

until his defeat, when they were stationed on the railroad in guard and patrol duty until March, when the command was ordered to proceed to connect with the army in Virginia, and they were on their route thither at Jonesboro when Lee surrendered. As soon as this intelligence reached them, orders were issued for a return and they went to Nashville, where they were ordered to New Orleans. In June they started for Texas, landing at Indianola, and went thence to Green Lake, where the men were seriously poisoned by the water. They next made a long and painful march to San Antonio, where they were mustered out Nov. 24th and returned to Madison for final discharge.

Mr. Gatz returned to Little Prairie and in 1874 removed to Palmyra, where he has since been a resident. In 1869 he was married to Mary, daughter of John Chuckenberg, a native of Germany and a resident of East Troy. Her parents are farmers and are living at Eagle. Mr. and Mrs. Gatz are the parents of seven children, named Emma, Frank, Bertha, Mary, John, Louisa and Edward.



JOHN T. DAVISON, Platteville, Wis., Deputy Sheriff of Grant county, member of G. A. R. Post No. 66, was born at La Fayette, Tippecanoe Co., Ind., June 3, 1830. His father, Jacob Davison, was born in Yorkshire, England, and came to America in youth. He settled in Chillicothe, Ohio, where he married Susan Oldes, a native of Germany, who came to America in childhood with her parents. The senior Davison lived some years in the Buckeye State, removed to Indiana and himself and wife died at La Fayette. Only two of 13 children reared by them are living, the sister of Mr. Davison being Mrs. Lucinda Gregory of Platteville. His only brother was a

captain in the 118th Illinois Infantry and returned on sick leave to his home, dying 24 hours after arrival. Mr. Davison was in boyhood when his parents died, he being next to the youngest child in order of birth. As was the custom in those days, he was bound to a Mr. Cleaver and was, soon after, placed with a Mr. Perkins, with whom he remained several years. He was then bound to a man named Matthews, with whom he lived four years after which he went to work as a mason and cooper, alternating these employments in winter and summer. Feb. 24, 1849, he first made acquaintance with Platteville, where he operated at his trades. He is also a miner and prospector, having employed laborers in mining for 35 years.

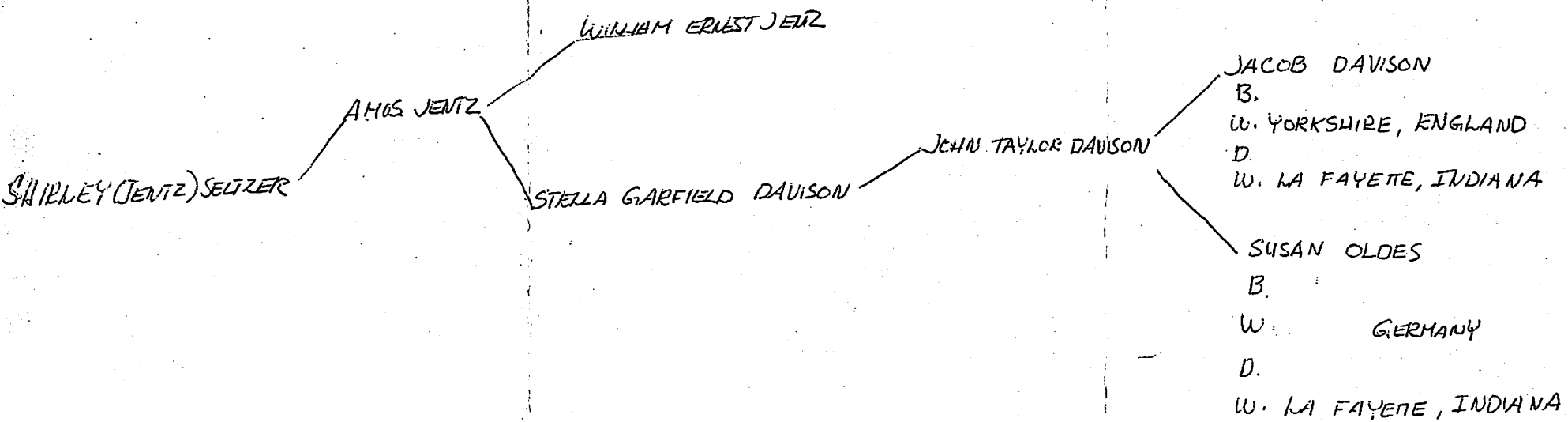
In August, 1864, he enlisted in company B, 43d Wisconsin Infantry, being made Sergeant of his company and was mustered at Milwaukee. The regiment was sent South and assigned to the 4th Army Corps, expecting to make the march to the sea with Sherman, but the plan was frustrated by Hood, Johnsonville, Tenn., the base of supplies for Union troops, being menaced by the rebel chief. The regiment was detailed for the defense, and was subjected to continuous shelling by the rebels for 48 hours. Hood withdrew (after his troops had destroyed the Union gunboats and stores at Johnsonville) to Nashville, whither the 43d Wisconsin followed about the last of November, 1864. The march was an exceptionally hard one, being through almost unbroken wilderness. About the first of January, the regiment went to Dechard, Tenn., and several companies, including Company B, engaged in guarding railroads, in patrol duty, protecting citizens and fighting guerrillas. In June they returned to Nashville to be discharged and Mr. Davison received his release from military obligations at Milwaukee in July, 1865. He re-

turned to Platteville, in feeble health, chronic diarrhea having set in about the time of his discharge. (He was the only man of his regiment who was able to do duty every day of his period of service.) He has never wholly recovered from the disease, and, in 1887, had the misfortune to lose his left eye while at work on the city hall in Platteville, and at the same time he broke his left arm. He has acted as Constable 17 years and is serving the fifth year as Deputy Sheriff. He is still engaged in mining for lead, which he has found a profitable investment.

He was married at Platteville, June 29, 1851, to Emeline, daughter of John and Elizabeth (McFall) Angestine. Her parents were natives of Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Davison have had 12 children, two of whom died in infancy. The survivors are named Susan, David, Jacob, William, Edith, John, Cassie, Fannie, Vye and Stella. Mr. Davison is a member of the A. O. U. W., and is one of the highly respected citizens of Platteville; he is still active and in full vigor of life, showing no signs of encroaching age.



HARLES W. GULLIFORD, grocer at Reedsburg, Wis., a member of G. A. R. Post No. 13, was born June 22, 1842, in Girard, Erie Co., Pennsylvania, whence his parents, Daniel and Melissa (Johnson) Gulliford, removed to Sauk Co., Wis., locating on Sauk Prairie, seven miles south of Baraboo, in 1846, two years before Wisconsin was a State and at a time when the reign of first things prevailed. Eight years later the family removed to Westfield in the same county, where the father still lives on a farm, aged more than 78 years; the mother died there Feb. 28, 1877, aged a few days more than 61 years. Of their nine children five are deceased; the survivors,



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F.

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2. Josephine BURGER, 1861-1949

3. William L. Burger, 20 Mar 1864, California, Mo., - 26 June 1898; buried Granby, Mo. (Newton Mo.)

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BROWN - SCOTT

- I. MARY BROWN, Born ? Died ? Kansas, married William J. SCOTT, (12 Sept 1835-21 Feb 1896)
1. Dora SCOTT married Boone KELLY
 - * 2. Lucinda Jane SCOTT (12 Aug 1862, Council Bluffs, Iowa- 1953, where ?), married Robert Perry DUNCAN (see DUNCAN)
 3. Willie SCOTT
 4. Lee SCOTT

DUNCAN - CHITWOOD

- I. Andrew J. DUNCAN, 22 Sept 1815, ? Lynchburg, Moore Co., Tenn., to Barry Co., Mo. before 1860; died 14 Sept 1867, Barry Co., Mo. Buried Chitwood Cemetery, Barry Co., Mo. Married Dicey CHITWOOD, born 4 Jan 1820, daughter of Joel CHITWOOD who was born 27 Jan 1789 in Virginia, died 12 Nov 1869, Barry Co., Mo. Mother unknown; death date unknown; but a son of Joel, born Virginia 1809 married Sarah Short, Born 1809, Tenn. They lived in Barry Co., Mo. in 1850 and had George W., age 22 Tenn; John J., 11, Tenn; Margaret 6, Mo.; and Wilburn 4, Mo.) Andrew and Dicey had:
1. Elisabeth DUNCAN, 27 March 1841
 2. William Washington DUNCAN 6 March 1843
 3. Susan Francis DUNCAN 23 February 1845-28 February 1845
 4. George Charles DUNCAN 15 November 1846 - 8 March 1930
 5. John M. DUNCAN 28 June 1852
 6. Mary Mahala DUNCAN 13 Jan 1854 - 1860
 7. Nancy Margaret DUNCAN 5 Feb 1855
 8. Joel B. Duncan 21 November 1856 - 1 October 1858
 9. James A. DUNCAN 6 July 1860 - May 1933 - twins
 10. Dicey E. DUNCAN 6 July 1860 - January 1920
 - * 11. Robert Perry DUNCAN 6 June 1862 - 22 February 1935, married 17 November 1885 to Lucinda Jane SCOTT (see SCOTT above). B & D Barry Co., Mo. Buried Prosperity Baptist Church Cemetery, Rocky Comfort, Mo.
 - A. Claude Andrew DUNCAN, 3 Jan 1888, Barry Co., Mo. - 1967. Married Mabel Maurney
 - B. Pearl DUNCAN 7 Jan 1891, Barry Co., Mo. - 1927; married Vernie KELLEY
 - C. Mary DUNCAN, 20 July 1894, Barry Co., Mo. - 15 Dec 1896, age 2 1/2
 - D. Robert "Emerson" DUNCAN, 2 February 1897, Barry Co., Mo. - 1969. Married Marie Rohm.
 - E. Effie DUNCAN, 28 June 1899, Barry Co., Mo.; married Earl Clifton (desc). She lives Rocky Comfort, Mo.
 - F. William Blandford DUNCAN, 28 August 1902, Barry Co., Mo.; Married Jean ?
 - * G. Earl Scott DUNCAN, 26 October 1906, Barry Co., Mo.; married Irene Fay DAVIDSON, daughter John Marshall DAVIDSON & AVA MARTHA BURGER (see below)
 - * a. Donna Sue DUNCAN, 13 March 1935, RFD 2, Exeter, Mo. (Barry Co.); married Robert Osal CAPPS 9 August 1958 at Wheaton, Mo. First Baptist Church, (son of Osal Bennett and Veda Juanita (Magee) CAPPS. Donna & Bob live 712 N. 2nd St., Lamesa, Texas, 79331.

Karen Sue CAPPS, 21 April 1959
Bennett Seth CAPPS, 10 December 1960 - twins
Kenneth Scott CAPPS, 10 December 1960
 - b. Perry DUNCAN married Nancy _____

One son, Scott DUNCAN
 - c. George DUNCAN unmarried, lives Columbia, Mo.

(Notes: CAPPS LINE available back to 1500 in England)

Date: Veda J. White (Wass) Capps (Mrs. Deal Bennett Capps) "White"
 Name of person submitting chart
 501 Bonaville Road
 Street address
 Jefferson City, Mo. 65101
 City State Zip

2 EARL SCOTT DUNCAN

Born 25 October 1906
 Where Barry Co., Mo.
 When married 27 May 1933
 Died
 Where
 Buried

1 JONNA SHIE DUNCAN

Born 13 March 1935
 Where RFD, Exeter, Barry Co., Mo.
 When married 9 August 1958
 Died

ROBERT OSAL "BOB" CAPPS

Name of husband/wife
 Children:

1. Karen Sue Capps
 B 21 April 1959
 Houston, Texas
- 2A Bennett Seth Cappe
 10 December 1960
 Big Spring, Texas
- 2B Kenneth Scott Capps
 10 December 1960
 Big Spring, Texas

IRENE FAY DAVIDSON

Born 12 January 1909
 Where Barry Co., Mo.
 Died
 Where
 Buried

(Now all live Lamesa, Texas 79331)

ROBERT PERRY DUNCAN

Born 6 June 1862
 Where Barry Co., Mo.
 When married 17 Nov 1883
 Died 22 February 1935
 Where Barry Co., Mo.
 Buried Prosperity Bap. Ch. Cem., Rocky Comfort, Mo.

5 LUCINDA JANE SCOTT

Born 12 Aug 1862
 Where Council Bluffs, Ia.
 Died 1953
 Where Rocky Comfort
 Buried Prosperity Bap. Ch. Cemetery, Rocky Comfort, Mo.

6 JOHN MARSHALL DAVIDSON

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7 AVA MARTHA BURGER

Born 1 May 1873
 Where
 Died 21 June 1960
 Where Hosp., Monett, Mo.
 Buried Prosperity Bap. Cem. Rocky Comfort, Mo.

PEDIGREE CHART

8 ANDREW J. WILSON	Born 22 Sept 1915 Where Tiptonburg, Tenn. When married Died 11 Sept 1967 Buried Barry Co. Chitwood	17	Born Married Died
9 DICKY CHITWOOD	Born 4 Jan 1820 Where Died Buried	18	Born Died
10 WILLIAM J. SCOTT	Born 12 Sept 1835 Where When married Died 21 February 1896 Buried	19	Born Married Died
11 MARY BROWN	Born Died ? Kansas Buried	20	Born Died
12 CYRUS M. DAVIDSON	Born 25 Aug 1837 Where ? Ky. When married Died 18 December 1906 Buried	21	Born Married Died
13 (2) TABITHA (HOWELL) MCGLATHLIN	Born 21 Aug 1834 Where ? Tennessee Died 12 December 1925 Buried Rocky Comfort, Mo.	22	Born Married Died
14 JACOB M. BURGER	Born Where When married Died Buried	23	Born Died
15 ROSEBUD GUMI HILL	Born 1836 Where ? Georgia Died 1928 Buried	24	Born Died
16 JOEL CHITWOOD	Born 27 January 1789 Died 12 Nov	25	Born Died
17		26	Born Died
18		27	Born Died
19		28	Born Died
20		29	Born Died
21		30	Born Died
22		31	Born Died

DAVISSON
FAM

SANTA MARIA VALLEY PIONEERS - DAVISSON

Charles Obediah DAVISSON

b. MO Feb 1850 (cen)

1880 cen: Yolo co Cottonwood tp

d. Woodland, Yolo co 28 Dec 1912 @63/10/13; SM cem

1900cen: Santa Maria drayman

obit Jan 4 1913; Card of Thanks

4 births 4 living

1900. Davisson & Bunce's big team were frightened by a big gate slamming to early Friday morning while the wagon was being unloaded at the rear of Fleisher's store, and they started out on a little run. Charlie Bunce stopped them before any damage occurred, further than tearing out a section of plank fence back of Fleisher's. —Apr 14

1901. ad. Davisson & Bunce Pioneer Truck and Transfer Line Furniture & Piano Moving Dealers in ICE —Mar 30

Davisson & Bunce will put on a truck and transfer line for freight between Guadalupe and Santa Maria in the near future. Watch for card of hauling days. —Apr 6

Note: Charles Afred Bunce 1870-1941; see *Quarterly* 28:2 Summer 1996

1909Dir: Davisson Mrs A rSo Lincoln st; James r same; Earl F stu r same

Nicholson Harry, rancher; Mrs H

1912. W E(sic) Davisson, formerly in the transfer business in this city, is seriously ill at a sanitarium in Woodland, owing to stroke of paralysis and not expected to live. His daughter, Mrs Harry Nicholson and husband are attending him leaving here Wednesday night. —Dec 28

1913. Death Claims C A(sic) Davisson, former Santa Maria Business Man...died Woodland Dec 18@63; daughter Mrs Harry Nicholson; sons Earl and Louis in Los Angeles; son James, deceased. —Jan 4

m. c1878;

Almeda Marmora McHENRY

b. Annally tp Sonoma co Dec 1860

d. Oakland 24 Mar 1936 @75/2/23; SM cem

obit Tue Apr 7 p.4; to Oakland 1920; 2 ch 2gch

F. James McHenry c1829-

M. Sarah 0 c1831-c1875

See ONT for related McHenrys

1898. Mrs Davisson went to the Tepesquet Thursday to visit with her sister Mrs P 0 Tietzen. —June 18

Note: Margaret McHenry m. 1883 Paul 0 Tietzen; see M/H; to Berkeley 1909

1900. Mrs C O Davisson, Mrs P 0 Tietzen and James Davisson returned from Hueneme. —Sep

1919. Miss Letha Davisson of San Luis Obispo is visiting her aunt Mrs Alia Davisson, E Church. —Dec 4

Mrs Alia Davisson to go to Los Angeles after Christmas with son Lewis and wife. Dr Earl Davisson of Oakland, to arrive Dec 24 to spend Christmas holidays with his mother Mrs Alia Davisson and sister Mrs Harry Nicholson. —Dec 20

ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

SMVGS PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

I am sitting here at the computer attempting to put some thoughts together and sort of introduce some of you "new folk" to me. This is not my first time around as president of the organization that is so near and dear to the hearts of us "old timers".

I joined back in 1977 or thereabouts. I was secretary first. After all, if you join an organization dedicated to a particular interest of yours, you need to give it your support and dedication. Way back then everything was pen and typewriters and phone calls (no computers or e-mail). We worked hard together; worked well with the wonderful genealogist at the Santa Maria Public Library; and had our library in the First United Methodist Church in downtown Santa Maria.

Between then and now we have had the library in a smoked filled room at Airport Auto - climbed up steps to that room on steps that no city/county inspector ever signed over as O.K. Small wonder we didn't break our necks or die from the fumes coming from the paint shop. Then we packed the books up and stored them. Many of you were with us then, and some of you have never seen the library that is all OURS. That will change - we had some insurance issues to overcome before we could move back into First United Methodist Church again.

What does all of this have to do with all of you and me? This is our Society!! Only we can make it all come together so it works. Nancy has carried the load of President, Vice President and did most of the programs. We appreciate her hard work but I plan on only doing the President's job. I need the help of each and every one of you. And we will be helping each other. In earlier years we operated on the "Buddy system" which means that every new member will be assigned to an old timer who will introduce you to Genealogy in Santa Maria and help get the new member feeling comfortable on their own. Probably the first couple of meetings will be introducing all of us to our "new" library digs.

I, and the rest of the board members look forward to serving you and encouraging each of you in your quest for family history and records. Please, in return we ask that you say "YES" when asked to take a job.

We will have many opportunities to get acquainted. Let's get started - NOW.

Best wishes and good researching!!! *Bonnie Hawkins*

NEW BOOKS IN SMVGS LIBRARY

Confederate Pension Applications, 1881-1865 Oklahoma, 929.3OK 2 ; donated by member Paul Morris

*ABSTRACTS OF THE SMVGS LIBRARY
1981-1985*

SANTA MARIA VALLEY PIONEERS - DAVISSON

1. James Melville DAVISSON b. Solano co 10 April 1879 (obit) 1878(cen)
 d. Santa Maria 9 July 1909 @30/2/29; SM cem
 obit July 17 p. 1: SMVHS 1900; worked for San Francisco
 EXAMINER; to SM 1897; SMUHS
2. Margie M DAVISSON b. (Yolo co) 31 Aug 1881
 d. Long Beach 16 Sep 1970 @89/1/15; SM cem
 obit Thu Sep 17; 20y LB; 2gch 5ggch
 m. at home of bride's mother Mrs H Davidson(sic) 23 Jan 1904 by Rev Wm Clague. —T
- Harry Roland NICHOLSON b. IA 1877; d. Long Beach 1969
 F: Ellis Harry Nicholson 1856-1937
 M: Agnes Elizabeth Hall 1858-1912
 See *Quarterly* 27:3 Fall 1995
- a. James R NICHOLSON 1905-1972 m. 1924
 Ariel Roberta GLINES 1905-1975 F: Robert Cassius Glines 1877-1933
 No issue M: Cora Victoria McCroskey 1878-1974
- b. Dorothy NICHOLSON 1908-1990 m. 1927
 Lemuel Eliza Glines 1902-1962 brother of Ariel
 2 ch
3. Louis.P DAVISSON b. CA June 1887
 1909 in El Centro d. Los Angeles co 29 Oct 1928 @42; spouse P
 1912 in Los Angeles
 1914. Mrs Louise(sic) Davisson from Los Angeles is visiting her sister-in-law Mrs Harry Nicholson.
 —Jan 17
4. Earl Francis DAVISSON b. CA 1 Jan 1890
 1912 in Los Angeles d. Alameda co 5 Jan 1949 @58/11/26; SM cem
 1916 attending Dental College, San Francisco
 1919. Earl Davisson recent graduate of College of Physicians & Surgeons, San Francisco. —May 12
 1936 in Oakland (?)
 m.
 Esther Raughilda — b. CA 12 Apr 1894
 d. Los Angeles co 2 June 1963 @65/2/2; SM cem

ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA
 GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

PIONEERS OF THE CALIFORNIA CENTRAL COAST — The DeNISE BROTHERS

William Henry DeNISE b. Montgomery co NY 28 May 1829; parents NY
 1875 Paulson Dir: W H Sr, d. at home 1426 Nipomo st between Pismo & Buchon,
 business SLO co; PO Cambria San Luis Obispo 13 Mar 1906 @76/9/15; IOOF cem
 1880cen: San Simeon tp obits Trib Mar 14 (copied from bio T/W); Breeze Mar 15
 1890GR: 57 NY f Cambria; wid, son 2 dau; to CA 1854; Yolo, Sacramento 4y; Gold
 reg Sep 26 1887 Hill NV 6y teaming; Santa Clara co 2y; San Jose 2y;
 1892GR: 63 NY 5'8 7/8 fair com- to SLO co 1871, 456a Santa Rosa Ck; retired to SLO
 plexion, grey eyes, grey hair
 both forefingers hands stiff f NY res SLO pct SLO#3 PO SLO; reg Aug 30
 1900cen: San Simeon tp
 1904GR: 74 SLO#4

m. (San Jose) 30 Jan 1867

Carrie N BROWN b. NY June 1852; F:NY; M:NJ
 d. Watsonville 1 Feb 1932 @79; 100F cem SLO
 obit DTel Wed Feb 3; son 2 dau 3gch; to Watsonville
 7y ago to live w/gdau Mrs S H Elliott

1. William Conover DeNISE b. (San Jose) 20 Jan 1868
 1890GR: 22 CA clk SLO#2 d. Contra Costa co 29 Jan 1954
 reg Mar 25 1890
 1892GR: 25 CA 5'8 1/2" light complexion blue eyes brown hair cloud in left eye clk
 res SLO pct SLO#4 PO SLO; reg Oct 11
 1900cen: w/parents
 1906. RE&Ins w/W W Smithers
 1932 in Campbell CA

m. nr Creston 15 July 1891, D34; wit: H M Knight, SLO; Rbt Steele, Creston

Mattie STEELE b. KS 1862
 d. San Francisco 28 May 1898 @36; bur SLO
 notice Breeze Tue May 31; svc at res of G W McCabe
 F: James Barnes Steele 1837-1906
 M:

a. Neva DeNISE b. (SLO co) 28 May 1894
 1900cen: w/gpar d. Santa Cruz co 2 July 1976 surname Elliott
 1932 Mrs S H Elliott in Watsonville

2. Carrie L DeNISE b. (SLO co) 1872.
 1906 in San Jose d.

PIONEERS OF THE CALIFORNIA CENTRAL COAST — The DeNISE BROTHERS

1932 in Oakland

m. San Luis Obispo 15 Dec 1898, E357

William John DUNSTAN b. MI 15 Feb 1868

1917 phbk; r359 Glendale d. Alameda co 4 Aug 1942 @74; M:Pearce
av Oakland

a. Charles DUNSTAN b.

1932 in Oakland d.

b. William DUIMS'IAN b.

1932 in Oakland d.

3. Irene F DeNISE b.(Cambria) June 1874

1900cen: w/parents d. Sonoma co 26 Mar 1963 @88 surname Harvard

1906 in SLO

1932 in Ontario surname Harvard

m. 1 Oct 1902 - Santa Cruz SENTINEL

Warren William SMITHERS b. (Cambria) Nov 1879

1914Dir: Wm W (Irene) ins d. San Luis Obispo 31 Oct 1918 @38; IOOF cem

& notary 848 Higuera, F: Amos J Smithers 1852-1933

h1132 Chorro M: Ida Marcia Terrill 1856-1914

W W SMITHERS General for Leffingwell-Terrill-Smithers see Cambria His Soc
Insurance Broker 848 Higuera Street San Luis Obispo Cal

Charles Sloan DeNISE b. NY 7 Oct 1843; parents NY; m.@30 of SLO

1875 Paulson Dir: DeNice d. Santa Maria 23 Nov 1912 @69; SM cem

C E(sic) f SLO co; PO Cambria obit Nov 30; 40y SM; wid dau; to Cambria to brother's

1880cen: Santa Rosa st SLO ranch; drove stage for Flint Bixby who had the through-
stage driver route Gilroy-Los Angeles. Clk Cosmopolitan hotel SM

1887. Los Alamos. DeNise's for E B Morris, became proprietor when Morris died;
lease on Union Hotel ex- thence Snyder House Los Alamos; thence Santa
Cruz, pired; back to J. Snyder. Watsonville, Hoffman House; leased Hart House SM;
-May 14 then SLO Cosmopolitan (now St James); retired to SM

1888. Sloan DeNise is in San Francisco to get furniture for the Cosmopolitan Hotel, San Luis
Obispo, which he recently rented. -Sep

1889. Sloan DeNise, proprietor of the Cosmopolitan Hotel, SLO, passed through yesterday
morning on his return from Los Olivos and Los Alamos, having gone down the day of
the excursion. -May 4

ad. ALAMO HOTEL SLOAN DENIS, PROP'R. Los Alamos, Santa Barbara Co, Cal.
EXCELLENT ACCOMODATIONS For travelers and families. Table supplied

PIONEERS OF THE CALIFORNIA CENTRAL COAST — The DeNISE BROTHERS

with the best the market affords. No pains have been spared in making this a first-class house. Large Sample Rooms on ground floor. Coach at all trains. —Oct 5

Sloan DeNise of Los Alamos was in town Sunday. Mr Denise says Los Alamos will surely be the county seat of Olive county. Railroad Putnam is on Mr DeNise's blacklist for having asserted that the gentleman's name was formerly Dennis and changed to DeNise by the dictates of frivolous fashion. —SLO MIRROR in Los Alamos PROGRESS —Oct 19

J W Tucker to take charge of the Cosmopolitan Hotel; he late of French Hotel. —Oct 26

1890. Alamos Hotel, Sloan DeNise, Prop

1894. Hart House Changes Management... Hart to DeNise & Kunle. —Jan 6

1898. Sloan DeNise and wife are in Arroyo Grande straightening and cleaning up the old Ryan Hotel. When they open, Arroyo people will have cause to rejoice.—Jan 29
Mr Sloan DeNise of Arroyo Grande is in SLO today. —BREEZE (June 1?)
Note: for history of Ryan's hotel see Madge 235ff

1902. Sloan DeNise is getting the Rice House in shape—open soon. —May

1903. Sloan DeNise to take charge of the Commercial Hotel Oct 1...has conducted hotels at different times in many towns in this part of the state...has lived at Santa Maria where for a time he conducted the Hart House. —Sep 27

1904GR: Sloan DeNise 58 SLO#3

1909Dir: rancher W Main Santa Maria; Mrs C

1910 cen: 210 W Main, Santa Maria, his second marriage, her first; 1 birth 1 living

m. Cambria 10 Feb 1874 by O S Palmer, A180; wit: Elias Conway, Cambria;
Fannie Fine, Cambria

1912:pall bearers: John Boyd, R L Jones, Chas Black, A McNeil, Geo Trott, Thomas Preisker

Caroline FINE

b. Sonoma co 18 Jan 1850; m. @24 of SLO

d. Berkeley 14 Feb 1938 @83; SM cem

obit Tue Feb 15 p.1; gdau, 3 gsons all Berkeley
dau d. 1934

F: Irby Hoyt Fine 1821-1879

M: Mary Elizabeth 1829-1920

m.2 1887 Morgan B Martin 1826-1898

1904. Mrs C S DeNise SLO wit to m. of John S Logan, Los Alamos, Leona C Holt, SM

1910. Twins 60th birthday: Mrs C S DeNise, SM, Mrs Fred Engles, SLO; born Sonoma co first whites after the raising of the Bear Flag. —SLO TELEGRAM in SM TIMES Jan 22

1914Dir: Caroline wid Sloane h503 W Main SM

1925Dir: hskpr r503 W Main

1. Edna DeNISE

b. (Cambria) 1874; m. @20 of SM

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d. at home Oakland 30 Jan 1934 @59/7/22; SM cem
obit Wed Jan 31 p.4; 3 sons dau; mother w/

m. Hart House 7am 25 Dec 1894 by C H Lawrence ME; wit: Alvin W Cox, father.
They left on train for Oakland to attend m. of J G Black. —T

Arthur Elmer COX

b. Santa Maria valley (or MO?) Aug 1873; m. @21

1894. clk Hart House

d. at home Oakland 6 May 1924 50/8/21; SM cem

bio M/H 860: rancher,

obit Wed May 7 p.1; 3 sons dau; bro Chester B Cox, SM

PCRR, Asst PM

F; Alvin Warren/Warner Cox 1843-1951

1900cen: SM f 1 birth

M: Mary A Powers 1852-1922

1906Dir: rancher 1m nw

1909Dir: rancher nw cor city limits; Mrs

1910cen; W Stillwell st SM

1914Dir: Arthur f n end Elizabeth av SM

1920cen: N Bwy

1922-3Dir: Arthur E f rAlvin st

1924. Mrs Arthur Cox of Oakland, sons Sherwood and Roswell, visiting her mother Mrs
Sloane(sic) DeNise. —Mon July 21

1934. pall bearers: Walter E Smith, Rell Laughlin, Chas F Black, Jas W Herron, Dudley D
Brady, Paul Fox

a. Orville E COX

b. nr SM 27 Jan 1900 (T)

1949 in San Leandro

d. Alameda co 28 July 1977 @77

b. Iola Frances COX

b. SM 7 Aug 1902 (T)

d. SM 27 Nov 1902 @3m20d; SM cem (T)

c. Zetta COX

b. SM 25 June 1904

1924 single

d.

1938 Berkeley CA surname Dunsten(sic)

1949 Jacksonville OR surname Dunsten(sic)

(William Dunstan b. 29 Dec 1899; d. Medford OR Feb 1974; SS#548-03-8324 CA)

d. Roswell W COX

b. SM Dec 1908

d. buried Jan 19 1949 @40/1/3 SM cem

obit Jan 7 p.7; "returned war dead"; sis bro

e. Sherwood Francis COX

b. SM 5 Aug 1912

d. Shasta co 9 Oct 1942 •@30/2/4; bur Dec 19 SM cem

PIONEERS - DAVISSON - DENISE

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ABBREVIATIONS:

a=acres b.=born; cem=cemetery; cen=census; ch=children; co=county; d.=died;
 Dir=Directory; f=farmer; F=father; gch=grandchildren; gdau=granddaughter;
 GR=Great Register of Voters; m.=married; M=mother; nr=near; PCRR=Pacific Coast Railroad
 pct-precinct; reg=registered; r/res=residence/resided; Re&In=Real Estate & Insurance
 SMUHS=Santa Maria Union High School tp=township; w/=with; wit.=witness(es); y=years

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