

Elizabeth
Jordan

Descendants of Elizabeth Dewitt

Generation No. 1

1. ELIZABETH¹ DEWITT was born Abt. 1810, and died in , TX, USA. She married (1) JOHN JORDAN Abt. 1839. He was born Abt. 1780, and died Abt. 1845. She married (2) JAMES PEARSON Abt. 1846 in , GA, USA.

Notes for ELIZABETH DEWITT:
FEDERAL CENSUS RECORDS

* 1850(04) Federal Census/ Baker CO GA/ enumerated 2 Jan 1850 page 53/ household 30-30/ James Pearson, age 28, Farmer, b GA; Elizabeth, wife, age 40, b SC; Pinckney, age 17, b GA; Missouri, age 14, b GA; Nathan, age 10, b GA; Thomas, age 05, b GA; Sarah, age 2 1/2, b GA

NOTE 1: It would seem that Elizabeth has remarried and has had a daughter by James Pearson. This is the only time the name of Sarah is mentioned. So I'm assuming this child has died between the 1850 and 1860 Federal Census

*1860(01) Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 11 June 1860 Post Office Providence Hill/ page 1/ household 4/ James (Pear)son, age 35, farmer, b GA; Elizabeth, age 50, b SC; Nathan Jordan, age 19, farm labor, b GA; Thomas Jordan, age 17, b GA

Children of ELIZABETH DEWITT and JOHN JORDAN are:

2. i. NATHAN JOHN² JORDAN, b. June 10, 1840, , GA, USA; d. July 07, 1900, Batson, Hardin CO, TX, USA.
3. ii. THOMAS CLAYTON JORDAN, b. March 04, 1841, , Baker CO, GA, USA; d. March 03, 1909, Saratoga, Hardin CO, TX, USA.

Child of ELIZABETH DEWITT and JAMES PEARSON is:

- iii. SARAH² PEARSON.

Generation No. 2

2. NATHAN JOHN² JORDAN (*ELIZABETH¹ DEWITT*) was born June 10, 1840 in , GA, USA, and died July 07, 1900 in Batson, Hardin CO, TX, USA. He married CHRISTINA SKINNER April 06, 1864 in , Hardin CO, TX, USA, daughter of BENJAMIN SKINNER and KATHERINE ROBINSON. She was born February 01, 1834, and died October 21, 1904 in Batson, Hardin CO, TX, USA.

Notes for NATHAN JOHN JORDAN:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Found in "Yellowed Pages" Vol VII/ issue 2/ page 93/ Minutes of the Beech Creek Baptist Church, Tyler CO/ "Requesting and receiving letters of dismissal were: Elizabeth Pearson and Nathan Jordan on 21 Apr 1860"



Hardin CO TX Marriages 1858-1900/ page 12

Copy of Marriage Certificate (issued April 5, 1864) married April 6, 1864/ Vol 1/ Page 37

Confederate Information/ Company D/ Spaight's/ "Yellowed Pages-Muster Roll-Company "D", "F", and "E"/ page 138/"(date of roll, about Sept 1, 1863) Company D, of Spaight's Battalion was made up principally of Tyler County men, and was commanded by Capt. W J Spurlock until he was killed at the Battle of Fordoche Bayou, Louisiana, thereafter, the company was commanded by Capt B E Gentry until it was deactivated.

Company D sustained four killed and two wounded during the engagement in Louisiana on September 29, 1863. It also saw action at the Battle of Calcasieu Pass, Louisiana on May 6, 1864. This company joined Likens' Battalion at Sabine Pass in 1861, became a part of Spaight's Battalion in June, 1862, and with the activation of the 21st Texas Infantry in November, 1864, was redesignated as Company H, Spaight's 21st Texas Regiment. "

Nathan Jordan was listed as a Private.

Probate of Nathan J Jordan/ Hardin CO TX/ Book Z/ Page 45

Buried in Old Providence Cemetery/ Hardin CO TX

FEDERAL CENSUS RECORDS

*1870(03) Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 14 July 1870/ page 30/ household 230-230/ Jordan, Nat, age 30, farmer, b GA; Chris, wife, age 36, house, b AL; Jessie Daniels, age 16, b TX; Elizabeth Jordan, age 06, b TX; Elias Jordan, age 03, b TX; Ambrose Jordan, age 7/12 Sept, b TX

*1880(02) Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 11 June 1880/ page 10/ household 69-73/ Jordan Nathan J, age 40, farmer, b GA, father b SC, mother b SC; Christina, wife, age 46, b AL, father b SC, mother b KY; Missouri E, dgtr, age 15, b TX, Elias E, son, age 12, b TX; Ambrose N, son, age 10, b TX; all children father b GA, mother b AL

*1900(03) Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ Olive/ enumerated 12 June 1900/ sheet 9/ household 167/ Jordan, Ambrose, age 30/Oct 1869, day laborer, m 10 yrs, b TX, father b GA, mother b AL; Nancy, wife, age 26/Jan 1874, b TX, 4 children born/4 children living; Jessie, son, age 09/Jan 1891, b TX; Miles, son, age 07/Jul 1892, b TX; Christina, dgtr, age 05/Aug 1894, b TX; Etta, dgtr, age 03/Nov 1896, b TX; Nathan Jordan, father, age 59/June 1840, m 35 yrs, b GA, father b SC, mother b SC; Christina Jordan, mother, age 66/Feb 1834, b AL, father b SC, mother b KY, 6 children born/ 4 children living.

ALL FEDERAL CENSUS RECORDS FOUND ON THIS FAMILY GROUP --Nathan Jordan dies July 07, 1900-Christine dies October 21, 1904

Notes for CHRISTINA SKINNER:

Copy of Confederate Pension Application/ Christina Jordan/ Comptroller's File No 8715

Children of NATHAN JORDAN and CHRISTINA SKINNER are:

- i. MISSOURI ELIZABETH³ JORDAN, b. February 12, 1865, , Hardin CO, TX, USA; d. 1953, Batson, Hardin CO, TX, USA; m. WILLIAM E KERR, April 09, 1882, , Hardin CO, TX, USA; b. 1859; d. 1940, Batson, Hardin CO, TX, USA.

Notes for MISSOURI ELIZABETH JORDAN:

NOTE: The only information I have on this family is information I got from Mrs Joe Savoy. There is a family picture of the W E Kerr family dated 1898 and on this picture is Elizabeth Jordan Kerr, her husband/ W E Kerr, Elizabeth's mother Christina Jordan. and six children/ two daughters-four sons-one of the son's was listed as "my father-Nathan"

Notes for WILLIAM E KERR:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Marriage record found in "Hardin County, TX Marriages 1858-1900" / compiled by A J Guedry/ page 13

Found Birth and Death dates in Hardin County TX Cemeteries/ Gedry Cemetery, Batson/ page 26

FEDERAL CENSUS RECORDS

*1900 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 13 June 1900/ Pct 1/ sheet A9/ household 168-168/ Kerr William, age 40, born TX (?) 1859, father born (blank), mother born (blank), married 18 yrs; Elizabeth, wife, age 35, born TX Feb 1865, father born GA, mother born AL. 6 children born/6 children living: Christina, dgtr, age 17, born TX Feb 1883, single; Emma, dgtr, age 14, born TX Oct 1885, single; Nathan, son, age 12, born TX Oct 1887, single; Andy, son, age 09, born TX Sept 1890, single; Austin, son, age 06, born TX Jan 1894, single; (?), son, age 02, born TX Oct 1897, single. all children's father born TX, all children's mother born TX

- ii. ELIAS EDWARD JORDAN, b. September 18, 1867; d. July 01, 1940, , Hardin CO, TX, USA; m. IDA M MCNEELY, July 24, 1890, , Hardin CO, TX, USA; b. January 17, 1872; d. February 12, 1936, , Hardin CO, TX, USA.

Notes for ELIAS EDWARD JORDAN:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Marriage record found in quarterly "Yellowed Pages" / VOL 9/ NO 2/ Page 81

Information on the Jordan/McNeely family was found from McKinney Cemetery Records by Bill Richardson/ Internet USGENWEB-Hardin CO TX/ July 1, 1998

FEDERAL CENSUS RECORDS

*1900 Federal Census/Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 11 June 1900/ Pct 1/ Sheet A7/ household 119-119/ Jordan Elias, age 32, born Sept 1867-TX, day laborer; married 10 yrs, father born GA, mother born (blank); Ida, wife, age 28, born Nov 1871-TX, father born TX, mother born TX, 3 children born/3 children living: (Ealie), son, age 08, born Apr 1892-TX; Georgia, son, age 05, born Aug 1894-TX; Freddie, son, age 04, born Apr 1896-TX; all children's father born TX, all children's mother born TX

*1910Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 26 April 1910/ Pct 2/ sheet 9A/ household 151-154/ Jordan Elias E, age 43, lumber mill, born TX, father born GA, mother born GA, married 19 years; Ida M, wife, age 38, born TX, father born TX, mother born TX, 3 children born/ 3 children living; Early N, son, age 17, laborer. born TX; George A, son, age 15, born TX; Fred, son, age 14, born TX; all children father born TX, all children's mother born TX

Notes for IDA M MCNEELY:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

McNeely family history found in "The History of Hardin County, TX"/ page 314-15/ F355/ by Eloise Bean

- iii. AMBROSE N JORDAN, b. October 03, 1869, , Hardin CO, TX, USA; d. March 07, 1953, Daisetta, Hardin CO, TX, USA; m. NANCY COLEMAN, February 27, 1890, ,,TX,USA; b. January 09, 1873; d. October 26, 1952.

Notes for AMBROSE N JORDAN:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Marriage Certificate/ Hardin CO TX/ issued (February 26, 1890) married February 27, 1890/ Book 1/ Page 232

Buried in Guidry Cemetery in Batson TX/ have picture of marker

FEDERAL CENSUS RECORDS

*1900 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ Olive/ sheet 9/ household 167/ enumerated 12 & 13 June 1900/ Jordan, Ambrose, age 30/Oct 1869, day laborer, married 10 yrs, born TX, father born GA, mother born AL; Nancy, wife, age 26/Jan 1874, born TX, 4 children born/4 children living: Jessie, son, age 09/Jan 1891, born TX; Miles, son, age 07/Jul 1892, born TX; Christina, dgtr, age 05/Aug 1894, born TX; Etta, dgtr, age 03/Nov 1896, born TX; Nathan Jordan, father, age 59/June 1840, married 35 yrs, born GA, father born SC, mother born SC; Christina Jordan, mother, age 66/Feb 1834, born AL, father born SC, mother born KY, 6 children born/ 4 children living.

*1910 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ Pct 2/ sheet 9A/ Household 145-148/ enumerated 26 April 1910/ Jordan, Ambrose, age 40, yard foreman lumber mill/ married 20 yrs/ Nancy, wife, age 38, 4 children born/4 children living; Miles, son, age 18; Christina, dgtr, age 15; Etta, dgtr, age 13; Katie, dgtr, age 08

@1920 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ Pct 7/ Household 33-34/ enumerated 03 January, 1920/Jordan Ambrose N, age 50, Nancy, wife, and 48, Elizabeth C, dgtr, age 23, single, Amber L, dgtr, age 08, single, Jessie L, granddgr, age 09, single

Notes for NANCY COLEMAN:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Buried in Guidry Cemetery in Batson, TX/ have picture of marker

3. THOMAS CLAYTON² JORDAN (*ELIZABETH¹ DEWITT*) was born March 04, 1841 in , Baker CO, GA, USA, and died March 03, 1909 in Saratoga, Hardin CO, TX, USA. He married MARY ALMIRA HART August 31, 1865 in , Hardin CO, TX, USA, daughter of WILLIAM HART and SARAH HERRINGTON. She was born Abt. 1838 in , AL, USA, and died April 12, 1912 in Saratoga, Hardin CO, TX, USA.

Notes for THOMAS CLAYTON JORDAN:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Marriage date found in Hardin County Marriages 1858-1900/ page 12/ Thomas C Jordan married to Mrs Mary A Cotton

Found burial place, birth and death dates in "Hardin County Texas Cemeteries" published by Southeast Texas Genealogical and Historical Society/ page 18/ Oil Town Cemetery, Saratoga, TX

FEDERAL CENSUS RECORDS

*1850 Federal Census/ Baker CO GA/ enumerated 2 Jan 1850/ page 53/ household 30-30/ James Pearson, age 28, Farmer; Elizabeth, wife, age 40; Pinckney, age 17; Missouri, age 14; Nathan, age 10; Thomas, age 05; Sarah, age 2 1/2

*1860 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 11 June 1860/ page 1/ household 4/ Post Office: Providence Hill/ James -----son, age 35, farmer, born GA; Elizabeth, age 56, born SC;

Nathan Jordan, age 19, farm labor, born GA; Thomas Jordan, age 17, farm labor, born GA

*1870 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 14 July / page 30/ household 231-231/
Jordan (D) C, age 28, farmer, born GA; Almira, wife, age 30, born AL; Lou--, age 04, born TX; Miles, age 02, born TX; Infant, Male, born 11/12 FB TX; Cotton Sarah, F, age 14, born TX; Cotton, ?, Male, age 10, born TX NOTE:I believe this D C Jordan to be Thomas Clayton Jordan. Thomas' wife was married to a Cotton before she married Thomas Jordan/ Nathan Jordan, brother to Thomas Jordan, was located in the preceding household number 230-230/ the children in this census are comparable to the 1880 census

*1880 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated on 11 June 1880/ Page 10/ Family No 86/
Jordan Thos C, age 38, farmer, born GA, father born SC, mother born SC; Mary (E), wife, age 40, born AL, father born GA, mother born GA; Lois E, dgtr, age 18, born TX; Miles P, son, age 12, born TX; Thomas J, son, age 10, born TX; Martha J, dgtr, age 08, born TX; Adline, dgtr, age 05, born TX; Mary E, dgtr, age 6/12, born TX; all children's father born GA, mother born AL

*1900 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ Enumerated on 12 June 1900/ NEED TO GET; look for Mary in 1910 Federal Census

Thomas died in 1909 and Mary dies in 1912

Notes for MARY ALMIRA HART:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Hart family history found in "The History of Hardin County, Texas"/ page251/ F202

Found burial place, no birth or death dates were given, in "Hardin County Texas Cemeteries" published by Southeast Texas Genealogical and Historical Society/ page 18/ Oil Town Cemetery, Saratoga, TXa family history found in "The History of Hardin County, Texas"/ page251/ F202

September 22, 1999/ found in the Death Indexes of TX a Mary Cotton Jordan death listed as April 12, 1912/ cert # 10382/ Looked in both Beaumont Enterprise and the Oil City Visitor Newspaper and did not find a listing

Children of THOMAS JORDAN and MARY HART are:

- i. LOIS E³ JORDAN, b. 1862, , Hardin CO, TX, USA.
- ii. MILES P JORDAN, b. 1868, , Hardin CO, TX, USA.
- iii. THOMAS J JORDAN, b. 1870, , Hardin CO, TX, USA.
- iv. MARTHA J JORDAN, b. 1872, , Hardin CO, TX, USA.
- v. ADLINE JORDAN, b. February 1876, , Hardin CO, TX, USA; d. 1937, , Hardin CO, TX, USA; m. RICHARD NOACK, February 26, 1896, , Hardin CO, TX, USA; b. August 1876, , , Germany; d. 1957, , Hardin CO, TX, USA.

Notes for ADLINE JORDAN:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Found burial place, birth and death dates in "Hardin County Texas Cemeteries" published by Southeast Texas Genealogical and Historical Society/ page 16/ Oil Town Cemetery, Saratoga

NOTE also listed on the above page is Henry Clayton Noack 1901 1904; this is interesting because Adline father's middle name was Clayton

Notes for RICHARD NOACK:
PERSONAL INFORMATION

Marriage Record found in "Hardin County, TX Marriages 1858-1900" page 16

NOTE: I have a puzzle with this family/ The 1900 Federal Census fits with the Adline daughter of Thomas Clayton Jordan but I also have listed a R C Noack married to a daughter of Amos Daniel/I found this R C Noack name in the obit of Amos Daniel/ Could this Richard Noack be a son of the R C Noack????For the time being I'm going to put this Census Record in with this family

FEDERAL CENSUS RECORDS

*1900 Federal Census/Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 12 June 1900/Pct 1/ Sheet B8/ Household 151-151/Noack Rich(?), age 23, Engineer, born Germany-Aug 1876, father born Germany, mother born Germany/ married 4 yrs; Addie, wife, age 24, born TX-Feb 1876, father born-GA, mother born-GA; one child born/one child living; Laston, son, age 03, born Tx-Dec 1896, father born Germany, mother born TX; Jordan, Mary, sister-in-law, age 20, single, born Tx-Dec 1879, father born GA, mother born GA

*1910 Federal Census/ Hardin CO TX/ enumerated 28 April 1910/ Pct 2/ sheet 10B/ household 180-183/ Noack, Richard M, age 33, Engineer, born Germany, father born Germany, mother born Germany, married 14 years; (cannot read to well but it looks like name above-Addie), wife, age 35, born TX, father born GA, mother born TX; L(?), age (13), born TX, water boy-lumber mill, father born Germany, mother born TX NOTE: This Census was very hard to read

1920 Federal Census/ NEED TO GET

Found burial place, birth and death dates in "Hardin County Texas Cemeteries" published by Southeast Texas Genealogical and Historical Society/ page 16/ Oil Town Cemetery, Saratoga

vi. MARY E JORDAN, b. 1880, , Hardin CO, TX, USA.

Notes for MARY E JORDAN:

I have researched this line of JORDAN to the best of my ability. I would like to gather more information if I can. If there is someone else that is interested in any of the names that I have gathered and would like to share information with me please write or email me at--Shirley White, 1670 Westbury RD, Beaumont TX 77713-9128 or jtwhite50@hotmail.com.

Please help me to locate the connection for "Emma Lou Cross" as her daughter (my mother-in-law) is almost 80 now and would like to know something about her mother and her people before she passes.

Anyone with any information please contact me: Denaherbert63@aol.com or at Dena Herbert, 155 Marlatin Farm Rd., Westminster, SC 29693

My name is Dena & I am desperately trying to find any information about my husband's grandma, Emma Cross b. abt. 1887. Her Dad's name was supposedly Henry Cross who married someone with the last name that started with a "H" and could possibly be Higgins but am not positive. Emma was supposedly born in Villageville, TX. but I cannot find such a place so I think it could have been Village Mills. I hope you can help me. My mother-in-law is approaching 80 & would really like to know more about her Mom, Emma. Emma died when my mother-in-law was 11 yrs. Old

What we know:

Emma L. Cross b. Aug. 27 (?), 1887 in Texas (according to 1920 census & 1930 Census) It says on Clara's birth Certificate that Emma was born in Louisiana BUT It is a delayed birth certificate and not filled out by Emma. Emma m. Robert Jefferson Goss Oct. 1904 in Humble, TX., They were married by Wilson L. Goss (he was Robert's Dad & a Baptist Minister). Emma died in 1936 in Weiser, Idaho. I have her death certificate and her obituary, which doesn't say much except that her dad's name is supposedly Henry Cross and her mother's maiden name is Higgins.

Robert & Emma's children were:

- 1) Lillian, b. 1910, m. Willis Waterman in Texas, she died in Montana.
- 2) Wily John, b. ? died young,
- 3) Elizabeth Hulda, b. ? died young,
- 4) Robert Damon, b. 1920 was in WW II, he died just a few short years ago in McMinnville, Oregon.
- 5) Clara Yvonne b. 1925.

They moved to Washington State when Clara was 5 years old. She is the only survivor in this family now.

Any bit of information, no matter how small, will help.