1924), son of William Allen Mills and Lala Mills; live in Greenville.
- (a) HAROLD LLOYD MILLS JR.--b. Nov. 8, 1951; m. 1st, on Aug. 31, 1974, REBECCA SUE MOHLE (b. Jan. 31, 1953, in Wilmington, DE), dau. of Charles Henry Mohle and Charlotte Jones of Ayden; divorced; n. c.; m. 2nd, on Apr. 30, 1976, DEBORAH AMES VANN (b. July 30, 1949),

- dau. of George Norwood Vann Sr. and Ruth; live in Lynchburg, VA.
- i. DAVID A. MILLS--b. Aug. 14, 1980.
- ii. MARY HANNAH MILLS--b. Nov. 26, 1985; adopted on Jan. 6, 1986.

(b) CAROLYN LEA MILLS--b. Aug. 16, 1954; on Feb. 22, 1986, m. FRANK DAVIS, son of Avery Davis and Joyce of Goldsboro;

(c) SAMUEL (SAMMY) ALLEN MILLS--b. Apr. 28, 1957; on Oct. 23, 1982, m. CHERYL ANN ELWARNER COLUMBUS (b. Feb. 6, 1955), dau. of Charles C. Elwarner and Margaret O. Ferrari of Carnegie, PA; live in Greenville.

- i. JACOB MILLS--b. Nov. 25, 1985.
 - ii. COURTNEY MARIE MILLS--b. June 25, 1989.
 - iii. JONATHAN MILLS--b. May 21, 1991.
- (5) CAROLYN ELIZABETH WHITEHURST--b. Apr. 7, 1930; on Apr. 18, 1956, m. BILLY F. TUCKER (b. Dec. 21, 1923), son of Cottie Tucker of Jackson, TX; live in Lindale, TX.

(a) DANNY TUCKER--b. Nov. 12, 1958.

b. ALFRED LESTER MCLAWHORN--b. May 3, 1897; d. July 30, 1982, bur. Winterville Cem.; on Jan. 12, 1919, m. ANNA EARLE FORBES (b. Mar. 1, 1902; d. Oct. 7, 1982, bur. Winterville Cem.), dau. of Joe Forbes and Jane Cobb.

- (1) FRANCES EARLE MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 21, 1919; m. 1st, on Dec. 1, 1939, HERMAN CLAYTON (BILL) TUCKER (b. Aug. 17, 1910; d. May 22, 1971, bur. Winterville Cem.), son of Herman David Tucker and Lula Henrietta Worthington; m. 2nd, on Mar. 5, 1977, RAY BROOKS SUMRELL (b. Sept. 18, 1924; d. Aug. 2, 1991, bur. Ayden, Cem.), son of Joe Sumrell and Addie Dail. In 1991, she had 10 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren; lives at Ayden.

(a) WADE TUCKER--twin stepson; lives in Wilmington.

(b) WAYNE TUCKER--twin stepson; deceased.

(c) DAVID LESTER TUCKER--b. May 15, 1941; on Aug. 5, 1964, m.

ELIZABETH _____ (b. Aug. 17, 1943); live at Lenoir.

i. JEASON TUCKER--b. Sept. 11, 1968.

- (d) MARJORIE ELIZABETH TUCKER--b. June 27, 1944; on June 23, 1967, m. TERRY JOE SMITH (b. May 10, 1946); live in Tampa, FL.
- (e) JOSEPH CLAYTON TUCKER--b. Oct. 21, 1950; on July 24, 1977, m. GILDA ELIZABETH VOLKMAN, dau. of Herbert William Volkman of Cherry Hill, NJ, formerly of Wilson; live in Wilson.
- (2) JOSEPH LOUIS (J. L.) MCLAWHORN--b. July 13, 1921; d. July 7, 1988, bur. Maryland Veterans Cem. at Cheltenham, MD; in Jan. 1951, m. ANNA THEADORA FRIEDA GESHWILL of Bruhl, Germany.
- (a) EVA MARIA MCLAWHORN--b. Jan. 10, 1952; m. an ASHE; live at Laurel, MD.
- i. Child.
- (3) DOROTHY RICKS MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 23, 1922; on Aug. 4, 1939, m. WALTER ASHLEY DAIL (b. Nov. 21, 1910), son of W. Alonza Dail and Hettie Barber; live in Winterville.
- (a) WALTER ASHLEY DAIL JR.--b. Mar. 16, 1941; m. 1st, on Feb. 1, 1964, LEILA ANN MELTON of Selma, AL; divorced; n. c.; m. 2nd, on Nov. 19, 1967, JUDITH ANN ROSE (b. Sept. 11, 1944), dau. of Charles Ervin Rose and Rosa Pearl Gay of Grifton; live in Winterville.
- i. KAREN LYNN DAIL--b. Nov. 7, 1969; on June 5, 1993, m. DAVID EDWARD ROUSE, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rouse.
- ii. KATHERINE ANN DAIL--b. July 19, 1971.
- (b) Twin infants--b. and d. Dec. 25, 1942, bur. Winterville Cem.
- (c) BETTIE RICKS DAIL--b. June 5, 1944; on Oct. 4, 1969, m. KENNETH EARL WADE (b. Jan. 1946), son of Roy H. Wade and Bessie Gray; live in Ayden.
- i. KRISTIE RICKS WADE--b. in 1970.
- ii. KEVIN EARL WADE--b. Jan. 14, 1973.

- (d) EDWARD LOUIS DAIL--b. Mar. 26, 1948; on Aug. 12, 1978, m. LAURA LOUISE CALHOUN (b. Sept. 15, 1955), dau. of John C. Calhoun of Bethesda, MD.
- i. HEATHER CALHOUN DAIL--b. Oct. 27, 1981.
 - ii. JONATHAN ASHLEY DAIL--b. Oct. 7, 1983.
 - iii. AMY COCHRAN DAIL--b. Nov. 15, 1986.
- (e) ANNA RUTH DAIL--b. Oct. 9, 1951; on Aug. 11, 1979, m. STEVE M. BRIDGMAN, son of James Carlton Bridgman and Irene Alligood of Washington.
- (4) LULA JANE MCLAWHORN--b. Aug. 15, 1924; on Oct. 27, 1945, m. CHARLES D. TEW (b. Nov. 23, 1924), son of Rufus Allen Tew (b. Dec. 5, 1896; d. Dec. 5, 1972, bur. Rowan Baptist Church Cem., Clinton) and Eva Jane Fortner (b. Sept. 30, 1900; d. July 31, 1984, bur. Rowan Baptist Church Cem.; m. in 1919); live in Wilmington.
- (a) BARBARA ANNE TEW--b. May 22, 1946; on Mar. 19, 1966, m. NEWELL WEST DUNN.
 - i. NATALIE DUNN--b. July 12, 1967.
 - (b) SANDRA JANE TEW--b. Mar. 22, 1948; on Dec. 9, 1967, m. MICHAEL WEST GUPTON.
 - (c) VEDA CAROL TEW--b. Sept. 4, 1949; on Oct. 9, 1968, m. SHELTON CAULDER JR.
- (5) HELEN JOYCE MCLAWHORN--b. Aug. 3, 1926; m. 1st JAMES LEE HUMBLE (b. in 1921; deceased, bur. Ayden Cem.); divorced; m. 2nd, on Dec. 29, 1956, CHARLES DONALD BOWDEN.
- (a) JAMES LEE (JIMMY) HUMBLE JR.--b. Sept. 6, 1943; m. ROSEMARY FISHER.
 - (b) PEGGY JOYCE HUMBLE--b. Nov. 14, 1947; m. ROBERT LOUIS SOUTHERLAND.

i. ROBERT LOUIS SOUTHERLAND JR.

(c) CHARLES DONALD BOWDEN JR.--b. May 8, 1959.

(6) CLARA JEAN MCLAWHORN--b. Oct. 9, 1929; on Aug. 14, 1954, m. THOMAS CRAFT MEYLAND (b. Nov. 25, 1916; d. Oct. 19, 1986), son of Mrs. Elizabeth (Bessie) Meyland; live in Stedman.

(a) WILLIAM ALFRED MEYLAND--b. June 22, 1955; lives in Charleston, SC.



Norma McGlohon Forbes



Alfred Forbes Sr.



Alfred, Elizabeth, Alfred Jr.,
and Norma McGlohon Forbes



Mildred W. and Dixie McGlohon Sr.
with granddaughter, Jane

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Appendix A

GEORGE McLARON DEED

State of N. Carolina

Whereas there Issued from the court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions for the County of Pitt (at November Term 1831. Returnable to February Term 1832.) a writ of Fieri facias commanding the sheriff of Pitt County that of the Lands and Tenaments of William English & Eliza his wife, Isaac Turner & Fanny his wife, Nancy McLaron, Luke McLaron, Thomas McLaron & other Heirs of George McLaron which discended to them by the death of the said George McLaron Decd. you cause to be made the Sum of Three Hundred Twenty two Dollars 26/100 with Interest from 4th November 1831, which Moses Herrington Adm. of George McLaron lately in our Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions held for the county of Pitt at the Court House in Greenville recovered against them for Debt as also the sum of Seven Dollars 50/100 for cost and charges in Said Suit expended, and I James S. Clark Sheriff of the County aforesaid, by, virtue of my office & the aforesaid writ did Seize and take in his hands and custody a certain Piece or parcel of Land Situate lying and being in the Said County of Pitt Bounded as follows. Beginning on the west side of Swift Creek near the edge at a Sweet Gum in Benja Stocks line & Moses Herrington corner. thence running East through the creek to a Red oak thence south with the Said Moses Herrington line to a water oak in the Edge of the swamp then east to a pine in a Pond then with Thomas McLaron line & Moses Herringtons to a stake in the field near the House then with Thomas McLaron line to a stake on Luke McLaron line then to the Cedar Swamp then with the run of the Swamp to the mouth to a maple Joseph Ringgold corner then with his line through the creek then down the creek to the Beginning containing Two Hundred & eighty acres more or less. and the said James S. Clark Sheriff as aforesaid after due Advertisement according to Law did cause the said piece or parcel of Land to be put up at public Sale to the Highest bidder on the first Monday in February 1832 at which time and Place Moses Herrington became the last & Highest bidder at the Sum of Three Hundred Dollars for the Said land (with the exception of one third of the aforesaid Land during the life time of Mary McLaron widow of the said George McLaron decd. as her Dower) with the appertainances thereunto belonging. This Indenture witnesseth that the said James S. Clark Sheriff as aforesaid for and in consideration of the Sum of Three Hundred Dollars to him in hand paid by the said Moses Herrington his Heirs Executors Admrs. or assigns for ever all the aforesaid Lands, tenements & appertainances as with all right, title claim or demand of or unto the aforesaid piece or parcel of Land to have and to hold to him the said Moses Herrington his heirs & assigns for ever in as full and perfect a manner as I the said Clark am authorised by my office as Sheriff--

I witness where of I Jas. S. Clark Sheriff as aforesaid have hereunto set my hand & seal this 8th day of February 1832.

Attest

M. Allbritton
John Joiner

ackd Jas. S. Clark Sheriff (seal)

(Note: This deed from Jas. S. Clark, sheriff, to Moses Herrington, Esq., was recorded in the registry office of Pitt County, Book FF, page 318 by William Clark, register. This book was burned in the courthouse fire of 1858.)

Appendix B

WILL OF LEWIS MCGLOHORN

North Carolina,
Pitt County

I, Lewis McGlohorn of the County of Pitt in the State of North Carolina knowing the uncertainty of my mortal existence and the certainty of death, and being of sound mind and memory do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in form and manner following,

Item 1st. I give and devise to my youngest son Lewis L. McGlohorn all that tract or parcel of land known as the Garriis land, containing 65 acres more or less and it is my will that he shall pay to my other children and to my Grandson, Frederick Gerome McGlohorn the sum of five hundred dollars to be equally divided between them.

Item 2nd. I also give to my son Lewis L. McGlohorn my Gin and fixtures and boiler including Grist Mill and Gardner Steam Engine to him and his heirs in fee simple.

Item 3rd. It is my will and desire that my Executor hereinafter named shall sell my other lands known as the William and George Moye land, and the proceeds to be equally divided between all my children and my Grandson, Frederick Gerome McGlohorn, to them in fee simple.

Item 4th. It is my will and desire that my horses, mules, sheep, farming utensils, carts, wagons, buggies and my part of the crops that I may have at my death be sold by my executor and the proceeds be equally divided between all my children and my Grandson, Frederick Gerome McGlohorn.

Item 5. I give to my son Lewis L. McGlohorn two thirds of my hogs and all household and kitchen furniture to him and his heirs forever.

Item 6. I give and devise to my Grandson, Frederick Gerome McGlohorn one third of my hogs and two feather beds, two bedsteads and necessary fixtures for the same to him and his heirs in fee simple.

Item 7. It is my will and desire that my executor collect all debts owing by me together with burial expenses if there should be a surplus, that said surplus be equally divided between all my children and my Grandson, F. G. McGlohorn my last Will and Testament according to the true intent and meaning of the same and every part and clause thereof, hereby revoking and declaring utterly void all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made.

In Witness whereof I the said Lewis McGlohorn do hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of October A. D. 1901.

his
Lewis (x) McGlohorn (Seal)
mark

Signed, sealed and delivered
in presence of

J. W. Smith
J. J. May

(Probate recorded and filed Oct. 29, 1901.)

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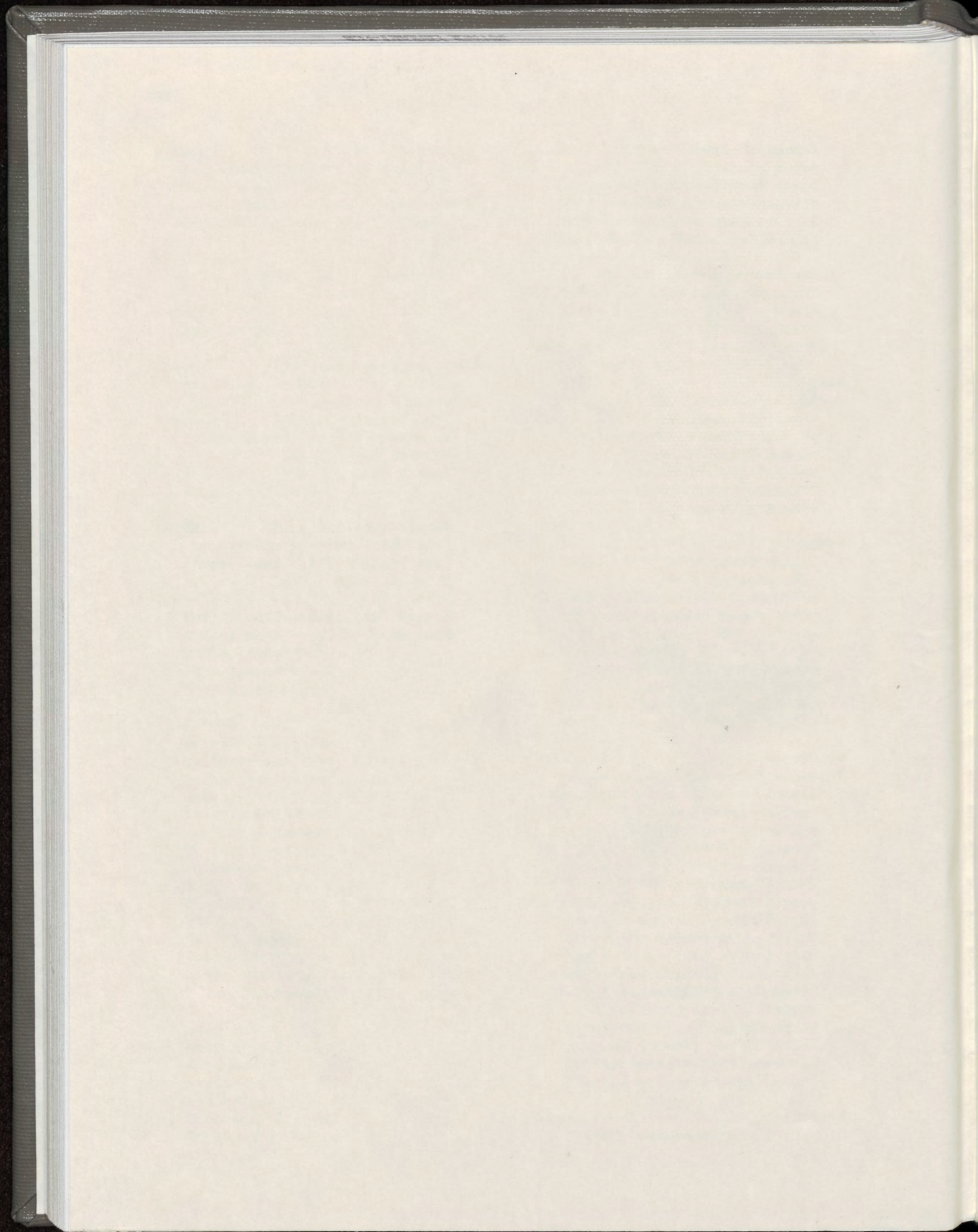
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