

Family of William and S(abra) J. CLARK:

William Herrick Clark born Saturday 15 minutes of eleven 23rd of January 1864.

Junia Mary Lavinia CLARK born Tuesday morning June 30th 1868.

Joseph Boody CLARK born Thursday afternoon January 8th 1874.

Comments by contributor:

Those children of Nathaniel and Izetta Low that did not marry died young.

Carroll H. Clark's father was Joseph Boody Clark.

My 3rd great-grandfather, Samuel Brackett Low, was Nathaniel Low's brother.

Mr. William Libby Clark, husband of Sabra Jane Low, was a brother of Jacob Clark, my 2nd great-grandfather.

ROBERTS Family of Kentucky. Bible printed by D. Fanshaw, New York, 1841, originally owned by Osmond and Mary Elizabeth (Beall) Roberts, and last known to have been in the possession of Chrissie Pointer Leigh of Santa Monica, California.

Marriages

Osmond ROBERTS and Mary Elizabeth BEALL, daughter of James M. BEALL and Sarah A. ALLEN, who were married Sept. 16, 1822, married Jan. 22, 1841.

Sallie A. ROBERTS, first daughter of Osmond and M. E. Roberts, married Phil A. POINTER Jan. 26, 1869.

Annie M. ROBERTS, second daughter of Osmond and Mary E. Roberts, married Isaac H. AYERS March 21, 1883.

James B. ROBERTS married Miss Annie E. DREIBELLBIA (at Rockman, Texas) Sept. 4, 1886.

Jessie Lee ROBERTS, sixth daughter of Osmond and Mary E. Roberts, married James W. WHITWORTH Dec. 1, 1897.

Births

Osmond ROBERTS, son of John and Clarissa Roberts, was born Jan. 30, 1816.

Mary Elizabeth Beall ROBERTS, wife of Osmond Roberts, was born Jan. 5, 1823.

George Clinton, eldest son of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 22 Dec. 1841.

Henry Milton, second son of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 1st Feb. 1844.

James Beall, third son of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 25th Jan. 1846.

Sally Allen, daughter of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 24th Dec. 1847.

John Osmond, fourth son of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 14th Jan. 1851.

Annie Moore, second daughter of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 14th March 1852.

Mary Lillian, third daughter of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 22nd March 1857.

Eugenie, fourth daughter of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 10th April 1859.

Lucy Emeline, fifth daughter of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 17th Sept. 1860.

Lee, infant son of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, was born 14th June 1864.

Jessie Lee ROBERTS, sixth daughter of Osmond and Mary ROBERTS, was born 20 Aug. 1865; died April 1929.

Grandchildren

Chrissie Belle POINTER, first daughter of Phil A. and Sally A. (Roberts) POINTER, and first granddaughter of Osmond and Mary E. Roberts, born 24th Nov. 1869.

Mary Howerton POINTER, third daughter of Phil A. and Sally A. (Roberts) POINTER, born 24th Sept. 1872.

Margaret Allen POINTER, third daughter of Phil A. and Sally A. (Roberts) POINTER, born 9th Feb. 1875. Died 1946, Sept. 24.

Phil POINTER, fourth daughter of Phil and Sallie A. (Roberts) POINTER, was born 25th Jan. 1879.

Philip Treadwell AYRES, first child of Annie and Isaac AYRES, was born 3rd Feb. 1886.

Mary Elizabeth ROBERTS, daughter of James B. and Annie E. ROBERTS, was born 18th June 1887, at Fortworth, Texas.

George Allen ROBERTS, eldest son of James B. and Annie ROBERTS, was born 10th Nov. 1888, at Fort Worth, Texas.

Catherine, second daughter of James B. and Annie ROBERTS, was born November 1891, Ft. Worth, Texas.

Mildred, third daughter of James B. and Annie ROBERTS, died (at) Ft. Worth, Texas.

Deaths
(Roberts Bible)

- Mary Elizabeth ROBERTS, wife of Osmond, died 12th July 1893; buried Russellville, Ky.
- Osmond ROBERTS died Russellville, Ky, 19th March 1908.
- George Clinton ROBERTS died at Salt Lake, Utah, buried Maple Grove Cemetery, Russellville, Ky. (no date given).
- Henry Milton (Bub) ROBERTS, buried at Maple Grove Cemetery, Russellville, Ky. (no date).
- Philip A. POINTER, died 20th Feb. 1882, 37th year of his age, buried, Maple Grove Cemetery, Russellville, Ky.
- Mary Howerton, second daughter of Philip and Sally A. POINTER, died 24th Oct. 1886, at twenty past three o'clock Sunday, age 14 years and 1 month.
- Mary Elizabeth, oldest daughter of James B. and Annie E. ROBERTS, died (date left blank).
- John Osmond, son of Mary and Osmond ROBERTS, died July 20, 1855, age 5 years and 3 months.
- Lucy Emmeline, daughter of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, died 22nd April 1862, age 19 months.
- Mary Lillian, daughter of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, died 18 Jan. 1864, age 19 months.
- Lee, infant son of Osmond and Mary E. ROBERTS, died dost (? sic) June 1864, age 7 days old.
- Isaac H. AYRES, died at Russellville, Ky. 15th May 1909.
- Annie (Roberts) AYRES, died at Russellville, Ky., after 1941.

TUNISON Family Bible Records furnished by James C. Moule of Long Beach, California, who states, "These come from a Bible inherited by my grandmother, the late Gertrude Young Moule, born in Philadelphia September 28, 1872. The original sheets are in the possession of my aunt, Mrs. C. Burnam Mace of Cambridge, Maryland. Unfortunately, my grandmother separated these pages from the Bible shortly before she died, throwing the remainder of the book away. Thus it is not possible to state the date or publisher of the Bible. After studying the different handwriting and the text, I have come to the conclusion that the first contemporary record was entered in 1817.

"I have tried to copy the same spelling, punctuation and capitalization as in the original. The Tunisons were a New Jersey

family, living in or near Rahway. The freemans were originally from Woodbridge, New Jersey".

Matthias G. TUNISON and Eliza HALL was married August 31, 1817.

L. V. TUNISON and Mary J. (?) POYER was married November 23d, 1853.

Mary Swan TUNISON was married to Edgar FREEMAN July 17, 1838.

Mary Swan TUNISON was married to John J. GOLDSMITH January 2, 1845.

George H. YOUNG was married to Anna Eliza FREEMAN Feb'y 24, 1861.

Lawrence V. TUNISON was married to Celina ALLISON March 7th, 1865.

Mary S. GOLDSMITH & J. C. Henry PARSONS was married June 10th, 1855.

Cornl. TUNISON was married to Jane BROWER the 4th day of May in the year 1749.

Garret TUNISON of Cr. was born Nov. 12, 1757.

Sarah TEN EICK was born (wife of Garret Tunison) March 6th 1761 was married June the 5th 1783.

Jane Davis TUNISON, daughter of G. Tunison and Sarah his wife, was born March (?) 29th 1783.

Cornelius G. TUNISON, son of G. Tunison and Sarah his wife, was born October 15th 1785.

Mary (?) Ten Eick TUNISON, daughter of G. Tunison and Sarah his wife, was born 1788.

Garret TUNESSEN, son of G. Tunesen was born Nov. 20, 1784.

Andrew Ten Eick TUNISON son of G. T. and Sarah his wife was born Novm. (?) 20th 1798.

Maria Magdalen TUNISON, daughter of G. T. and Sarah his wife was born Febr. 10th 1803.

Ellen TUNISON was Born the 10th day of June 1818 aged 9 months and 20 days. (Editor's query: counted from conception?)

Mary SWAN was born January 20th 1820.

Almira was born June 23, 1822.

Lawlance Van Levree (?) TUNISON was Born July the 12th 1824.

Aneliza FREEMAN daughter of Mary Freeman wife of E. Freeman was.....April 18th 183-.

WILLIAM ROBERTS, REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER

Material contributed by Betty Ammerman, 2331 S. Virginia,
Springfield, Missouri, 65807, a great-great-granddaughter.

William ROBERTS was born September 25, 1762 on the Neuse River, Johnston County, North Carolina. He first volunteered for Revolutionary War service under Col. Cleveland in Wilkes County, North Carolina. He served other tours of duty and was in the Battle of Eutaw Springs. (National Archives pension No. S17054, DAR No. 561698)

William ROBERTS married Jan 27, 1784(?), in Wilkes County, North Carolina, Ann VANDEGRIFT. The marriage bond was signed by Jacob ROBERTS, probably William's brother. In 1787 William moved to Washington County, Tennessee; in 1802 to Grainger County; in 1810 to Knox County; in 1811 to Anderson County and in 1831 to Hamilton County, near Chattanooga. In August 1842, in Springfield, Missouri, William requested transfer of his pension payment. He lived in what is now Christian County a few years before going to Texas County, Missouri. Here he died, on the Big Piney River, 5 miles northeast of the present Cabool, after 1846 when he received his last annual pension payment. It is believed that his wife came to Missouri with him. Only two children are known: Jacob and William.

- I. Jacob "Jakey" ROBERTS was born ca 1788 in Washington Co TN, died 21 July 1876, buried Boston Cemetery in North Marion Twp, Christian Co MO. He served in the War of 1812 and received a pension No. 20031. After his death, his widow, Matilda, received pension No. 27830. In 1814 he lived in Anderson Co and by 1822 was living in Hamilton Co. TN. By 1850 he was in that part of Taney Co MO that became Christian Co. He married ca 1812 Elizabeth GROVES who died ca 1826. They had six children. Jacob married 2nd on 12 Dec 1866 Christian Co Mrs. Dolley BURKHART, born ca 1805 TN, died 24 Feb 1869, buried Boston Cemetery. They had no children. Jacob married 3rd on 26 Jul 1869, Christian Co Mrs. Matilda RAINS, born 1814 IL, died 1 Nov 1898, buried Boston Cemetery. They had no children. Matilda was the widow of Robert RAINS.

Children, Jacob & Elizabeth (GROVES) ROBERTS:

1. Lucy ROBERTS born ca 1813 died before 1895, married _____ BUNCH
2. Anney ROBERTS born 18 March 1815 TN, died 9 Aug 1902, buried Boston Cemetery, married ca 1840 Harvey BURKHART, b 15 June 1823 TN, d 5 Jan 1907, bur Boston Cemetery. Their children were: (Rev.) Jacob md Rebecca HARVILLE; George Washington md Sarah SMITH, 2nd Elizabeth WAN; Catharine, died in youth; Eliza md Andrew BECKLEY; Elizabeth Ann md Richard Oliver LOWE; Sarah md Matthias Kelly HARVILLE; Iona md Henry LOVELAND: James and Araney died young.
3. Caswell ROBERTS born 12 Dec 1817 TN, died 2 Dec 1891, Bur Boston Cemetery, married ca 1837 Rachel BURKHART, born 20 Sep 1817 TN, d 14 Nov 1883, bur Boston Cemetery. Caswell served in the Union Militia in the Civil War. Their children were: Catherine md Charles PURCELL; Sarah; James; Mary Ann md William P. MARTIN; E. (female) died young; Harvey; William J. md Margaret P. HARVILLE; and Amanda md Dangerfield RAINS.
4. Katie ROBERTS born ca 1819, died before 1895, never married.
5. Eliza ROBERTS born ca 1821, died before 1895, married _____ ~~BUNCH~~ ROGERS
6. William ROBERTS born 15 Feb 1822 Hamilton Co TN, died 23 Feb 1912, bur Roberts Cem. west of Sparta, Christian Co MO, which he established.

Roberts Family

William Roberts, Revolutionary Soldier, contin.
 William (s/Jacob) also served in the Union Militia and in later years he was president of the Sparta bank. He married ca 1841 Mary BUCKHART born ca 1814 TN, died 4 May 1889 Christian Co. They had nine children: Elizabeth md Henry ADAMS, 2nd George ZIGLER, 3rd _____ WAN; Mary md High SHIPMAN; Eliza md Benjamin F. HALL; Fermealia md Robert A. "Mac" SMITH; William, Jr. md Martha A. MITCHELL; Martha md Samuel G. HARRIS; Oliver md Permella SMITH; Patterson R. md Nancy GARRISON and Marcina Narciss md John WARNER. William md 2d on 12 Nov 1873 Christian Co Emilett Mahala (BRAY) ALLRED WRIGHTSMAN b 7 Jul 1837 Chatham Co NC, d 2 Sep 1911, bur Roberts Cemetery, dau of Calvin Duncan BRAY and Mahala Tyson WOMBLE and the widow of (Dr.) William C. ALLRED. William and Emilett's children were: Louis md Eva Juanita STEPHENS and Amy md Landon GARRISON. William md 3rd Miss Amanda HALL b 12 July 1840 Taney Co, d 7 Sep 1927 bur Boston Cemetery, dau of Joel HALL and Margaret VANDEGRIFT. They had no children.

II William ROBERTS born 1800 Washington Co TN was killed ca 1862 in the NW part of Howell Co, MO while chasing persons who stole his race horse. He married ca 1830 Jane BUNCH born 1811 TN died 1898 near Carrollton Hollow, Lead Hill, Boone Co AR. The family first came to Greene Co Mo, spent one winter in Taney Co then to near present Cabool, Texas Co. They had three children. (Some members of this family have spelled the name ROBBIRDS & ROBIRDS.) Children, William and Jane (BUNCH) ROBERTS:

1. William Mattison ROBERTS born 23 Oct 1834, died 14 Nov 1900, bur Elm Springs Cemetery, 6 miles west of Springdale, AR. He served with the Confederate Army and later in life became a Methodist minister. He married ca 1854 Elizabeth HENDRICKS born ca 1833 TN, d ca 1864 Ft. Smith, Ar area. They had five children: (Rev.) William Harrison md Mrs. Mattie WHITAKER; James Mattison md Adaline DICKENS; Sampson David md Sarah Margaret ROBERTS (1st cousin), Price, died few days old.

William Mattison ROBERTS mar 2nd ca 1865 in Iron Co MO, _____ FLOWERS/FLOURS. After having one child die young, divorced. He married 3rd on 28 May 1868 Texas Co Mrs. Martha Ann DAVIS who died a few years later. They had no children. He married 4th Martha ELMORE who died 31 Jan 1897. They had eight children: George Franklin md Matilda Louise OVERSTREET; Thomas H. md Mary MURRILL; Elizabeth md _____ WARREN, 2nd _____; Charles M. md Janie GRAY; and these four children who died in infancy: Jessie, Mike, Cordelia and Emmer. William md 5th _____ who survived him in 1900.

2. James David ROBERTS born 8 May 1837, died 10 Nov 1908, bur near Lead Hill, Boone Co AR, married ca 1855 Nancy Jane BELL born 22 Jan 1839, died 28 Jan 1909, buried near Lead Hill. Their children were: Eliza Jane md Ed WILSON; Roseann Melinda md Pat MORRIS and George CAMDEN; Mary md (Rev) Johnny SLUSHER; Sarah Margaret md Sampson David ROBERTS; Missouri Ann "Curl" md Slate BATSON, 2nd Henry FORESEE; William Harrison md Dora ROZELL; Emma md Thomas FORESEE and Victoria md John Jefferson BELL.

3. Eliza Jane ROBERTS born ca 1839 married 14 Aug 1854 Texas Co MO James MOODY. They had a son, William H. MOODY born ca 1858 and it is believed Eliza Jane died about this time.

"Genealogy may be called an art if we can weave all the threads of life into the canvas of history." (B. W. Dalby)

MARTIN AND ELIZABETH ROBERTS

Petition for Pension

W. 4785 and 19732

Contributed by Juanita "Nita" Evans Caldwell

Continuation from Vol. XXIII No. 3

[0376]

Newburgh April 11th, 1783 Received of Timothy Pickering QMG. & P. Anspoch two hundred sixty seven dollars seventy five ninetieth of a dollar being in full fee seven months pay, ending first day of Augt. last So for inlisting waggoners &c: as of accot. rend'd, having signed another receipt for same of like time & date -

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[0381]

In a book of Receipts is one as follows:

"No. 199 New Windsor May 10th 1782. Received of Timothy Pickering Q. M. G. & P. Anspoch" \$217 88/90 "being in full for the balance of my pay as F. M. from 5th Augt. 1780 to the 1st day of March 1781 as J Aug't Curr't rendered this day", &c - and another No. 264, dated Augt. 26th 1782, for \$18 56/90, "being in full for forage purchased for the use of the horses at Head Quarters & account" &c. These Receipts are signed "Martin Roberts F. M. at Hd. Qt" Manifestly in the same handwriting as the signature of the three receipts which are hereto annexed; and the body of these three and of the one first described is in the handwriting of Peter Auspoch an officer in the Q. M. Generals department.

In a memorandum book is the following minute in the handwriting of Col.

Pickering: -

"Forage Department

Col. Butterlok C of F

Saml Evans

John Dossey

Joseph King

Jany 16, 1783"

Wm Spratbrow K. M.

Martin Roberts F M & W C

Saml Cook

And the following in the same year:

"April 30 gave M. Roberts an order on Esq'r Belknass for 30 bushels corn - 30"

In a cash book, under date of April 11, 1783, cash is made Do: "To United States; received of Martin Roberts for 2 oxen, 3 old waggon wheels & 1 horse sold him by Thos Cogswell (72)"

I would add, that in the "Return of officers &c above mentioned the commencement of service of a large number of them, including about 15 brigades quarter masters and about 30 wagon conductors, is dated the 5th of Aug. 1780, and that no earlier date is assigned to the service of any one; and as it can hardly be supposed that so many appointments under Col. Pickering would be made on the very day on which he himself came into office, it may be inferred that many of these persons were already in the department, and that the "Return" has reference only to the commencement of their service under Col. Pickering as Q.M. General. Octavius Pickering

Suffolk SS

Boston May 5th 1854 Then the said Octavius Pickering made oath that the facts stated in the foregoing certificate are true.

before me E. Pickering Justice of the Peace

Senate Chanber 9th May 1854. I recognise the hand writing of E. Pickering, Justice of the Peace, then I have known for years in their Chante, & Ive no doubt that he still continues in it. Charles Lumne

[0370]

I William Wooldridge, of the County of Chesterfield and State of Virginia, do hereby certify that I was well acquainted with Martin Roberts, formerly of the said County and State. that the said Roberts was an apprentice to the same master and trade with me. That in the year of 1776 or 1777 the said Roberts enlisted under Capt Faulkner in the Continental Army (and I believe Lieut. Fowler belonged to the same company) The troops then marched to the North. I never saw the said Martin afterward.

After the Revolutionary War ended, I understood the said Roberts passed through the neighborhood where he was raised, on his way to North Carolina, to his fathers.

Given under my hand this 15th day of June 1827

William Wooldridge

Chesterfield County to wit:

This day William Wooldridge of said County, personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace in said County, and made oath to the truth of the above certificate, as far as he knows or believes - Given under my hand and seal this 15th day of June 1827

Geo. W. Cole J.P. {seal}

[0372]

I William Roberts of the County of Chesterfield and State of Virginia, so hereby certify that I was well acquainted with Martin Roberts, that the said Martin Roberts enlisted under Capt. Ralph Faulkner in the Continental Army, in the year 1776 or 1777 and was with Washington's Army at the Siege of York. After which time he came to my Fathers in Chesterfield, and then returned back to the Army I believe Lient. Fowler belonged to Capt. Faulkner's Company at the time Martin Roberts enlisted -

Some time after the end of the war, the said Martin Roberts passed by my house on his way to his Father's in North Carolina.

Given under my hand this 15th day of June 1827. William Roberts

Virginia, Chesterfield County Towit.

I Parke Poindexter clerk of Chesterfield County Court, do certify that George W. Cole esquire, whose signature is subscribed to the two annexed affidavits, bearing date the 15th day of June 1827, was at the date of the same and still is a Justice of the peace, in peace [sic] in and for the said county of Chesterfield, duly commissioned and qualified, and that full faith is due to all his official acts as such: In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said county court, this 9th day of July Anno Dom: 1827, and in the 52nd year of our Independence. -

Parke Poindexter C

[0360]

P. CLEVELAND GARDNER
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW
ROYSTER BUILDING, ROOM 5-10
SHELBY, NC.

July 12th, 1939

The Veterans Administration
Washington, D. C.

Re: Martin Roberts;
Peter Quinn;
Hugh Quinn.

Sir:

The grave yard of above Roberts and Quinn are located in old Tryon County, North Carolina, thence Rutherford County, now known as Cleveland County, and some four miles south of Shelby and near the State Line of North and South Carolina.

MARTIN ROBERTS -

Marker at grave of MARTIN ROBERTS, as follows:

"Hero of 76, who died Oct. 30, 1834, aged, 75 years, 5 months, and 5 days".

Martin Roberts was a private in 5th Va. Regiment Continental Line under command of Col, Josiah Parker in Dec. 1776. He applied for pension in Rutherford County, N. C., in 1825. Will you please give me abstract of his declaration for pension? I want to know his place of birth, name of parents, name of children, name of wife, date of removal to North Carolina, and any other data of importance stated in his affidavit for pension.

HUGH QUINN, died April 1, 1850, in the 77th year of his age. History states that he was the son of PETER QUINN, who was a LOYALIST! Please give me whatever data possible on both Peter and Hugh Quinn. The Quinns and Roberts lived in same community, and buried in same cemetery.

Respectfully,
P. Cleveland Gardner,
P. Cleveland Gardner,
Cleveland County Historian
Box 11,
Shelby, N.C.

PS: Peter Quinn and Abraham Collins, Loyalists, were the young men mentioned by Draper in his history of Kings Mountain who carried a message for Col Ferguson from Gilberttown to Charlotte, just prior to battle of Kings Mountain, Oct. 7, 1780.

PCG-

[0280]

Mr. P. Cleveland Gardner
Box 11
Shelby, North Carolina

August 14, 1939
BA-J/MCS
Martin Roberts, W. 4785

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your request for information relative to Revolutionary War soldiers, Martin Roberts, Hugh Quinn and Peter Quinn.

Revolutionary War data furnished by this office are obtained from claims for pension and bounty land made to the United States and based on the military service of soldiers in this war. A careful search of the records fails to show such claims on file on account of the service of any soldiers named Peter and Hugh Quinn.

The data which follow were taken from papers on file in the pension claim, W.4785, based on the Revolutionary War service of Martin Roberts.

The date and place of birth of Martin Roberts and the names of his parents are not shown.

Martin Roberts enlisted at Chesterfield Court House, Virginia, in the spring of 1776 and served two years as private in Captain Ralph Faulkner's Company in Colonels Muhlenberg's and Josiah Parker's Virginia Regiment, and was in the battles of Trenton, Princeton and Germantown. He served as foragemaster in the Quartermaster Department from August 5, 1780, until August 1, 1782.

He was allowed pension on his application executed April 16, 1828, at which time he was living in Rutherford County, North Carolina. *aged 70 years*

Martin Roberts died October 30, 1834, in Rutherford County, North Carolina. In that year his post office address was Swangstown, Rutherford County, North Carolina.

[0281]

Martin Roberts opened a merchandize store at Fast Landing (which was later called Leipsic) in Kent county, Delaware. On May 10, 1787, he married there, Elizabeth Durborow who was born April 29, 1768 and was the daughter of Daniel Durborow of Fast Landing.

Martin and Elizabeth Roberts moved to Rutherford County, North Carolina, within twenty-five miles of Lincolnton in 1797. Three of their children were born before they left Delaware.

On account of the Revolutionary War service of Martin Roberts, his widow, Elizabeth, was allowed pension on her application executed March 2, 1839, at which time she was living in Lincoln County, North Carolina.

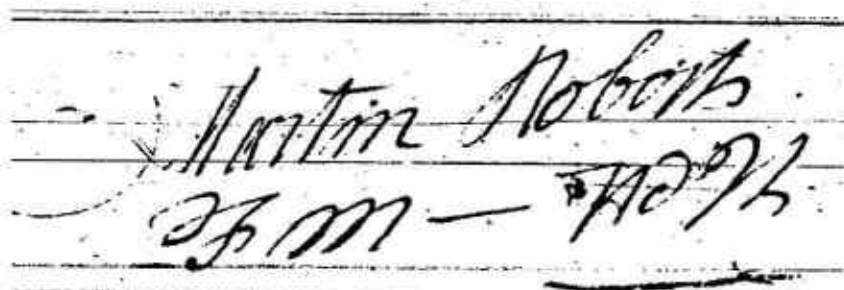
Elizabeth Roberts died October 19, 1840, and was survived by the following children: John who was the eldest child and was forty-nine years of age in 1839, James and Noah and in 1854 all were living in Cleveland County, North Carolina, and Noah's post office was Swangtown. In 1829 reference was made to a daughter who was living in Rutherford County, North Carolina, but her name was not given.

One William Roberts was living in Chesterfield County, Virginia, in 1827 and he stated that he knew Martin Roberts when he served in the Revolution, relationship not shown. In 1827 one Perry G. Roberts was post master at Buffalo, Lincoln County, North Carolina; in 1828 one Joshua Roberts was living in Buffalo, Lincoln County, North Carolina; in 1852 one J. W. Roberts acted as witness for the soldier's sons, John and James Roberts, and one Rufus Roberts was justice of the peace in Cleveland County, North Carolina; in 1854 one N. E. Roberts served as witness in Cleveland County; the relationship of these men to the soldier, Martin Roberts is not shown. In 1885 one M. H. D. Roberts of Durbro, North Carolina stated that he was an heir of the soldier, Martin Roberts.

There are no further family data.

Very truly yours

A. D. Hiller
Executive Assistant
to the Administrator

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Martin Roberts". Below the name, there are additional handwritten marks that appear to be "J. M." followed by a horizontal line and "A. D. H.".

Source: Martin Robert's Revolutionary War Federal Pension Application W.4785
South Carolina Department of Archives and History, Columbia, S.C.

MARTIN AND ELIZABETH ROBERTS

Petition for Pension

W. 4785 and 19732

Contributed by Juanita "Nita" Evans Caldwell

Salem, Massachusetts, March 15, 1826

Sir, Your letter of February 9th came to hand yesterday. The forage Masters were appointed by Col. Lutterloh, Company general of forage and it was not in my way, as quarter-master general, to know personally the various forage masters; any that I might have known may well be supposed, after the lapse of more than forty years, to be forgotten. I have no recollection of your person on employment. But having some books of the issues of forage and opening two for 1781, I thence find your name entered as "Forage Master for Head Quarters" and by the entries of forage issued to you, as such, I find agreeably to your statement, that you went with General Washington & the army to Yorktown, where Lord Cornwallis's army was captured; and that you returned with Head Quarters to the Northward. In your letter you mention some other circumstances, which exactly correspond with facts that I well remember. Hence I have sufficient reason to believe, that the details you give me of your Services, from 1776 to the close of the revolutionary war, is correct.

I interjoin a certificate; as it will be proper that this explanatory letter should accompany it. I am, Sir, your [illegible] Genr. T. Pickering

Mr. Martin Roberts

I certify, that by the entries of forage issued, from January to November, inclusively, in the year 1781, it appears that Martin Roberts was the forage master for the Head Quarters of the Commander in Chief, General Washington, during that period. Timothy Pickering, Quarter Master General at the time above mentioned.

State of North Carolina, Rutherford County

On this 16th day of April 1828 personally appeared in open Court, being a Court of record, for the County aforesaid, Martin Roberts, resident in said County, aged seventy years, who being first duly sworn, according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the Acts of Congress of the 18th of March 1828 and the 1st May 1820, that he the said Martin Roberts enlisted for the term of two years sometime in the spring of the year 1776 or 1777 in the State of Virginia Chesterfield County, in the company commanded by Capt. Ralph Faulkner in the regiment commanded by Col. (since Genl) Mulenburg who was succeeded as he thinks by Col Josiah Parker, in the line of the State of Virginia in the continental establishment: That he continued to serve until the expiration of the said time when he was discharged from service at the Valley Forge: that he hereby relinquish his every claim whatever to a Pension, except the present; that his name is not on the roll of any State except from a declaration heretofore sent to the War department and returned as not allowed; That he did apply to the Judge of the Superior Court for the County of Rutherford about the year 1819 or 1820 who informed him that as he owned and paid taxes for land he could not

obtain a Pension And in pursuance of the Act of the 11th of May 1820 I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by gift, sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provisions of an Act of Congress intituled an Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and Naval services of the United States in the Revolutionary War passed on the 18th of March 1818 and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me, any property, or sureties, contracts or debts due to me; nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed and by me Subscribed. to wit

Six head of hogs	\$6.	1 Tea Pot	\$.50
Two yearlings	6.	1 coffee Pot	.75
One Pot	.75	5 Knives and forks	1.50
One Loom	4.00	2 water Pails	.37 1/2
5 Pewter Plates	1.50	1 Churn	1.50
1/2 Doz cups & saucers	.50	1 Axe & 1 Mattock	2.00
1 earthen Dish	.50	1 Weeding hoe	.50
3 Pewter Spoons	.37 1/2	2 Ploughs 1 set of gears	2.75
1 Pine Trunk	1.00	1 Pine Table	1.50
4 setting chairs	2.00	1 Pair Dog Irons	2.00
		Total	\$38.50

That since the 18th of March 1818 he has sold no property except one cow. That he has had fifty Acres of land (more or less) sold by the Sheriff to satisfy a Debt due to Adley Hamilton contracted for articles in the Store for the use of his family previous to the year 1818 and eight head of hogs sold by John C. Boyer Constable to satisfy a Debt due Iverson L. Graves for a Debt contracted bona fide and three head of Cattle sold by said Boyer to satisfy a Debt due David Covington. Sworn to and declared on the 16th day of April 1828.

Martin Roberts

Sworn to in Open Court April 16th 1828 J. Craton Clk By T. F. Burchett D.C.

I John Boyer swear that some time in the year 1824 I sold as constable, eight head of hogs the property of Martin Roberts to satisfy a Debt due Iverson L. Graves and three head of Cattle to satisfy a Debt due David Covington and that the sales were fair. John C. Boyer Sworn to in open Court April 16th 1828 I. Craton Clk By T. F. Birchett D.C.

I Adley Hamilton, swear that Martin Roberts, land was sold by the Sheriff of Rutherford to Satisfy a Debt due me, contracted in the year 1817, as well as now recollected, for articles in the Store. A. Hamilton Sworn to in open Court 18th of July 1828 Isaac Craton Clk

I William Carson Sheriff of Rutherford County swear that I sold a tract of land supposed to belong to Martin Roberts containing fifty Acres, more or less, on use Execution in favor of Alley Hamilton at a fair and publick sale. W. Carson Shff. Sworn to in Open Court 18th of July 1828 Isaac Craton Clk.

I Isaac Craton Clerk of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for the County of Rutherford North Carolina do hereby certify that the foregoing oath and the Schedule thereto annexed are truly copied from the records of said Court and that the affidavits thereto annexed were sworn to in open Court; and I do further certify that it is the opinion of the said Court, that the total amount in value, of the property exhibited in the aforesaid Schedule is thirty eight dollars and fifty cents. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court on the 19th of July 1828. Isaac Craton Clk.

[10 Nov. 1828]

State of North Carolina, Rutherford County

This day came Martin Roberts into open Court, being a Court of record, and made the following Declaration, in addition to one heretofore filed in the War Department. That he enlisted at Chesterfield Court house in the State of Virginia in the month of April or May 1775 as well as now recollected under Captain Ralph Faulkner in the fifth Virginia Regiment command first by Col. Mulenburg in the Virginia line of the Continental establishment in the revolutionary war. That on Mulenburgs being promoted the regiment was commanded by Co'l Josiah Parker. That he enlisted for the term of two years and was discharged in the month of April or May 1777 at or near the Valley Forge in Pennsylvania. That he was in the battle at Germanton, Trenton and Princeton. That paper made as diligent service as his limited circumstances and advanced age will permit, and has been unable to find any of the officers or soldiers with whom he served and is unable to prove his services in any other way then he had already proved by the affidavits of William Roberts and William Wooldridge except by his own oath.

Sworn to in Open Court 10th Nover. 1828. Isaac Craton CC

North Carolina, Rutherford County Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions
January Term A D 1829

This day came Martin Roberts before sd Court and on oath sayeth in amendment of his former supplementary affidavit, that at the time he made the former affidavit not having any dates before him at the time & being entirely dependent on his own recollection for facts he stated that he entered the service as well as then recollected in AD 1775 which statement he now believes to be incorrect from recollection & by reference to History. But that he now believes from the reason before stated that he entered the service in the spring of AD 1776 and continued in the service as stated in his former affidavit for two years and was discharged in the Spring of 1778. He states that he is now 72 or 73 years of age that his family consists of his wife & one daughter that his wife is very infirm and since the filing of his former affidavit has become entirely helpless that his daughter has been afflicted with the rheumatism for a number of years and is very frequently entirely helpless so as to prove a burthen upon his hands. Martin Roberts
Sworn to and subscribed in open Court the 14th day of January A.D. 1829

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my name and affixed the seal of the said Court at office the 14th day of January A.D. 1829 Isaac Craton CC

State of North Carolina, Lincoln County

On the 2nd day of March 1839 personally appeared before the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County, Elizabeth Roberts late of the County of Rutherford in the State aforesaid aged Seventy years who being duly sworn according to law doth on her oath make the following Declaration - in order to obtain the Benefit of the provision made by Act of Congress passed July 7th 1835 Entitled an Act Granting half pay and pensions to Certain Widows.

That she is the widow of Martin Roberts late of Rutherford County in said State, who was a soldier of the Revolutionary War, as she has been Informed and believes, that from some memorandums found among her late husbands papers She believes he Enlisted for two years in the Army of the United States in Chesterfield County in the State of Virginia in December 1776 or 1777 in Captain Ralph Faulkners Company in the 5th Virginia Regiment, which Regiment was Consolidated with the 6th and 7th Regiments and was commanded by Col. Josiah Parker, That he was in the Battles Germantown, Princeton and at the taking the Hessians at Trenton, that after having served out the term of his Enlistment he was discharged near Valley Forge; That immediately after his discharge, he entered the staff department and received the appointment of Forage Master at head Quarters, he continued to Serve in this department until the end of the war in 1783, when he retired from the Army; That her husband in Consequence of his Services was placed on the pension list Roll of the North Carolina agency in January 1829 and Continued to receive his pension She believes Eight dollars per month until his death, for a more accurate description of his services she would refer to the Documentary Evidence furnished in obtaining his pension furnished to the department on his application.

She further declares She was married to her late husband Martin Roberts in the Village of Fast Landing in Kent County near Dover in the State of Delaware on the 10th day of May 1787 that She Resided in the said Village of fast Landing until She had three children and in the year 1797 She with her husband and Children moved to the County of Rutherford State of North Carolina that they lived within 25 miles of Lincolnton, that her husband died at their late Residence on the 30th day of October 1834 that the time of his death had been proven when She applied for the amount of pension due her as the widow of her late husband Martin Roberts.

That she was not married to her husband Martin Roberts prior to his leaving the Service, but the marriage took place previous to the first of January 1794 at the time above state.

Sworn to and Subscribed on the day and year last above written before me.
D. Reinhardt J.P. Elizabeth her X mark Roberts

State of North Carolina, Lincoln County

John Roberts of said County personally appeared before me David Reinhardt a Justice of the peace in and for said County and being duly sworn according to Law Says he is a son of the applicant above Elizabeth Roberts and is aged forty nine years that he Recollects removing with his father and mother from the Village of Fast Landing in the State of Delaware that his father Martin Roberts applied for a pension for his Services in the Staff department in the Revolutionary War Shortly before his death, that he was informed the late [illegible] Certified or deposed to the Services of his father in the Staff

informed the late [illegible] Certified or deposed to the Services of his father in the Staff department which he expects will be found among the Documentary Evidence Connected with his application in the proper department at Washington City That his Mother Elizabeth Roberts has been deprived of the use of her limbs and has not been able to walk for the last four years Sworn to and Subscribed to this 4th day of March 1839 before me

D. Reinhardt J.P.

John Roberts

Delaware Smyrna Tuesday 5th February 1839

Sir,

I acknowledge the need of your letter of yesterday, concerning letter to you from James Roberts of Rutherford County in the State of North Carolina son of Martin Roberts and Elizabeth his wife, one of the daughter of Daniel Durborow long since dead, "stating that his father Martin Roberts is dead" and that his mother Elizabeth survives and is now a widow. That his "father was a revolutionary soldier, and that his widowed mother is intitled to the benefit of the provisions of the Pension cut on proving her marriage satisfactory at the Pension office of the board of war".

I Jacob Stout [illegible] do certify and make known to whom it may concern, that according to register of my birth I was born an the fifty day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty seven, in Little Creek Hundred, Kent County and State of Delaware at Little village on Duck Creek called Fast Landing but since changed to Leipsic; distant about six mile from Dover the seat of government that from child hood till grown up, I resided at said village and was intimate with the children of Daniel Durborow, went to school with them and grew up with them, that about this period two strangers came to the village and opened a store of merchandize, the one Enock Wills, the other Martin Roberts - they continued in trade till Wills married a Miss Lacky and Roberts married Elizabeth Durborow daughter of Daniel Durborow aforementioned. Miss E. Durborow was entitled in fee to a farm and tract of land which she and her husband sold and conveyed the same by Deed of [illegible] and sale, and removed to the south. Ms Roberts gave birth to one or two children before their removal. This marriage can be as well established as any other marriage can be that took place fifty years ago. [Illegible] commission be sent here under the advice of the Hon'r Thomas Clayton Sr. in Congress from this State, (who is acquainted with me and my hand writing) the marriage will be established beyond a doubt, I refer to my sisters Sarah Cowgill and Martha Cowgill both widows, and to John Husbans the elder, all three of whom are known to [illegible] Th. Clayton and will, I am sure, vouch for their credibility. It is true, I have had no opportunity of a communication with my sisters or Mr. Husbans, but I have an unshaken confidence that they will testify as to the marriage of Martin Roberts and Elizabeth Durborow, who more than forty years since removed from Delaware to the south:

Very Respectfully,

Jacob Stout

John Husbans on this eleventh day of March 1839 personally appeared before Thos.

Stevinson one of the Justices of the Peace for Kent County in the State of Delaware and makes Solemn oath that what is contained in the foregoing Deposition which has been sworn and subscribed to by Jacob Stout Esq. is Just and true as at one Stated - Sworn and subscribed the eleventh day of March A. D. 1839 before Thos. Stevinson Just. P. John Husbands

Martha Cowgill on this eleventh day of March 1839 personally appeared before Thos. Stevinson one of the Justices of the Peace in & for Kent County & State of Delaware and makes solemn affirmation that what is contained in the forgoing Deposition as it relates to Martin Roberts) which has been sworn and subscribed to by Jacob Stout Esq. is Just and true as afore stated - Affirmed and subscribed the eleventh day of March A. D. 1839 before Thos. Stevinson Jus. P. Martha Cowgill

To whom it may concern

The undersigned Jacob Stout of Kent County in the State of Delaware deposeeth and saith that according to the register of his birth he was born on the fifth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty seven (1767) at Fast Landing, now called Leipsic, in Little Creek Hundred in the County and State aforesaid. That from his earliest recollection he remembers and was well acquainted & with the children of Daniel Durborow, a near neighbor and went to school with them. That Elizabeth, one of the daughters of the aforementioned Daniel Durborow, on or about the year seventeen hundred and eighty seven intermarried with a certain Martin Roberts who, with a certain Enoch Wells, both having served in the Revolutionary army, opened a store at Fast Landing aforesaid, and carried on merchandizing for may years Elizabeth Durborow was entitled in fee to a farm and tract of land, which she and her husband, Martin Roberts, sold and conveyed to John Ringold Esquire and Jeremiah Rees both now dead, and afterward removed to the south, but where this deponent doth not know, taking with them one or more children, the number this deponent does not remember. This deponent and his sisters, lived in the interchange of civitches [sic] and good offices with Martin Roberts and his wife Elizabeth, from the time of their marriage to their removal to the south - This deponent thinks and believes, that his sister Martha Cowgell a widow and her friend John Husbands, tho he has had no opportunity of conversing with either of them, about the marriage of the aforementioned Elizabeth Durborow and Martin Roberts, can and will confirm this deponents testimony, of the marriage aforesaid. In Testimony whereof this Deponent has hereto subscribed his name the eleventh day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine, 1839. Jacob Stout

Sworn and subscribed before me the undersigned one of the Justices of the Peace in and for Kent County in the State of Delaware the 11th March 1839 Thos. Stevinson Jus. P.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Second Comptroller's Office,
Feb'y 4th, 1842

Sir:

Under the date of the 6th of April, 1838, entitled [illegible] act directing the transfer of money remaining unclaimed by certain Pensioners, and authorizing the payment of the same at the treasury of the United States, The child'n of Elizabeth Roberts, decsd a Pensioner on the Roll of the N. Carolina Agency, at the rate of Eighty Dollars and—cent per annum, under the law of the 7th July 1838, has been paid at this Department, from the 4th of September to the 19th October 1840.

Respectfully yours,
Albion K. Parris, Comptroller,
To the Commissioner of Pensions, Present.

[10 April 1854]

State of North Carolina, Cleveland County

Personally appeared before the undersigned one of the acting Justices of the peace in and for said County and state aforesaid, Joseph Hardin & John Borders - Residents of said County and after being duly sworn, according to law. Saith on their oath, that they were personally well acquainted with Martin Roberts who was a resident of Rutherford County now Cleveland County, in the state of North Carolina. Who was a Revolutionary pensioner, that he Died in said County, on the 30th Day of October 1834, as doth appear from Record and the Dates engraved on his tomb stone: That they were also well acquainted with Elizabeth Roberts, his widow, that she died on the 19th day of October, 1840 as doth also appear from the said Records, that they are well acquainted with the children of the said Martin & Elizabeth Roberts: That they are the only surviving Children of the said Martin & Elizabeth Roberts. The Deponents further saith, that they are in no way interested - J. Hardin, John Borders

Sworn to and subscribed this 10th day of April 1854 Before - Attest J. R. Logan J.P.

State of North Carolina, Cleveland County

I J. R. Logan the Magistrate before named the above affidavit was made do hereby certify that Joseph Hardin & John Borders - are both men of good Character & men of truth, given under my hand this 10th day of April 1854

J. R. Logan J.P.

33.239 District Columbia

Martin Roberts of Cleveland County in the State of N.C. who was a Forage Master in the Revolution for two years.

Inscribed on the Roll of Asheville at the rate of 600 Dollars 00 cents per annum. to commence on the 4th day of March, 1831. End. 30th October 1834.

Certificate of Pension issued the 10th day of May 1854 and sent to A. H. Markland Arrear to the 4th of Semi annu. allowance ending Dedicating former payee under Act 18 March to \$96 per annum. Recorded by [illegible] Book C. Vol. 6

Noah Roberts 19 June 1854-17 Aug 1854 Transferred from beginning to Washington D. C.
A. H. Markland Atto.

State of North Carolina

Cleveland County

On This 5th day of September one Thousand Eight Hundred and fifty four. personally appeared before the Court of pleas and quarter sessions of said County and State aforesaid now setting John Roberts, a resident of said County and state aforesaid: Who brings first [illegible]. Doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provisions made by the Act of Congress passed July 7th 1838 granting pensions to certain widows of officers and soldiers who served in the war of the Revolution: That he is the son and one of the Heirs at law of Elizabeth Roberts who was the widow of Martin Roberts. Who was a private soldier and served sum two years in the Virginia Continental line and after the expiration of which service, he joined the staff and served under General Rakin as quarter master or forage master. for two three or four years untill the end of the war - as deponent, has heard his said father Martin Roberts often say, that the said Martin Roberts was allowed a pension in his lifetime, under the Act of March 1818: at [?] six dollars per annum, for his first service in said Revolutionary War, as a private in the Virginia line The said Martin Roberts died on the 30th day of October 1834, before he ever availed himself of the benefit of the provisions made by the Act of Congress of the 7 June 1832: that deponent together with his other Brothers has recently claimed the benefit of the Act of 7th June 1832 and it has been allowed and a certificate of pension issued render said Act in right of the said Martin Roberts for six hundred dollars per annum: Having lately procured the evidence of my said Fathers services that entitled him to the benefit of the said Act of 7 June 1832 at a grate deal of expense and trouble, that deponents Mother the aforesaid Elizabeth Roberts widow of the said Martin Roberts, did in her lifetime apply for and obtain, a pension under the aforesaid Act of Congress of the 7 July 1838 for the services of her said Husband Martin Roberts: as a private in the Virginia line. No evidence of her Husbands other services having been then filed Deponent makes this Declaration claiming an increase of pension for as in right of his said Mother Elizabeth Roberts; which she was entitled to at the time of her first application did not have been prepared with the Evidence now on file in the pension office. All of which evidence deponent now claims the benefit of and asks for an increase of pension in right of his said Mother Elizabeth Roberts from the 4th of March 1836 to the 19th day of October 1840 the day of her death this deponent asks in right of himself and his other Brothers towit James Roberts & Noah Roberts the surviving children of the said Martin & Elizabeth Roberts -

John Roberts

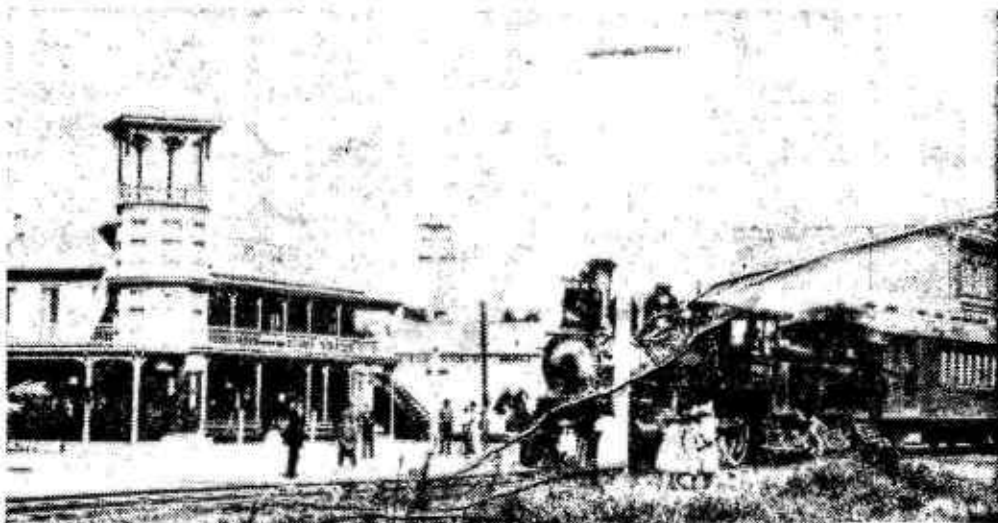
Sworn to and subscribed on the day and year above written Before

Sources: Martin and Elizabeth Durborow Roberts Pensions
Rutherford County North Carolina Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions

ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA
GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Orange Co. News Jan 24 1965

Long Beach's First



—Photo Courtesy Security First National Bank

When first Long Beach city councilmen convened some 67 years ago, the Tower Building, above, at Ocean and Pacific, housed their deliberations.

Council Met Here

By Maymie R. Krythe

WHEN THE first Long Beach City Council held its first meeting on Jan. 30, 1888—67 years ago next Saturday—in the Tower Building, Ocean Boulevard and Pacific Avenue, civic history was made.

By a vote of 103 to 3, residents had voted to incorporate as a sixth-class city.

Five men were chosen as trustees: Thomas Stovall, John Roberts, I. D. Fetterman, George W. Bixby and M. H. LaFetra.

W. H. Nash was elected city clerk and W. W. Lowe, treasurer. H. A. Davies held two offices—town marshal and tax collector.

At the first meeting, the trustees chose John Roberts as president or mayor. And the trustees passed an ordinance prohibiting "saloons, gambling houses or other establishments dangerous to public health and safety."

LONG BEACH'S boundaries at the time were Hill Street on the north, the San Gabriel River on the west; Alamitos Avenue (boundary between Rancho Los Cerritos and Los Alamitos) on the east, and of course the ocean on the south.

Property valuation was \$819,801, and the council expected to get \$4,099 in taxes. However, many property owners could not be found, so more than 400 pieces of land were sold for taxes.

The council met twice each month to attend to city business. One of the first items of business was to set license fees, payable every three months, such as: banks, \$15; butchers, \$3; meat peddlers, \$10; under-

takers, \$5; manufacturers of gas or electricity, \$10; railroads, \$25; water companies, \$15; livery stables, \$5.

JOHN ROBERTS served Long Beach five years as mayor, 10 years as councilman. According to a contemporary, he was "an energetic force in shaping the early history of our community."

A native of Ohio, he also had lived in Iowa and Nebraska, before arriving here in May 1884, when the village contained 17 cottages.

In 1889, John Roberts opened a lumber yard at Third Street and Pine Avenue. He was a charter member of the Masonic Lodge organized here in 1896.

Although that initial meeting of the City Council started Long Beach's life as an incorporated city, considerable groundwork had been laid.

WILLIAM E. Willmore started it as Willmore City in 1882, but his far-seeing plan did not materialize as he had hoped. So, in 1884, he had to give up his option on the land. Then the Long Beach Land and Water Co. took over, succeeded in 1887 by the Long Beach De-

velopment Co. By 1884, the name had been changed to Long Beach.

M. H. LaFetra was the first superintendent of the Long Beach Land and Water Co., which issued a booklet of rules for the government of the community.

One important rule was that all buildings were to be set back at least 50 feet from the front of the lot, in order not to obstruct the view of other property owners. Another rule provided that palm trees should be set out seven feet from the front of each lot—a palm tree for every 25 feet of frontage.

THE LAND and Water Co. passed Long Beach's first parking regulation: "No conveyance or animals will be allowed to occupy the streets, or Ocean Avenue, for temporary or permanent camping or stopping purposes west of Locust."

Another strongly-worded company admonition applied to beach wear: "No objectionable or inappropriate bathing suits will be allowed under any circumstances, and all attempts to use such will be promptly punished under the original laws of this state."

ROBERTS FAMILY BIBLE

GENE WALKERS SEEKING INFORMATION ABOUT ANTIQUE BIBLE PRINTED IN 1851. Mr. and Mrs. Gene Walker of 2406 Clay Avenue are trying to locate anyone who knows the background of an old Bible that Mr. Walker purchased last summer at a local antique store. The Bible was printed in 1851. The old book apparently is a family heirloom, judging from the pressed flowers found between the pages and the family records of births, deaths and marriages. So far the Walkers have little to go on. One clue is a letter written in Memphis, Tenn., in 1857, from C. W. Roberts to his wife.

The records section, among other events, mentions the marriage of Miss Missouri Roberts to Herziciah Culwell on Oct. 21, 1858, and the death of Culwell on May 22, 1862, while he was stationed with the Army in Canton, Miss.

Walker spotted the old Bible last May in Charles Smith's Den of Antiquity at 112 South Fourth Street. It was printed by the American Bible Society of New York, and the date inside the cover is 1851. Smith said he cannot remember where he got the Bible, but that it could have come from a number of sources. Anyone with any information about the Bible may call the Walker's landlady, Mrs. Cleo Crawford, at Plaza 4-8492.

Written on the first page of the old book, apparently with an old quill pen, is the following: "This Book is the Property of Zachariah Roberts, bought from the Bible Society Feb. 26th (the year is torn off). Price \$2.00." Walker said he paid \$4 for the book.

After buying the book, Walker took it to the home of his girl-friend (now his wife), Miss Darlene Stewart, at Route 3, Waco. They looked through the book together, and one of the first things that caught their eyes was two old negatives inside the leaves. Miss Stewart had the old negatives developed, and the result was a fuzzy picture of an elderly white-haired woman sitting on what appears to be a front porch, surrounded by flowers. The appears to be brick, but there is no indication in what town or even what state the picture was made. Likewise, the main problem facing the Walkers in trying to determine the original owners of the Bible is where the family lived.

The only references in the book to cities are the ones to Memphis, Tenn., and Canton, Miss. Other names mentioned are Martha Adatine Roberts, daughter of Zachariah and Naomi Roberts; Mary Ann Roberts; Martha Adatine's sisters; Jacob and Patsy Roberts; Andrew and Elizabeth McKinney; and others.

Most of the dates of birth are in the early 1880s, and the signatures of Missouri Roberts and J. W. Roberts appear in pencil on the back cover. Mrs. Walker said her husband "just saw the Bible and wanted it" in the antique shop. She said he is "really proud of it."

Mrs. Cleo Crawford of 2408 Clay, the Walker's landlady, said she jokingly offered Walker \$100 for the book and he wouldn't take it. Mrs. Walker said if she and her husband can locate a descendant of the family that originally owned the Bible they would consider selling or giving the book back to them. But first they must locate this person, or persons, and that may be hard to do.

— The Waco News-Tribune Thursday, Feb. 13, 1964

The Family records from this Bible were copied May 1964 by Mrs. L. E. Montgomery.

2722 Cumberland Avenue, Waco, Texas (a member of CTGS), and these data are presented as follows:

NEW YORK AMERICAN BIBLE SOCIETY 1851

This Book is the Property of Zachariah Roberts bought from the Bible Society Feb. 26, 1--- (date torn off). Price \$2.00

The Holy Bible containing the Old and New Testaments translated out of the Original Tongues and with the Former Translations Diligently Compared & Revised.

New York American Bible Society Instituted in the Year MDCCCXVI 1851

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MARRIAGES

Zachariah Roberts was married to Miss Naomi McKinney on the 3rd day of February 1831

Harriet Roberts was married on the (blank)

Charles Whitefield Roberts was married to Miss Delilah Fair Adamson on the 8th of March 1857

Missouri Roberts was married on the 21st of October 1858 to Mrs. (?) Heziciah Culwell

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BIRTHS

Zachariah & Naomi Roberts was married February 3, 1831

Martha Adeline Roberts, Daughter of Zachariah & Naomi Roberts his wife, was married to Christopher Cearcy June 20, 1851

Zachariah Roberts grandchildren:

Charles W. Roberts children:

Mary Adeline was borned December 31, 1857

Zachariah Taylor was borned April 16, 1860

Jesse Earl Eugene was borned September 21, 1862

Missouri Culwell's children:

Amanda Adeline was borned August the 24th 1859

Mary Ellen was borned September 21, 1860

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BIRTHS

Zachariah Roberts, son of Jacob Roberts & Patsey his wife, was born May the 21st, 1811

Naomi Roberts, Daughter of Andrew & Elizabeth McKinney, was born June the 3rd, 1809

Martha Adaline Roberts, Daughter of Zachariah Roberts and Naomi his wife, was born November the 25th, 1831.

Mary Ann Roberts, Daughter of Zachariah & Naomi Roberts, was born Jan. 8th, 1834

(written in pencil):

John W. Roberts, Son of Josiah and Mary Roberts was born February 2nd, 1830 (could be 1835 or 1838) in East X S.C.

(second column)

Charles Whitfield Roberts, son of Zachariah & Naomi Roberts his wife, was born the 21st day of May, 1836.

Missouri Roberts, Daughter of Zachariah & Naomi Roberts his wife, was born Sept. 3, 1842.

Harraet Roberts, Daughter of Zachariah & Naomi Roberts his wife, was born June 30, 1848.

(Page 4 of records, first column) DEATHS

Zachariah Roberts Died May 10, 1861 he died in full hope of the glory of our Lord.

Naomi Roberts, wife of Zachariah Roberts, died May 6, 1867

(second column)

Herzicia Culwell Died in the Army on the 22nd Day of May A. D. 1862 at Canton, Mississippi, he told his friends that he was going to Heaven.

(written in pencil)

Mary Elen Culwell, Daughter of H. & M. Culwell died April last day A.D. 1863.

The Lord Gives and the Lord taketh away So Blessed be the name.

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THE GILA TRAIL

(The Texas Argonauts and the California Gold Rush)

The title refers to a document by Benjamin Butler Harris, published in 1960 by the University of Oklahoma Press, Norman, Oklahoma. This book is a gift to CTGS by one of our members, Mrs. Francis A. McKee, 772 West 9th Street, Claremont, California, 91711. The appendix, on page 163 of this document, lists the known 53 members of the Duval party, one of the earliest emigrant parties to head for California's gold mines from Texas. They began the trip in January, 1849, only one month after word reached Washington, D.C. that gold had been discovered in California. They reached the Mother Lode mines on September 29, 1849.

The known 53 members of the Duval party, as they appear in the appendix of this book, are listed as follows:

ARNETT, Dr. William

ARNOTT, John Francis

AYERS, John

AYERS, William

BARBER, E. D.

BEARD, Pat ("J. P. Beard of Shelbyville,
Texas", in the Rancho del Chino
Record Book, 1849)

BEARD, Walter

BITTICK, Joseph

BRAZELTON, John

BURNHAM, David

CONEY (COONEY), Alex

COWARD, _____

DAVIS, E. L.

DAVIS, John

DUVAL, Isaac H.*

EDWARDS, Thomas C.

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SUPPLEMENT D

FINGERS, Lewis
GARNER, _____
GIBBS, William ("L. D. Gibbs", in the
Rancho del Chino Record Book, 1849)
GOODWIN, Jess
GOODWIN, Matt
HALL, Lucian
HAMMOCK, William
HARRIS, Benjamin Butler
JOHNSON, _____
KELLY, James T.
KELLY, William ("John W. Kelly", in the
Rancho del Chino Record Book)
LEE, Ballard
LOVEALL, Drury G.
MESSEC, I. G.
MURPHY, _____
NICHOLSON, Pete
OWEN, William

PARKER, Ford
PARNALL, Dr. Joseph
PARRY, Samuel M.
PATTERSON, Ferdinand
PRIGMORE, Joseph
RAMSAY, Samuel
ROBINSON, _____
ROLFE, C. H.
SELBY, John
SHADER, J. F.
SMITH, Jack W.
SMITH, Captain James
STONG, _____
SULLIVAN, James
SULLIVAN, Jeremiah
SUTHERLAND, Nacitosh
TUCKER, Caje
TUCKER, Dick
WATTS, John
WILLIAMS, James

*Isaac Harding DUVAL, born 1 September 1824 at Wellsburg, Virginia; appointed
by President Polk to treat with the Indians of Texas in 1847, page 11.



Roberts

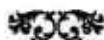
ROBERTS
Family Records

"I have ever had a pleasure in obtaining any little anecdotes of my ancestors."—
Benjamin Franklin.

*"He only deserves to be remembered by posterity who treasures up and preserves
the history of his ancestors."—Edmund Burke.*

Roberts Family Records

By
J. MONTGOMERY SEAVER



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British Army



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BATTLE HYMN OF THE ROBERTS

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A Norman was the ancient sire of all the Roberts Tribe;
His seed was sown in England where they greatly multiplied;
The Roberts are all loyal to their faith and family pride!
The clan goes marching on!

Chorus: Glory to the Tribe Robertus!
Glory to the name of Roberts!
Glory to our grand old family!
The clan goes marching on!

William, Stephen, Thomas, John, were fathers of our clan;
Posterity of Samuel and Barnabas never ran.
Cadwalader was virile, Edward was a sturdy man.
The clan goes marching on!

John-athan signed a document which made a nation great;
Albert served the people in a grand old southern state;
George, at Stone River, facing danger, didn't hesitate.
The clan goes marching on!

We like the name Robertus, there is music in the word;
What made our name so famous and throughout the world adored?
Samuel did it with the pen, Lord Roberts with the sword.
The clan goes marching on!

The Roberts hail from England, Scotland and the Emerald Isle;
We love our British cousins in that good old Saxon style;
Blood's thicker than the water separating us awhile.
The clan goes marching on!

The Roberts all are loyal to the good old U. S. A.
We love the flag of freedom and will follow it for aye.
The Roberts do their duty and they never run away.
The clan goes marching on!

The Roberts sons are faithful, Roberts daughters true and sweet;
More noble sires and mothers you could never hope to meet.
The stories of their lives and deeds with pleasure we repeat.
The clan goes marching on!

We must prove worthy of our place on Roberts Family Tree.
Let Roberts standards with the highest in the world agree.
We owe a duty to the generations yet to be.
The clan goes marching on!

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(A) INTRODUCTION

HE Roberts Family is among the forty-nine "best families" selected by the American Historical-Genealogical Society for whom the Society has published family histories during the past few years.

The Roberts Family has been prominent in the British Empire and in the United States, its members having played important roles in war and in peace. Family pride is a commendable trait and should be cultivated. All Roberts have just cause to be proud of their family history and traditions.

In references No. 10, No. 7 and No. 14 we find the following regarding the origin and meaning of the name Roberts:

The surname "Roberts," like "Robarts" and "Robins," is derived from "Robert"—a name which has held its place against all counter influences from the moment which first brought it into public favor. It was also exceedingly popular in its shortened forms, "Hob" and "Dob," which gave us "Dobbs," "Hopkins" and many others. It is a Teutonic personal name of great antiquity, introduced into England at the time of the Conquest, and frequently found in Domesday Book as "Rotbertus."

The influence of the name was enormous, as the number of persons bearing surnames derived from it amply testify.

The data in this volume is gathered from reliable sources. We have selected what we consider the most important material. Many of the daughters, and sons for whom no issue was shown, have been omitted from the pedigrees. A missing symbol indicates that a name has been omitted. Those desiring further information are advised to consult the volumes mentioned in the list of References.

The compiler hopes that, in producing this volume, he is bringing to the Roberts Family information which will be of interest and value to them, and that he is rendering an important service to the public. He and his associates will be glad to give their co-operation to members of the family who are interested in having a complete genealogy of the family published.

Unless otherwise plainly shown, the persons in this volume whose names are accompanied by three figures are children of the immediately preceding persons bearing immediately preceding numbers. All persons in each group bearing the same letter as a part of their numbers are directly related. The generations of the descendants of those bearing numbers of three figures are represented as follows. However, some of our material is published as copied from various records without rearrangement according to this system.

Generations	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th
Symbols	(1), etc.	(A), etc.	(a), etc.	1, etc.	A, etc.
Generations	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Symbols	a, etc.	(I), etc.	(i), etc.	I, etc.	i, etc.

Abbreviations: add., address; b., born; ch., children; coll., college; d., died; d. y., died young; d. w. i., died without issue; dau., daughter; grad., graduated; l., lives, lived; m., married; moved; s., son, succeeded; d. s. p., died without issue; d. v. p., died before father; univ., university.


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(B) THE ROBERTS COAT OF ARMS



COAT of Arms is an emblem or a device which is displayed by titled persons, persons of royal blood, and their descendants. Coats of Arms were originally used for purposes of identification and recognition on the field of battle as well as in civil life.

It is claimed by some writers that Coats of Arms, in a crude form, were used by Noah's sons after the flood. There are records of other Coats of Arms, in one crude form or another, at different periods of ancient history. Heraldry, however, as we know it today, did not become of much importance until soon after the invasion of England by William the Conqueror, A. D. 1066. Heraldry became of general interest at about the time of the Crusades.

The Roberts Coat of Arms shown in the front of this volume is the Arms of the Roberts of Cornwall; Parnstaple, Devonshire; Twickenham, Middlesex; and, with slight variations, of the Roberts of Lanhyderock, Cornwall, and the Roberts, Earls of Radnor. Authorities all agree that it was granted by Camden, King of Arms, in 1614. Coats of Arms very similar to it are used by Roberts, formerly of City of Waterford, and by other Roberts families of Wales, Ireland and England. Numerous other branches of the family have arms resembling it.

This is the most widely used of all Roberts Coats of Arms. It is described in BURKE'S GENERAL ARMORY, BURKE'S LANDED GENTRY, BURKE'S PEERAGE AND BARONETAGE, Guillim's HERALDRY DISPLAYED and other reliable works on heraldry, in some cases accompanied by illustrations and pedigrees. It has been used for generations by many American branches of the Roberts family.

	HERALDIC LANGUAGE	ENGLISH DESCRIPTION
<i>Arms</i>	Azure, three estoiles and a chief, wavy, or.	A blue shield on which are three star-shaped figures below a wavy band, all gold.
<i>Crest</i>	A lion, rampant, or, holding a sword, wavy, erect, argent, pommel and hilt of the first.	A golden lion rampant, holding erect a silver sword with pommel and hilt of gold.
<i>Motto</i>	Quae supra (Latin)	Which things are above.

In the Washington Memorial Chapel at Valley Forge this Coat of Arms is carved upon the choir stall which commemorates the Pennsylvania regiments in the brigade at one time commanded by General Conway. It was given by Miss Frances A. Roberts, in memory of Elizabeth Cuthbert Roberts, 2nd, and her ancestor, John Roberts. Below the family arms is this inscription:

IN MEMORIAM
 ELIZABETH CUTHBERT ROBERTS, 2ND
 JUNE 20TH, 1832-MARCH 25TH, 1916
 DIRECT DESCENDANT OF JOHN ROBERTS, OF CAERNARVONSHIRE, NORTH
 WALES, WHO CAME TO THIS COUNTRY IN 1683 AND SETTLED IN
 MERION ON THE SITE OF THE PRESENT ROBERTS'
 HOMESTEAD, PENCOYD.

Sir Bernard Burke, of Heralds College, London, said: "Heraldry is prized by all who can show honorable ancestry or wish to found honorable families."

Besides its family significance this Coat of Arms makes an excellent mural decoration and inspires the admiration and comment of all who see it.

It is quite appropriate that members of the Roberts family who have a pride in their ancestry should display the family Coat of Arms, in proper colors.

(C) ANCIENT ROBERTS FAMILIES

THE following titled Roberts families are listed in "BURKE'S GENERAL ARMORY": Glassenbury, co. Kent (two families); Borzell, Ticehurst and Stonehouse, co. Sussex; Drybridge, co. Monmouth, and Stourbridge, co. Worcester; Comb Martin, co. Devon; Sutton Cheveil, co. Leicester; co. Leicester, Francis Roberts, Esq.; Willesden, co. Middlesex, bart., 1700; Stepney, co. Middlesex; Bristol, Westerly, co. Gloucester; Beechfield, Bromley, co. Kent; Llangedwin, co. Montgomery; co. Kent; cos. Lincoln and Worcester, and London; Bow, co. Middlesex; co. Cornwall, and Twickenham, co. Middlesex; Barnstaple, co. Devon; Milford Haven, co. Pembroke; Liskeard, co. Cornwall; Coeddu, co. Flint; cos. Salop and Somerset; Wales; Field House, co. Worcester; Crompton-Roberts, Sunnyside, Regent's Park, London; Corfton Manor, co. Salop; Ombersley, co. Worcester, Camberwell, co. Surrey and Seedley, co. Lancaster; Brightfieldstown, co. Cork, bart; Kilmoney Abbey, co. Cork; Ulster King of Arms, William Roberts, Esq.; Gen. Sir Abraham Roberts; Dormstown Castle, co. Meath.

Atkin-Roberts of Glassenbury Park

- A101 ROOKHURST or ROBERTS: left native shire of Annandale, in Scotland, 3 Henry I (1103); settled in parish of Goudhurst, co. Kent, having purchased lands at Winchett Hall where the family continued to reside for 274 years. From him was descended
- A102 STEPHEN ROOKHURST or ROBERTS: m., temp. Richard II (about 1377), Joan (dau. and heiress of Wm. Tilley, of Glassenbury). This mansion inherited by his lineal descendant,
- A103 WALTER ROBERTS: temp. Edward IV (about 1461); pulled down ancient seat and built another lower down the valley, being the present seat of Glassenbury. From him was descended
- A104 SIR THOMAS ROBERTS: knt., of Glassenbury; created bart., 1620.
- A105 SIR WALTER ROBERTS: 6th bart. of Glassenbury; had a dau. and co-heir
- A106 JANE: m., 1732, George, 3rd Duke of St. Albans, who d. s. p. 1786; de-

vised property of Glassenbury to 2d son of Thomas Robert (A107 below), of Britfieldstown, if he should have one, or in default, to his eldest dau.; d. 1778.

- A107 SIR THOMAS ROBERTS (See, B115): bart., of Britfieldstown (3d in descent from Randal Roberts, son Rev. Thos. Roberts, Chancellor of Cork, who have the Glassenbury Arms, as is proved by the seal attached to his will); created a bart., 1809; m. (1), 1765, Amy Johnson; m. (2), 1806, Ann Walton; d. 1817; had with other issue,
 (1) Walter (Sir): 2nd Bart., ancestor of Sir Howland Roberts, Bart.
 (2) Thomas Walton: of whom presently—A108.
 (3) Martha: s. in 1778 to Glassenbury under Duchess of St. Albans' will, until estate was vested in Thomas Walton Roberts, her half brother; m. John Cramer, who assumed additional name of Roberts by Royal License.
 (4) Georgiana: m., 1826, John Drew Atkin, of Ballymore, co. Cork, and Castle Park, co. Dublin; d. 1873.
 (A) Walter Roberts: Barrister-at-Law; b. 1824.
 (B) John Roberts: late of Glassenbury—A109.
 (C) Walton Thomas Roberts: Maj. Royal Antrim Art.; 1845-1897; m. 1875, Margaret Cornwall; issue.
- A108 THOMAS WALTON ROBERTS [A107—(2)]: s. to Glassenbury under will of Duchess of St. Albans; d. s. p., 1882; devised estates to nephew.
- A109 MAJOR JOHN ROBERTS ATKIN-ROBERTS [A107-(4)-(B)]: of Glassenbury Park, Kent; Reserve of Officers; Commissioner for Income and Land Tax; Judicial Authority under Lunacy Act, 1890, and Visiting Justice thereunder for co. Kent; assumed additional name and arms of Roberts, by Royal License, 1882, on s. to property, in accordance with uncle's will; 1843-1913; m. 1875, Marianne Gertrude Fox.
 (1) Malcolm Roberts: now of Glassenbury Park—A110.
 (2) Jane Walton: m. 1911, Baron Francis Nicholas Rudolph Herman Frederick Theodor Christian von Nettelbladt, of Chateau de Zel, Flanders.
- A110 MALCOLM ROBERTS ATKIN-ROBERTS: of Glassenbury Park, Kent; b. 1876.

Roberts of Glassenbury

- B111 REV. THOMAS ROBERTS: D.D., of Brightfieldstown and Ballyfoyle, co. Cork; J. P. 1663; went to Ireland temp. Charles I; name appears in the Particular Book of Trinity Coll., Dublin, from Dec., 1637, to Feb., 1638; rector of St. John of Jerusalem and of St. Nicholas, 1639; Chancellor of the Diocese of Cork, 1661; b. 1590; d. 1664; m. (1), Eliz. Neville; m. (2), 1654, Dorothy Boyle (Turner); purchased lands in co. Waterford, 1662.
 (1) Francis: J. P.; lieut.-col. of horse; 1644-1696; m. 1668, Anne Bustead; fled to Bristol 1689; was attained, but returned to Cork.
 (2) Thomas.
 (3) Randal—B112.
- B112 RANDAL: of Brightfieldstown; m., 1671, Hannah Bustead; d. 1719; will sealed with arms of Sir Thomas Roberts, Knt., Bart. of Glassenbury.
 (1) Thomas—B113.
 (2) Francis: of Castlepart, co. Cork; d. s. p.; will dated 1707.

- (3) John: B. A., Trin. Coll., Dublin, 1710; b. 1688; m. 1714, Catherine Chudleigh.
 (A) Michael: d. s. p., 1731.
- (4) Michael: of Glanworth, co. Cork; d. s. p., 1742.
- (5) Hodder: ancestor of Roberts of Kilmoney Abbey.
- (6) Randal (Rev.): B. A., Trin. Coll., Dublin, 1715; M. A., 1718; b. 1694; d. s. p.; will dated 1753.
- B113 THOMAS: of Brightfieldstown; b. 1674; m., 1698, Jane Hodder.
- B114 RANDAL: of Brightfieldstown; to whom Wm. Hawkins, Ulster King of Arms, 1775, allowed the arms above mentioned appearing on the seal of his grandfather, as lawfully descended in a direct line from Sir Thos. Roberts, of Glassenbury, Kent, Knt. and Bart.; b. 1704; m. 1734, Martha Westropp.
- B115 SIR THOMAS: (See A107); 1st Bart.; of Brightfieldstown; created bart., 1809; 1738-1817; m. (1), 1765, Amy Johnson; m. (2), 1806, Ann Walton.
- (1) Thomas: b. 1771; d. y.
- (2) William: b. 1773; d. s. p.
- (3) Walter (Sir): 2nd Bart.—B116.
- (4) Randal Howland: d. s. p., 1801.
- (5) Thomas Walton—[See A108].
- (6) Martha—[See A107—(3)].
- (7) Georgiana—[See A107—(4)].
- B116 SIR WALTER: 2nd Bart.; High Sheriff, co. Devon, 1817; 1776-1828; m. 1800, Catherine Hodgson Gilbert (descended from Adm. Sir Humphrey Gilbert, temp. Elizabeth, half brother of Sir Walter Raleigh).
- (1) Thomas Howland (Sir): 3rd Bart.—B117.
- (2) Edmund Gilbert (Rev.): B. D.; rector of Paul's Cray, Kent, and Glanville Wootton, Dorset; 1810-1856; m. 1836, Eliz. Anna Joyce.
- (A) Thomas Langdon: capt. London Irish Rifles; 1840-1904; m. 1862, Emily Moor; d. s. p.
- (B) Herbert: b. 1847.
- B117 SIR THOMAS HOWLAND: 3rd Bart.; 1804-1864; High Sheriff, co. Cork, 1837; m. (1), 1834, Eliza Caroline Maitland; m. (2), 1842, Anne Elliott Langdon.
- (1) Randal Howland (Sir): 4th Bart.—B118.
- (2) Howland (Sir): 5th Bart.—B119.
- (3) Walworth Howland (Sir): Knt. Bach. (1921); C. B. E. (1920); late judge of the Marylebone County Court; member of the Standing County Courts Rules Committee; J. P. Staffordshire; sometime an examiner of the Court; revising barrister for Middlesex; one of chairmen on Committee of Production, 1918-19; set from Bench, 1921; 1922, appointed standing arbitrator under Ministry of Transport Act; formerly lieut. London Irish Rifles; b. 1855; m., 1890, Katherine Thomson.
- (A) Walter St. Clair Howland: M. C.; B. A.; educated at Winchester and B. N. C., Oxford; lieut. R. F. A.; Foreign Office; H. M. Diplomatic Service; b. 1893.
- B118 SIR RANDAL HOWLAND: 4th Bart., late maj. London Irish Vol. Corps.; 1837-1899; m., 1858, Eliza Mary Turnbull; s. by half-brother.
- (1) Warton Howland: 1859-1888.
- B119 SIR HOWLAND: 5th Bart., J. P. and D. L., co. London; Hon. Col. 3rd (London Irish) Vol. Batt. Rifle Brigade, V. D.; 1845-1917; m., 1895,

Elizabeth Marie La Roche, of New Jersey.

(1) Thomas Langdon Howland (Sir): 6th and present Bart.—B120.

(2) Gilbert Howland: lieut. R. N., b. 1900; heir presumptive.

B120 SIR THOMAS LANGDON HOWLAND: 6th Bart.; of Glassenbury; lieut. R. F. A.; b. 1898.

Roberts of Ecclesall

C121 SAMUEL ROBERTS: of Stubbin House, Ecclesfield, co. York; 1649-1715; left, with other issue

C122 JACOB: of Bridge House, Sheffield; bapt. 1697; m. 1723, Mary Hogland; had, with other issue,

C123 SAMUEL: of Sheffield; 1732-1799; m. Mary Sykes; the eldest surviving son,

C124 SAMUEL: of Park Grange, Sheffield; 1763-1848; m. 1794, Eliz. Wright; a son and three daus. who d. unm.

C125 SAMUEL: of Queens Tower, Sheffield; M. A. Camb.; J. P. Sheffield and W. Riding, York; 1800-1887; m. (1), 1837, Eliz. Creswick; m. (2), 1841, Sarah Anne Sooley; left with other issue,

C126 THE RT. HON. SIR SAMUEL: 1st Bart., P. C. of Ecclesall, and of Queen's Tower, City of Sheffield, and W. Riding, co. York; Knt.; D. L. and J. P., W. Riding of York; M. P. for Ecclesall Div. of Sheffield since 1902; M. A., Camb.; barrister-at-law Inner Temple; Deputy Chairman W. Riding Quarter Sessions; educated at Repton and Trinity Coll., Camb.; called to the Bar 1877; Lord Mayor of Sheffield, 1900; member of the Royal Commission on the King's Bench Div., 1913; knighted 1917; created a bart., 1919; sworn of the Privy Council of Great Britain, 1922; b. 1852; m., 1880, Martha Susan Blakerey.

(1) Samuel: M. A., LL.B., Camb.; J. P., W. Riding Yorks, and city of Sheffield; Lord Mayor of Sheffield, 1919; M. P. for Hereford since 1921; b. 1882; m. 1906, Gladys Mary Dring.

(A) Samuel: b. 1910.

(B) Peter Geoffrey: b. 1912.

(2) Albert Samuel: lieut. R. G. A.; b. 1885.

(3) Norman Samuel: 1888-1914; m. 1912, Dorothy Sorley; issue.

(4) Alfred Cecil Samuel (Rev.): M. A., Camb.; b. 1890.

(5) Eric Samuel: b. 1893; late lieut. York and Lancs. Regt.

Roberts (Formerly of City of Waterford)

D127 THOMAS ROBERTS: of City of Waterford; m. Sarah Bowles; d. before 1775; s. by only son.

D128 JOHN: of Waterford; an eminent architect; 1712-1796; m. Mary Susannah Santelle, of a French refugee family settled there.

(1) John (Rev.)—D129.

(2) Thomas: 1748-1788.

(3) Samuel: of Waterford; 1758-1834; m. Eliza Bull; issue.

(4) Thomas Santelle: R. I. A.; b. 1760; d. s. p.

(5) George: of Waterford; m. Anne Gooch; d. 1849; issue.

D129 REV. JOHN [D128—(1)]: rector of Kill St. Nicholas, co. Waterford, and Ballymacward, co. Galway; J. P., co. Waterford; provost of the diocese of Kilmacduagh; B. A. Trin. Coll., Dublin; 1745-1815; m. 1771, Anne Sandys.

- (1) John: of Waterford; 1773-1837; m. 1796, Grace Dobbryn; issue.
 - (2) Abraham: b. 1774; d. y.
 - (3) Thomas: Capt. R. N.; 1778-1855; m. 1804, Kath. Hackett; issue.
 - (4) Abraham (Sir):—D130.
 - (5) Samuel (Sir): Knt.; of Belmont, co. Waterford; C. B.; Capt. R. N.; 1785-1848; m., 1818, Rosamund Roberts; d. s. p. s.
- D130 GEN. SIR ABRAHAM: G. C. B.; col. 101st regt.; distinguished Indian commander; served throught first Afghan War; present at Ghuznee; 1784-1873; m. (1), 1820, Frances Isabella Ricketts; m. (2), 1830, Isabella Bunbury (Maxwell).
- (1) George Ricketts: maj.-gen., Bengal, S. C.; 1827-1915; m., 1857, Harriet Roberts; issue.
 - (2) Frederick Sleigh: created Earl Roberts—D131.
- D131 SIR FREDERICK SLEIGH, EARL ROBERTS: 1832-1914; Field Marshal; Comn.-in-Chief in India (1885-93), in Ireland (1895-99), in S. Africa (1899-1900), of the army (1900-1904), Col.-in-Chief of Forces in United Kingdom from oversea dominions and India, 1914; Hon. D. C. L. Oxon, 1881; received many distinguished honors and degrees; special ambassador to courts of Prussia, Saxony, Russia, Turkey, Bulgaria, Roumanian and Servia to announce accession of George V, 1910; Queen's medal with six clasps; C. B. 1872; K. C. B. 1879; G. C. B. 1880; G. C. I. E. 1887; G. C. S. I. 1893; P. C. 1895; K. P. 1897; K. G. 1901; O. M. 1902; created bart. for distinguished services in India, 1881; elevated to peerage as Baron Roberts of Kandahar in Afghanistan, and of the city of Waterford, 1892; in recognition of victories in S. Africa, was created, 1901, Viscount St. Pierre and Earl Roberts of Kandahar, in Afghanistan, Pretoria of Transvaal Colony, and of the City of Waterford; received grant of £100,000 for distinguished services; d. at headquarters of British Army in France; m. 1859, Nora Henrietta Berns, C. I., R. R. C.; baronetcy and barony extinct at his death without male issue; earldom and viscounty devolved upon elder daughter.
- (1) Frederick Henry: b. 1869; d. y.
 - (2) Frederick Hugh Sherston: V. C.; lieut. King's Royal Rifles; served in Waziristan Exped., 1894-95; with Chitral Relief Force, 1895; Nile Exped., 1898 (present at battle of Khartum); S. Africa, 1899; 1872-1899; awarded V. C. after death, for conspicuous bravery at battle of Colenso; d. of wounds received at that battle.
 - (3) Aileen Mary: now Countess Roberts—D132.
 - (4) Ada Edwina Stewart: O. B. E. (1918); (heir presumptive); b. 1875; m., 1913, Brig.-Gen. Henry Fredk. Elliot Lewin.
- (A) Frederick Roberts Alexander: b. 1915.
- D132 COUNTESS ROBERTS (AILEEN MARY ROBERTS): D. B. E., of Kandahar, in Afghanistan, and Pretoria in the Transvaal Colony, and of the City of Waterford, and Viscountess St. Pierre, in the peerage of the United Kingdom; b. 1870; s. father, 1914.

Roberts of Milner Field

- E133 JOSEPH ROBERTS: of the Marsh, Oxenhope, near Keighley, Yorks; father of
- E134 JAMES: of Haworth, Yorks; 1808-1888; m. 1829, Jane Hartley; s. by son,
- E135 SIR JAMES: 1st Bart., of Milnor Field, Bingley, Yorks; J. P.; Chairman

of Sir Titus Salt, Bart., Sons and Co.; b. 1848; created bart., 1909; m. 1873, Elizabeth Foster.

(1) Bertram Foster: 1876-1912; m. 1903, Eliza Gertrude Denby.

(A) James Denby: b. 1904.

(B) William Denby: b. 1909.

(2) Joseph Henry Nicholson: J. P.; b. 1887; m., 1920, Frances Eleanor Partington.

(D) PROMINENT BRITISH ROBERTS, PAST GENERATIONS

BARRE CHARLES ROBERTS: (1789-1810); antiquary; was well versed in antiquaries; began his collection of coins at an early age. His collection was confined to coins of his own country, and it was bought by the British Museum at the cost of £4000. In 1805-06 he learned Spanish and in 1807 printed at Oxford 50 copies of a compendium of Spanish verbs. Not quite twenty, he contributed several articles to periodicals.

DAVID: (1757-1819); lieutenant colonel; served his country admirably; was author of "The Military Adventures of Johnny Newcome," a poem of nearly 3000 lines.

DAVID: (1796-1864); painter; b. near Edinburgh; apprenticed to Beugo, a house painter and decorator, with whom Roberts remained for seven years. In 1822 he was on the permanent staff at the Theater Royal, Edinburgh; also worked in the scene rooms of the Drury Lane and Covent Garden theaters; later visited the Continent and collected sketches, etc.; was A.R.A. in 1839 and R.A. in 1841. Roberts' most pleasing work was that done of western Europe.

EMMA: (1794-1840); author; girlhood was spent with her mother—a woman of some literary pretensions—at Bath; studied at the British Museum; went to India, and her first book was published in 1827; later went to Calcutta, where she devoted herself more closely to literature and journalism, editing and writing for *The Oriental Observer*. She published books, edited a weekly paper and interested herself in a scheme to provide the women of India with suitable employment; had all but completed her investigations, when death ended her work.

FRANCIS: D.D. (1609-1675); Puritan; matriculated at Oxford; took orders, joined the Presbyterian party at the outbreak of the civil war; was presented to the rectory of Wington, Somerset; became a zealous partisan of the Somerset Puritans. On the appointment of Lord Essex as lord lieutenant of Ireland, Roberts was made his chaplain and created D.D. of Dublin while in that office; was a scholarly writer as well as a preacher.

GRIFFITH: (known about 1570); Welsh grammarian; in 1567 he published at Milan a Welsh treatise of grammar (in three parts) of about 300 pages; only two copies are now extant—one of which is in the British Museum.

SIR HENRY GEE: (1800-1860); major general; obtained a cadetship in the East India Company's services in 1818. He is described as an energetic soldier, good in every situation, and because of his valor was recommended to the post and became colonel in 1852, major general two years later. He commanded the northern division of the Bombay army, and the Government, during the mutiny, expressed its sense of the judgment, resolution and self-reliance

with which he acquitted himself of his most arduous duties at that time; received the thanks of Parliament for his services with the medal and clasps for Central India.

JOHN: (1576-1610); Benedictine monk; son of a merchant of ancient descent; educated as a Protestant at Oxford; visited Paris and was there converted to Roman Catholicism; entered the Jesuit College of St. Alban; was sent to England as a missionary; helped to found the house of St. Gregory's, Douay, and became its first prior.

JOHN: (1623 ?-1684); Quaker humorist. Though of humorous disposition, Roberts was always devoutly inclined, and his sympathies were with the Puritans. When George Fox established the Society of Friends, Roberts quickly embraced the Quaker doctrines; as a result, suffered much persecution. He delighted—as shown by his son Daniel's memoirs of him—in smart repartee and in pointed illustration.

JOHN: (1767-1834); Welsh divine; commenced to preach in 1790; later entered the Oswestry Academy and was ordained, 1796, pastor of Llanbrynmoir Church; was noted for his suavity of temper and eminent piety.

JOHN: (1822-1877); Welsh musician, better known as Ienau Grvylt; was only fourteen when chosen leader of his choir; at sixteen became schoolmaster; adopted the name given above when he contributed a musical composition to a Welsh magazine; became, in 1852, assistant editor of the most important Welsh paper of the day, devoted himself to the work with enthusiasm, and by the end of the year the circulation of the paper had nearly doubled; in 1859, under his leadership, was held the first of those musical festivals which became established institutions all over the country. The same year his "tune book" was published he gained immediate popularity. Probably no other musician has left such a deep impression on musical Wales. His chief aim was educational, and of the twenty or so tunes he composed, some half a dozen are still in popular use.

JOSEPH: (1795-1849); missionary; ordained, 1818, as Wesleyan minister; sent by the Wesleyan Missionary Society to Ceylon; corresponding member of the Asiatic Society; applied himself to the study of the Tamil language; made translations, afterwards publishing them; in 1843 was appointed general superintendent of the society's mission in the Madras Presidency and while there edited a work on "Caste—Its Religious and Civil Character."

MARY: (1788-1864); author; daughter of a London merchant; granddaughter of the Quaker botanist Thomas Lawson. In 1790 her parents moved to Painswick, in Gloucestershire, where Mary developed an intense love of nature, to which she soon gave literary expression. Some of her passages in "Annals of My Village" fall little short of the descriptive power of Richard Jeffries, and she was author of many fine books.

PETER: (1760 ?-1819); divine and antiquary. Through the Irish pupils at the grammar school Roberts attended he became acquainted with Dr. Henry Ussher, afterwards professor of astronomy in the University of Dublin, who procured for him admission as a Sizar to that university; after graduation, M.A., remained in Dublin as a private tutor, studying especially Oriental languages and astronomy; devoted most of his life to tutoring, and several of his titled pupils gave him a pension enabling him to devote all of his time to study. The "Cambrian Popular Antiquities," dealing with Welsh rustic customs and superstitions, is his most valuable contribution to letters.

RICHARD: (1789-1864); inventor; as a young man, devoted his leisure time to practical mechanics; in 1816 settled in Manchester and became known as an inventor of great ability; among his early inventions were the screw-cutting lathe and an oscillating and rotating wet gas meter. On the strike of cotton spinners, 1824, the manufacturers induced him to attempt the construction of a self-acting mule, which was perfected the following year. The opening of the Liverpool & Manchester Railroad attracted him to a new field of mechanical invention; devised a steam brake and a system of standard gauges to which all his work was constructed, besides many other inventions; was one of the greatest mechanical inventors of the century.

SAMUEL: (1763-1848); author and pamphleter, known as the "Paupers' Advocate;" at the age of twenty-seven, published his first essay in the local press, being a satire of the then new fashion of hiding the chin in voluminous neck bandages. This was well received, and he was encouraged to follow a literary career, which extended over the remainder of his life. Roberts' leading motive was benevolence, and he never published anything that he was not convinced was favorable to morality and religion, and never published for profit. Author of an immense number of books, pamphlets, broadsheets and contributions to the press.

SAMUEL: (1800-1885); social and political reformer, better known by his initials "S. R." In 1826 became assistant pastor to his father; during this period he gained wide popularity as a writer and a leader of public opinion among the nonconformists of Wales; was a pioneer in Wales of disestablishment; organized a great effort made by Welsh independent churches to pay their chapel debts. His persistent efforts towards reform of the postal system were finally successful; he forwarded Catholic emancipation, abolition of religious tests and church rates, temperance movement, sanitary improvements, etc. Several songs written by Roberts rank among the best Welsh lyrics of the century.

THOMAS: (1749 ?-1794 ?); artist; son of John, architect of town hall and other public buildings in Waterford; exhibited from 1723 with the Society of Artists in the Strand; devoted himself chiefly to parkside landscape, imitating the Dutch foliage penciling with great skill; employed by many of the Irish nobility to depict their country seats; his younger brother Samuel, a landscape painter, followed him to London, where he exhibited at the Royal Academy regularly from 1789 to 1811.

WILLIAM: (1585-1665); bishop of Bangor, whose descent was traced from Edwin, King of Tegeingl; educated at Cambridge; in 1637 became bishop of Bangor; suffered much for his adherence to the King during the civil war.

WILLIAM: (1767-1849); barrister and author; born at Surrey; educated at Oxford. Dr. Cooke, of Corpus Christi College, described him as "the splendid ornament of his college." In 1791 he traveled abroad as a tutor and on his return studied law; turned his attention to literature as a source of income and published many works; was editor of several periodicals. Meanwhile he published some writings on his profession; held several public offices; his "Portraiture of a Christian Gentleman" was exceedingly popular in America as well as in England; very active in charitable and religious work.

WILLIAM HAYWARD: D.D. (d. 1791); poet and Biblical critic; graduated from Cambridge, 1757; an assistant master at Eton; gained his degree of D.D. in 1773; rector of Everdon; provost of Eton College; was one of the King's chaplains for many years. His prose and poems are excellent.

WILLIAM PROWING: (1800-1871); solicitor and trades union advocate; admitted a solicitor in 1828 and practiced at Bath, Manchester and London; was concerned in nearly all the law offices of the trade union; in 1844 was chosen by the Miners' Association of Great Britain and Ireland as their standing legal adviser; was a most able, indefatigable and pertinacious advocate.

(E) PROMINENT BRITISH ROBERTS OF TODAY

ROBERTS: Family name of Baron Clwyd and Countess Roberts.

COUNTESS ROBERTS: cr. 1901; of Kandahar, Pretoria and Waterford;

AILENN MARY ROBERTS: D.B.E., 1918; b. 1870; d. of 1st Earl Roberts. Add.: London.

SIR ALEXANDER FOWLER: K.B.E., cr. 1926; Director, Murray, Roberts & Co., Ltd., Wellington, N. Z.; b. 1882; s. of Sir John; educ., Clare Coll., Cambridge; Commissioner to British Empire Exhibition. Add.: New Zealand.

HON. ALEXANDER WILLIAM: D.Sc., F.R.A.S., F.R.S.E.; Senator in the Union Parliament of South Africa since 1920; b. 1857; appointed to the Staff at Lovedale, S. Africa, 1883; erected a private observatory for the photometric observation of stars. Publications: articles on stellar physics. Add.: Lovedale, South Africa.

VEN. ALFRED: Archdeacon of Potchefstroom, 1891-1914; b. 1853; educ., St. Augustine's Coll., Canterbury. Add.: Pretoria.

ALFRED JABEZ: O.B.E.; b., Norwood, S. A., 1863; educ., Wesley Coll., Victoria; mem. of Stock Exchange. Add.: S. Australia.

ARTHUR: Comedian; b. 1852; clerk; appeared first at Oxford Music Hall (old), 1878. Publications: Adventures of Arthur Roberts, told by Himself; Fifty Years of Spoof.

SIR ARTHUR CORNELIUS: K.B.E., cr. 1917; F.C.A.; practicing as A. C. Roberts, Wright & Co.; Chairman, Financial Board of Control, Air Ministry; b. 1869. Add.: Wimbeldon.

COM. ARTHUR MILLINGTON: D.S.O., 1918; R.N., retired; b. 1886; Naval General Service Medal, Persian Gulf Clasp. Add.: Hambrook.

CARL ERIC BECHHOFFER: b., London, 1894; represented The Times and The Morning Post in Russia and the Middle East. Publications: several books on Russia. Add.: London.

CECIL EDRIC MORNINGTON: Hon. LL.D., F.R.G.S., b. 1892; Literary Editor, Liverpool Post; Parliamentary candidate (l.) Nottingham, East Division, 1922. Publication: Through Eyes of Youth. Add.: London.

CHARLES GEORGE DOUGLAS: M.A., LL.D.; author; b., Douglas, New Brunswick, 1860; educ., Fredericton Collegiate School; graduating with honors in metaphysics, ethics and political economy; editor of The Week. Publication: Around the Camp Fire, 1896.

CHARLES HENRY: b. 1865; educ., Marlborough Coll.; Chairman, National Health Insurance Joint Committee. Add.: London.

CHARLES HUBERT: M.D., Lond.; F.R.C.S., Eng.; F.R.C.P., Lond; Asst. Demonstrator of Anatomy and Demonstrator of Practical Midwifery and Dis-

eases of Women. Publications: various papers read before the Obstetrical Society of London and the Royal Society of Medicine. Add.: London.

CYRIL: R.B.A., 1904; Auditor, 1914-15; mem. of Council, 1915-18; Secretary, 1918; portrait painter; b. 1871; studied art at S. Kensington, Slade and Paris; exhibitor at The Royal Academy. Add.: London.

VEN. DAVID EGRYN: M.A., Oxon; Archdeacon of Monmouth; Vicar of S. Woolos Pro-Cathedral Church, Monmouth; s. of Very Rev. Griffith; educ., Jesus Coll., Oxford; Curate of Mountain Ash. Add.: London.

EDWARD: I.S.O., 1907; J.P., F.R.A.S., F.R.H.S.; late Chief Asst. to Supt. Nautical Almanac; b. 1845; acted as Secretary to Tide Committee of British Association, 1868-75; editor of East India and other Tide Tables. Add.: Broadstairs.

ELLIS: A.R.C.A.; mem. of Society of Portrait Painters; b., Staffordshire, 1860; National Scholarship, S. Kensington, 1884; studied art at Minton Memorial, Stoke-upon-Trent, in Italy and in Paris. Add.: Surrey.

ERNEST HANDFORTH GOODMAN: M.P. (C.), Flintshire, since 1924; Secretary of the Welsh Conservative Party in the House of Commons; b., Flintshire, 1890; educ., Malvern Coll. Publication: Principles of the Law of Contract. Add.: N. Wales.

REV. ERNEST MARLING: Vicar of Kensington since 1917; C.F., 1917-21; Hon. C.F., 1921; b. 1873; ordained 1898; Curate, Kenwyn, Truto, 1898-99. Add.: London.

MAJOR FRANK CROWTHER: V.C., 1918; D.S.O., 1915; O.B.E., M.C.; Worcestershire Regiment; b. 1891; s. of Rev. Frank; entered army, 1911; served European War, 1914-18 (wounded, dispatches, D.S.O., V.C., M.C., 1917). Add.: Southall.

LT.-COL. FREDERICK EMILIUS: D.S.O., 1916; O.B.E., 1924; R.A.M.C., Medical Officer, Duke of York's R.M. School, Guston; educ., Malver, St. George's Hospital (M.R.C.S., Eng.; L.R.C.P., Lond., 1904). Add.: London.

RT. HON. FREDERICK OWEN: P.C., 1924; J.P.; Trade Union Representative; M.P. (Lab.), West Bromwich, since 1918; mem. of Committee of Management, Royal National Lifeboat Institution. Add.: West Bromwich.

GEORGE QUINLAN: C.B.E., M.A., Oxon; Secretary and Receiver, St. Thomas' Hospital, since 1903; b., 1860; educ., Oxford; rowed in the Oxford Eight, 1883; won many rowing races, including the "Varsity Sculls and the Goblets" at Henley. Publication: Short History of St. Thomas' Hospital. Add.: London.

GERVASE HENRY: C.B.E., 1918; M. Inst. C.E.; M. Inst. Mech. E.; Supt., Royal Small Arms Factory, Enfield Lock, Middlesex, since 1922; Supt. of the Mechanical Engineering Dept. of the Royal Arsenal four years, and Chief Mechanical Engineer, 1918-22. Add.: London.

VERY REV. GRIFFITH: Dean of Bangor since 1903; Welsh Examining Chaplain to Bishop of Llandaff, 1897; b., Carnarvonshire, 1845; educ., Trinity; Canon Residentiary of Llandaff and Diocesan Missioner for Diocese of Llandaff. Publication: The Marks of Christ's Body. Add.: Bangor.

HARRY: b. 1871; practiced medicine in Cornwall and Stepney. Publication: Public Control of Hospitals. Add.: London.

HENRY DAVID: M.B.E., 1918; Director, Public Library, Museums and Fine Art Galleries, Brighton, since 1906; b. 1870; Hon. Sec. Inter-Allied Exhibition on the Treatment and Training of Disabled Men (Ministry of Pensions),

1918. Publication: The Book of Brighton. Add.: London.

H. LESLIE: M.D. (Edinburgh); Consulting Physician to the Skin Dept. of Liverpool Royal Infirmary; b. Manchester, 1860; s. of Alderman J. F.; appointed to the Royal Infirmary, 1893. Publication: Mould Fungi Parasitic on Man. Add.: London.

HERBERT AINSLIE: M.A.; Fellow of Gonville Caius Coll., Cambridge; Secretary of Cambridge Univ. Assn.; b. 1864. Add.: London.

BRIG-GEN. HERWARD LLEWELYN: C.B., 1917; M.V.O., 1906; b. 1864; entered army, 1883; served battle of Ctesiphon and subsequent retreat, battles of Shaikh Saad and Wadi River. Add.: Windsor.

SIR JAMES: 1st Bart., cr. 1909; LL.D., Leeds; J.P., West Riding, Yorkshire; b. 1848; lately actively engaged in the worsted textile trades, and was owner of the Alpaca manufacturing works and model town of Saltaire. Publications: pamphlets and articles on Free Trade. Add.: London.

JAMES ALEXANDER: C.B., 1917; M.B., F.A.C.S., F.R.C.S. (Eng.); Colonel A.M.S.; b. Indianapolis, 1876; s. of Peter; educ., Univ. of Toronto; taken active part in Canadian Militia continuously since 1894. Publications: Professional articles, etc. Add. Toronto, Canada.

LT.-COL. SIR JAMES REID: Kt., cr. 1913; C.I.E., 1911; M.B., M.S., F.R.C.S., Eng.; late Indian Medical Service; b. 1861; Administrative Medical Officer for Central India, 1906-12. Add.: Perthshire.

SIR JOHN: Kt., cr. 1920; C.M.G., 1891; J.P.; runholder and managing partner of Murray, Roberts & Co.; b. Scotland, 1845; President of the New Zealand South Seas Exhibition held in Dunedin. Add.: New Zealand.

CAPT. JOHN: R.N.R., C.B.E., 1919; D.S.O., 1917; R.D.; b. Denbighshire; educ., Llangollen Schools; apprenticed to the sea (Merchant Service) at 17, 1885. Add.: Keston, Kent.

HIS HONOUR JOHN BRYN: J.P., D.L.; C. C. Judge Glamorgans, 1906; b. 1843; Solicitor, 1868 (Clifford's Inn prize). Add.: Bangor.

LT.-COL. and HON. COL. JOHN DOBREE ANDERSON: J.P.; b. 1860; educ., Cheltenham Coll.; served in the Royal Artillery, 1879-91; on retirement joined the Duke of Connaughts Own Sligo Artillery Militia, which he commanded 1902-09. Add.: Cornwall.

REV. JOHN EDWARD: M.A., D.D.; Past President of the Baptist Union of Great Britain and Ireland; b. 1866; Minister of Union Chapel, Manchester, 1890-1925. Publication: The Lord's Prayer. Add.: Glasgow.

LANCELOT: R.C.A. Add.: Manchester.

MAJOR MARMADUKE TORIN CRAMER: D.S.O., 1915; late 4th Gurkha Rifles; b. 1880; entered army, 1901; European War, 1914-16; retired, 1923. Add.: London.

CAPT. MARSHALL OWEN: late Welsh Guards; b. 1878; 2nd Lieut. Scots Guards; served S. African War. Add.: London.

MARTIN: M. Inst. C.E., M.I.E.E., F.C.S.; consulting engineer; b. Lichfield, 1853; educ., King's Coll., London; mem. of Engineering Standards Committee and of Physical Standards Committee. Contributes to journals of Institution Civil Engineers. Add.: London.

MORLEY: Novelist and journalist; b. London, 1857; e. s. of W. H.; late Superintending Inspector of Income Tax; educ., Owens Coll., Manchester; went to Australia, 1876, and worked in the Bush of New South Wales. Publication: Land Travel and Sea-Faring. Add.: London.

PAUL ERNEST: M.A.; Fellow, Vice-Provost, Senior Tutor, History Lecturer and Junior Bursar of Worcester Coll.; b. 1873; educ., Worcester Coll. Publication: *Historical Geography of India*. Add.: Devon.

REGINALD ARTHUR: C.B.E., F.R.G.S., F.Z.S., F.R.C.I.; mem. of Lincoln's Inn; b. 1874; Acting Provincial Commissioner and mem. of the Executive and Legislative Councils of Southern Nigeria on several occasions. Add.: Nigeria.

RICHARD ARTHUR: F.R. Hist. S.; a Royal Commissioner for Historical MSS. since 1912; b., S. Wales, 1851. Publications: *Calendar of Home Office Papers of the Reign of George III*. Add.: Oxford.

REV. RICHARD GWYLFA: Litt.D.; Pastor of Tabernacle Church; b., N. Wales, 1871; educ., North Wales Univ. Publication: *Book of Poems*. Add.: Llanelly.

HIS HON. RICHARD OWEN: County Court Judge for Chester and North Wales Circuit since 1924; b. 1876; educ., King's Coll., London. Publication: *The Law of Collisions on Land*. Add.: N. Wales.

REV. CANON ROBERT EDWIN: M.A.; Hon. C.F.; Rector of Ashwell, Oakham, since 1923; b. 1878; educ., Ellesmere Coll.; Chaplain to the Forces in France. Publication: *Faith and Advance*. Add.: Oakham.

ROBERT SILYN: M.A.; Lecturer at Univ. Coll., Bangor; b., Carnarvonshire; y. s. of R. Jones; educ., Univ. Coll. of N. Wales; lectured on social and literary themes. Publication: *Telynegion*, a volume of Welsh poems. Add.: Bangor.

SIR SAMUEL: 2nd Bt., cr. 1919; M.A., LL.B., J.P., M.P. (Con.), Hereford, since 1921; b. 1882; e. s. of Rt. Hon. Sir Samuel; educ., Harrow, Trinity Coll.; Solicitor; retired from practice, 1921. Add.: Norfolk.

LT.-COL. STEPHEN RICHARD HARRICKS: D.S.O., 1917; V.D., J.P.; Deputy Director of Posts and Telegraphs for Western Australia since 1928; b. 1874; obtained Commission, Gold-Fields Infantry Regiment, 1899; commanded Squadron Australian Light Horse, S. African War. Add.: Western Australia.

SIDNEY MORTON PEARSON: M.A., M.B., B.C., Camb.; M.R.C.S., Eng.; J.P., Bucks; Consulting Physician, Sheffield Royal Hospital; educ., St. Bartholomew's Hospital; mem. of Bucks County Council. Add.: Bucks.

SYDNEY CASTLE: M.A.; Secretary to the Syndics of the Cambridge Univ. Press since 1922; b. Birkenhead, 1887; educ., Brighton Coll.; Lecturer for English Tripos since 1919; Trustee, Union Society, 1923. Publication: *Picture Book of British History*. Add.: London.

SIR THOMAS LANGDON HOWLAND: 13th Bt., cr. 1620; and 6th Bt., cr. 1809; Lt. R. A.; b. 1898; s. of 12th Bt.; educ., Westminster School. Add.: London.

TOM: Painter; Sergeant R.A.M.C. (T.), serving 1915-19; b., Dorchester, 1856; s. of Richard; Educ., Dorchester Grammar School; went to Australia, 1869; Exhibitor at Royal Academy and New Gallery.

PROF. T. STANLEY: Prof. of Colonial History, Univ. Coll. of Wales. Add.: S. Wales.

WILLIAM: b. 1862; Journalist and author since 1882; author of *Earlier History of English Bookselling*. Add.: London.

REV. WILLIAM CORBETT: Rector of S. George, Bloomsbury, since 1917; Chairman of Association for Moral and Social Hygiene since 1923; Principal

of Dorchester Missionary Coll. Add.: London.

WILLIAM LEE HENRY: J.P., Kent; b. 1871; educ., Eton Coll.; late Lt. Royal Dragoons. Add.: Kent.

REV. WILLIAM RALPH WESTROPP: D.D.; Vice-Provost, late Senior Fellow of Trinity Coll., Dublin; b., Dublin, 1850; Commissioner of Education in Ireland, 1913. Add.: Dublin.

EMERITUS PROF. WILLIAM RHYS: Litt.D. (Cantab.), Hon. LL.D. (St. Andrew's), Hon. D.Litt. (Wales); b., Wimbledon, 1858; mem. of the Prime Minister's Committee on Classical Education. Publication: British Universities. Add.: Sussex.

WILLIAM STEWART: M.R.C.S., Eng.; Prof. of Pathology, Otago Univ., Dunedin, 1885-1918. Add.: New Zealand.

W. J.: Professor of Political Economy. Add.: Univ. Coll., Cardiff.

(F) AMERICAN ROBERTS OF ROYAL DESCENT

Edmund Roberts Family

HENRY I, KING OF FRANCE, father of

PRINCE HUGH THE GREAT: Count de Vermandois. His dau. was

LADY ISABEL DE VERMANDOIS: d. 1131; m. Robert de Beaumont, Baron de Bellomont, Earl of Leicester and of Mellent.

ROBERT-BOSSU DE BELLOMONT: Earl of Leicester; Lord Justice of England; d. 1168.

GERVASE PAGANEL: Baron of Dudley, Staffordshire. From him was descended (15 generations removed):

THOMAS DUDLEY: b. at Canon's Ashby, about 1576; commanded a company at siege of Amiens; became a Puritan and came to America with Governor Winthrop in 1630 to escape persecution; was four times Governor of the Massachusetts Colony; d. 1653.

REV. SAMUEL DUDLEY: b. about 1606; was Deputy to the General Court at Boston for several years; m., first, 1632, Mary, dau. of Gov. John Winthrop.

ELIZABETH DUDLEY: m., 1674, Judge Kinsley Hall, of Exeter, N. H.

JOSIAH HALL: of Exeter; m., first, Miss Woodbury.

MARY HALL: m. John Langdon, of Portsmouth, N. H.; b. 1707; d. 1780.

JUDGE WOODBURY LANGDON: of Portsmouth, N. H.; Delegate to the Continental Congress, 1779; Councillor, 1781-84; President of N. H. Senate, 1784; Judge of the Superior Court of N. H., 1782-91; m., 1765, Sarah Sherburn.

CATHERINE WHIPPLE LANGDON: m., 1808, EDMUND ROBERTS, of Portsmouth, N. H.

(1) CAROLINE WHIPPLE ROBERTS: m. Rev. Prof. Andrew P. Peabody, of Harvard College.

(2) SARAH ROBERTS: m. Dr. James Boyle, of New York.

(3) HARRIET LANGDON ROBERTS: m. Judge Amasa J. Parker, of Albany, N. Y.

(4) MARIANNA LANGDON ROBERTS: m. Charles Perry, of Delhi, N. Y.

- (5) CAROLINE EUSTIS ROBERTS: m. Robert Parker, of Delhi, N. Y.
- (6) ANN HENRY LANGDON ROBERTS: m. Truman H. Wheeler, of Delhi, N. Y.
- (7) FRANCES LEAR ROBERTS: m. Calvin Howard Bell, of Delhi.

John Roberts Family

EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
 PRINCESS JOANE D'ARCE: m. Gilbert de Clare, Earl of Hertford and Gloucester.
 Their dau. was
 LADY ELEANOR DE CLARE: m. Hugh le Despencer, Earl of Winchester; k. 1326.
 LADY ISABEL DE DESPENCER: m. Richard Fitz-Alan, 9th Earl of Arundel.
 LADY PHILLIPPA FITZ-ALAN: m. Sir Richard Sergeaux, Knt.
 LADY PHILLIPPA SERGEAUX: m. Sir Robert Pashley, Knt.
 SIR JOHN PASHLEY, Knt.: m. Lowys, dau. of Thomas Gower.
 LADY ELIZABETH PASHLEY: m. Reginald de Pympe.
 ANNE DE PYMPE: m. Sir John Scott, of Scott's Hall, Sheriff of Kent in 1528.
 SIR JOHN SCOTT: of Scott's Hall.
 CHARLES SCOTT: of Egerton, Kent; d. 1617; m. Jane, aunt of Gov. Francis Wyatt, of Virginia.
 THOMAS SCOTT: d. 1635.
 DOROTHEA SCOTT: m., first, about 1636, Major Daniel Gotherson, of Cromwell's Army; embarked in 1680, with her children, for Oyster Bay, L. I.
 DOROTHEA GOTHERSON: m., 1680, John Davis, of Pilesgrove Township, Salem Co., N. J.
 ABIGAIL ELIZABETH DAVIS: b. 1698, d. 1770; m. Elisha Bassett, Jr., of Salem, N. J.
 ELISHA BASSETT: m. Mary, dau. of Joseph Woodnutt, of Mannington, N. J.
 HANNAH BASSETT: m. JOHN ROBERTS, of Haddonfield, N. J.
 (1) JACOB ROBERTS.
 (2) DAVID ROBERTS.

John Roberts Family

ALFRED THE GREAT, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
 EDWARD THE ELDER, KING OF ENGLAND. His dau. was
 PRINCESS EDGIVA: m. Henry, Count de Vermandois. From them was descended, 10 generations removed,
 PATRICK DE CHAWORTH: b. 1253.
 LADY MAUD DE CHAWORTH: m. Henry Plantagenet, a des. of HENRY III, KING OF ENGLAND.
 LADY ELEANOR PLANTAGENET: m. Sir Richard Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel, d. 1375.
 SIR RICHARD FITZ-ALAN: m. Lady Elizabeth de Bohun, a des. of EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND.
 LADY ELIZABETH FITZ-ALAN: m., thirdly, Sir Robert Goushill.
 LADY JOAN GOUSHILL: m. Sir Thomas Stanley, d. 1458-59.
 LADY MARGARET STANLEY: m. Sir William Troutbeck, Knt., k. at Bloreheath.
 LADY JANE TROUTBECK: m. Sir William Griffith, Chamberlain of North Wales.
 SIR WILLIAM GRIFFITH: knighted at Touraine, 1513.
 LADY SIBILL GRIFFITH: m. Owen ap Hugh, d. 1613.

JANE OWEN: m. Hugh Gwyn, of Penarth, High Sheriff of Carnarvonshire, 1600.

SIBILL GWYN: m. John Powell, of Llanwddwn.

ELIZABETH POWELL: Humphrey ap Hugh ap David ap Howel ap Grono ap Einon.

OWEN HUMPHREY: a Justice under Cromwell, living 1678.

REBECCA HUMPHREY: m., 1678, Robert Owen, of Fron Goch, Wales, who removed to Penna. in 1690, and was a Member of the Provincial Council.

GAINOR OWEN: m., 1706, Jonathan Jones, of Merion, Pa.

REBECCA JONES: m., 1733, JOHN ROBERTS, of Merion, Pa.

- (1) JONATHAN ROBERTS.
- (2) GAINOR ROBERTS.
- (3) ALBAN ROBERTS.
- (4) ELIZABETH ROBERTS.
- (5) MARY ROBERTS.
- (6) TACY ROBERTS.
- (7) JOHN ROBERTS.
- (8) ROBERT ROBERTS.
- (9) ALGERNON ROBERTS.
- (10) FRANKLIN ROBERTS.

Cadwalader Roberts Family

EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND, father of

PRINCESS ELEANOR PLANTAGENET: m. Henri, Comte de Barr. Their dau. was

LADY ELEANOR DE BARR: m. Llewelyn ap Owen.

THOMAS AP LLEWELYN: m. Eleanor, dau. of Philip ap Ievan.

ELEANOR: m. Griffith Vaughan, Lord of Glendwdwyn.

LOWRY VAUGHN: m. Robert Puleston, of Emral.

JOHN PULESTON: of Emeral; m. Angharad Hanmer.

MARGARET PULESTON: m. David ap Ievan ap Einion, Captain of Harlech Castle, 1468.

EINION AP DAVID: of Cryniarth, in Edermon.

LLEWELYN AP EINION.

GRIFFITH AP LLEWELYN: m. Mary, dau. of Howell ap Harry.

CATHERINE VCH GRIFFITH: m. Edward ap Ievan.

ELLEN VCH EDWARD: m. Lewis ap Griffith, of Yshute.

ROBERT AP LEWIS: m. Gwyrtyl ap David, of Llan Rwst.

IEVAN AP ROBERT AP LEWIS: of Rhiwlas and Vron Goch.

EVAN AP EVAN: of Vron Goch.

OWEN AP EVAN: of Gwynedd, Montgomery Co., Pa.; b. 1659; d. 1723.

THOMAS EVANS: of Gwynedd; d. 1760; m., 1720, Elizabeth Griffith.

THOMAS EVANS: of Gwynedd; b. 1733; d. 1818; m., 1765, Elizabeth, dau. of JOHN ROBERTS, of Whitpain.

ELIZABETH EVANS: b. 1781; d. 1842; m., 1802, CADWALADER ROBERTS, of Gwynedd, Pa.; b. 1777; d. 1871.

- (1) JOB ROBERTS: of Harford Co., Md.; b. 1814; d. 1858; m. Hannah, dau. of Yeomans Pickering, of Bucks Co., Pa.
 - (A) WILLIAM P. ROBERTS: m., secondly, 1876, Agnes D., dau. of John Taggart, of St. Clairsville, Ohio.
 - (a) HORACE W. ROBERTS.
 - (b) ROY G. ROBERTS.

John B. Roberts Family

EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
THOMAS PLANTAGENET: Earl of Norfolk. His dau. was
MARGARET: d. 1399; m. John, 3rd Lord Segrave.
LADY ELIZABETH SEGRAVE: m. John, 4th Lord Mowbray, descended (through
his mother) from LOUIS VIII, KING OF FRANCE, and HENRY III,
KING OF ENGLAND.
SIR THOMAS MOWBRAY: K.G.; d. 1413.
LADY MARGARET DE MOWBRAY: m. Sir John Howard.
SIR JOHN HOWARD: K.G.; Captain-General of the King's forces at sea.
SIR THOMAS HOWARD: K.G.; d. 1524.
LADY CATHERINE HOWARD: m. Rice ap Griffith, of Carew, b. 1508; beheaded
in public, on Tower Hill, 1531-32, for a political offense.
GRIFFITH AP RICE: m. Lady Eleanor Jones.
THOMAS AP GRIFFITH: of Ebbernant, Carmarthenshire.
JOHN PHILIP AP THOMAS: came into his inheritance, 1585.
EVAN THOMAS: of Swansea; b. 1580; d. 1650.
PHILIP THOMAS: came to America in 1651, and took up much land in the
Colony of Maryland.
SAMUEL THOMAS: of Anne Arundle Co., Md.; b. 1655; d. 1743; m. Mary,
dau. of Francis Hutchins, of Calvert Co., Md.
SAMUEL THOMAS: of Anne Arundle Co., Md.; b. 1702; d. 1780; m. Mary
Snowden.
EVAN THOMAS: of Mt. Radnor, Md.; b. 1738; d. 1826.
ANN THOMAS: m., 1790, Thomas Poultney.
SARAH CRESSON POULTNEY: b. 1806; m., 1830, William Miller Ellicott.
MARY MILLER ELLICOTT: m. JOHN B. ROBERTS. Issue.

Elijah Roberts Family

EDWARD III, KING OF ENGLAND, father of
PRINCE JOHN OF GAUNT: Duke of Lancaster. His dau. was
LADY JOAN BEAUFORT: m. Sir Ralph Nevill, K. G.
LADY ANNE NEVILL: m. Humphrey de Stafford, Duke of Buckingham.
HUMPHREY DE STAFFORD: k. at St. Albans.
LADY ANNE DE STAFFORD: m. Sir William de Berkeley, Knt.
RICHARD DE BERKELEY.
ANNE BERKELEY: m. Sir Thomas Speke, Knt., member of the Privy Council
to King Edward VI.
SIR GEORGE SPEKE, Knt.: of Whitelackington; m., first, Lady Elizabeth Lut-
trell, also of royal descent.
LADY ANNE SPEKE: m. Sir John Horner, Knt., High Sheriff, 1564-73.
LADY JANE HORNER: b. 1561; m., 1593, Rt. Rev. John Still.
ANNE STILL: m. Robert Eyre, of Sarum; b. 1569.
CATHERINE EYRE: b. 1601; d. 1667; m., 1630, Rev. Charles Chauncy, D.D.,
2nd President of Harvard Coll., Cambridge, Mass.
REV. NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Hatfield; b. 1639; d. 1685; m. Abigail Strong.
REV. NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Durham, Conn.; b. 1681; d. 1756; 1st graduate
of Yale College.
NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: of Middletown, Conn.; b. 1720; d. 1798.
NATHANIEL CHAUNCY: b. 1758; d. 1825; m., 1782, Abigail Olcott.
MARY CHAUNCY: m. Elijah Ackley.
ELIZABETH ACKLEY: m. ELIJAH ROBERTS, of Buffalo, N. Y.

(G) AMERICAN ROBERTS FAMILIES

- F136 THOMAS ROBERTS: Settled at Dover Neck about 1623. In 1627 m. Rebecca Hilton (?) and had with other issue,
(1) John: b. 1629; d. 1695; m. Abigail Nutter and had with other issue,
(A) Thomas: m. (?) and had with other issue,
(a) Love: m. Elizabeth Drew. Had with other issue,
1. Love: b. April 21, 1721; m. (1) Mary Roberts, 1741; m. (2) Ann Pray. Had with other issue by first wife,
A Love: m. and had 10 ch.
a Love, Jr.: b. 1785; m. Sarah West True; d. 1827; had 5 ch.
(I) William Harrison: m. Mary B. Lowd, 1844; had 7 ch.
(i) William Love: m. Cora J. Hewett, of Livermore, Me., Dec. 26, 1880; had 2 ch.; m. (2) Edith May Parsons; 1 ch.
(ii) Frank Herbert: m. (1) Eva May Ladd, 1881; m. (2) (Mrs.) Eunice Ellen Carver Foster, Sept. 15, 1894; had 2 ch.
I Leslie Freeman: b. Dec. 9, 1882; m. Winnefred Foster, May 2, 1906.
Add.: Richmond, Me.
i Carl Freeman.
ii Sherman Foster.
- G137 CADWALADER ROBERTS: b. 1673; d. 1731; m. 1714, Eleanor Ellis, 2 ch.
- G138 ROBERT ROBERTS: b. Oct. 18, 1719; d. 1750; m. 1742, Sarah Amber, 7 ch.
- G139 CADWALADER ROBERTS: b. 1743; d. 1816; m. 1768, Mary Shoemaker. Issue incl.,
- G140 JOSEPH ROBERTS: b. Nov. 2, 1779; d. 1859; m. 1801, Elizabeth Rubencamp. Issue incl.,
- G141 CHARLES ROBERTS: b. 1807; d. Aug., 1867; m. 1832, Sarah Ann Kenderdine. Issue incl.,
(1) Jesse: b. 1837; d. Jan. 24, 1892; m. March 6, 1864, Sarah Kirving, 5 ch.
(2) George: b. 1840; d. 1916; m. March 24, 1868, Elizabeth E. Shay. 3 ch.
(3) Richard: b. 1843; d. 1908; m. March 12, 1879, Ruth Michener.
(A) David: b. 1880; d. 1884.
(B) William E.: b. 1881; m. Martha Simpson. 1 ch.
(C) George S.: b. 1884; d. March 29, 1920; m. Edith Boone.
(D) Sarah: b. 1889.
(4) Joseph: b. Sept. 11, 1848; m. March 3, 1870, Mary W. Evans.
(A) William E.: b. March 20, 1871; m. March 29, 1894, Florence V. L. Roberts.
(a) Joseph William: b. Sept. 24, 1898.
(b) Florence Mary: b. Jan. 21, 1904.
(c) Mary Frances: b. Nov. 9, 1905.

- (d) Alvin Lovett: b. Oct. 23, 1908.
- (B) Howard W.: b. Oct. 14, 1872; m. Jan. 2, 1893, Elizabeth C. Paxon.
 - (a) Elsie Anna: b. Dec. 8, 1893; d. in inf.
 - (b) Cecil P.: b. March 31, 1895; d. in inf.
 - (c) Helen Martha: b. July 21, 1899; m. March 24, 1921, Herbert G. Moyer.
 - 1. Roy H.: b. Dec. 20, 1921.
 - 2. Elizabeth Marie: b. Jan. 27, 1927.
 - (d) Eugene Jesse: b. Nov. 28, 1902.
 - (e) William Howard: b. Sept. 18, 1906.
- (C) Iden F.: b. Jan. 22d, 1875; m. Oct. 22, 1902, Irene Van Emburg.
 - (a) Clifford Evans: b. Sept. 11, 1904; m. June 30, 1928, Olive Lee Thompson.
 - (b) Edwin Bogert: b. March 19, 1906.
 - (c) Iwen Vincent: b. May 11, 1911.
- (D) Iwen J.: b. Jan. 22, 1875; m. June 18, 1901, Leva C. Lester; m. (2), Feb. 10, 1917, Martha Jane Stephens.
 - (a) Lester Willard: b. July 12, 1902; m. Sept. 14, 1924, Ella Metzler.
 - (b) Earl Newton Lake: b. Sept. 26, 1910.
- (E) Jesse C.: b. April 22, 1884; m. Sept. 1915, Anna Shallcross.

DESCENDANTS OF EDWARD ROBERTS
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

First Generation

- H142 I—EDWARD ROBERTS, the progenitor of this family in America, was born in Wales about 1690 and died in Providence Township, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania, now Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County. His will was proved January 16, 1753. The original Roberts homestead was near the present town of Eagleville, about twenty-one miles northwest of Philadelphia. From the top of the hill above Eagleville one can see lands in seven Counties, the view being considered one of the most beautiful in the State. A few of the families who settled in this region with whom certain of the Roberts have blood ties are Lane, Rambo, Bull, Pawling, Penny-packer, Horning, Tyson, Davis, Curry, Boyer, Baker, Francis, Pugh.

Second Generation

- II—1. Children of Edward Roberts and _____.
- a. Samuel Roberts, who married Catherine Francis (?), March 1, 1740, and lived and died in Providence Township. Will proved September 16th, 1797. A reputable Genealogist reports that the seal on the will of Samuel Roberts has a bird on a design which is apparently heraldic. He divided one plantation to a son, Samuel, and one to Arnold. Previously he had conveyed a plantation to a son, Edward.
 - b. Jane Roberts.

- c. Ann Roberts, who married Thomas Turner.
- d. Susannah, who married William Edward.
- e. Edward Roberts.
- f. Febe Roberts.

Third Generation

III—1. Children of Samuel and Catherine (Francis) Roberts.

- a. Edward Roberts, eldest son, born about 1741, died in 1810. Proof of heirship made May 17, 1810. He married Alice Rambo. License issued April 8th, 1768. She was the daughter of John Rambo and Hannah Lane and a direct descendant of Peter Gunnarson Rambo, Peter Larrison Cock, Samuel Richardson and Edward Lane, who are frequently mentioned in early Pennsylvania settlements. The War of Independence was a part of the daily life of the residents of Lower Providence. Edward Roberts and his brothers, John and Samuel, were in the Company of Captain Arnold Francis, being listed in the Return of the Sixth Battalion of Philadelphia County Militia, Eighth Company. Edward Roberts was in the fifth class according to Pennsylvania Archives, Volume 1, 6th Series, Page 913.
- b. Samuel Roberts, who was born about 1750 and died Feb. 24th, 1803, married Lydia Horning, daughter of Samuel and Martha Horning.
- c. Arnold Roberts, who died November 7th, 1820, at the age of 76 years and 10 months. Arnold was one of the Trustees of Lower Providence Baptist Church. His wife's name was Mary _____.
- d. John Roberts, born about 1749. He served in the War of Independence in Captain Arnold Francis' Company heretofore mentioned. Further reference to John Roberts in "American Boyers", page 183, and in Brecht's "General Record of Schwenkfelders Families," page 1320.
- e. Mary Roberts, who married James Sands.
- f. Rebecca Roberts, who died March 18th, 1801, at the age of 40. She married James Curry. They left descendants, one being Anita Major, now living in Norristown, Pa.
- g. Elizabeth Roberts, who married John Baker, son of Arnold Baker. License issued October 1, 1767. Baker family recorded in "Sketches of the Montgomery County Historical Society," Norristown, Pa.
- h. Catherine Roberts, married William Nelson.
- i. Hannah Roberts, who died March 14th, 1801, at the age of 54. She married Michael Horning.
- j. Rachel Roberts.

Fourth Generation

IV—1. Children of Edward and Alice (Rambo) Roberts.

- a. Samuel Roberts, eldest son, who married Barbara _____.
- b. John Roberts, of Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County.

- c. Jesse Roberts, of Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County.
 - d. WILLIAM ROBERTS, born in Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County, 1783. He died June 27, 1849, at Shavers Creek, near Petersburg, Huntington County, Pennsylvania. Buried in Manor Hill Cemetery near Petersburg. While living in Eckesburg, Perry County, he held Federal and State offices. He first married Mary Peacock, and secondly Martha Bull. See "Bull Family," by Commodore James H. Bull.
 - e. Jonathan Roberts, of London Britain, Chester County, Pennsylvania.
 - f. Edward Roberts, of Lower Providence Township, Montgomery County.
 - g. Jemima, who married Benjamin Davis November 4th, 1792. The Davis lands adjoined or cornered with the Roberts plantation in Lower Providence.
 - h. Elizabeth Roberts, who married Joseph Johnson, of Worcester Township, Montgomery County.
 - i. Alice Roberts, who married Alexander Phillips, of Lower Providence.
- IV—2. Children of Arnold Roberts and Mary ———.
- a. Samuel Roberts, who married Martha Pugh, daughter of John and Rebecca Pugh, on April 10th, 1810.
 - b. John Roberts.
 - c. Elizabeth Roberts, who married Andrew Casselbury.
 - d. Mary Roberts, who married Daniel Tyson.
 - e. Sarah Roberts, who married Jacob Highly.
 - f. Catherine Roberts, who married Richard Pennypacker. License issued March 15th, 1810. The Pennypacker family is one of the oldest and most distinguished families in Pennsylvania. Samuel Pennypacker, of this family, served as Jurist and Governor of the State.
- IV—3. Children of John Roberts and ———.
- a. Catherine Roberts, born January 21st, 1777. Married Henry Boyer. See "American Boyers."
 - b. Hannah Roberts.

Fifth Generation

- V—1. Children of William and Martha (Bull) Roberts, and children of William and Mary (Peacock) Roberts. Children of William and Martha (Bull) Roberts:
- a. Henry Bull Roberts, born October 28th, 1820, at Donnelly's Mill, Perry County, Pennsylvania. Married February 4th, 1864, to Nancy Jane Meredith, daughter of Samuel Black and Margaret (Donnelly) Meredith, who was born at Donnelly's Mill January 7th, 1845. He died July 28th, 1887. Henry B. Roberts is buried at Middle Creek Cemetery, Winnebago, Ill. When a young man in Pennsylvania, he engaged in farming and teaching, also started in the mercantile business but in 1849 came to the Middle West. Nancy Jane

Roberts died May 21, 1919, and is buried in Middle Creek Cemetery.

- b. Edward Rambo Roberts, born January 2d, 1823. Married November, 1852, Ann Hamer, who was born at Petersburg, Pa., November 26th, 1833, and died July 12th, 1908. He died March 27th, 1898. Both buried at Winnebago, Ill.
 - c. Mary Peacock Roberts, born June 23d, 1828. Married A. Clark Myton, who died in 1886. She died March 10th, 1916. No issue. Children of William and Mary (Peacock) Roberts.
 - d. Jonathan Roberts, born August 29th, 1810, married Mary Jane Wilson, died July 11th, 1836, and buried in Middle Creek Cemetery.
 - e. Rebecca Jane Roberts, who married David Patterson.
 - f. Eliza Roberts, who married (1) Robert Elliott.
- V—2. Children of Samuel and Martha (Pugh) Roberts.
- a. Samuel Roberts, who died in infancy and is buried in St. James Episcopal Churchyard, Evansburg, Pa.
- V—3. Children of Henry and Catherine (Roberts) Boyer. See "American Boyers."

Sixth Generation and Later

- VI—1. Children of Henry Bull and Nancy J. (Meredith) Roberts:
- a. Mattie, born November 20th, 1865, at Winnebago, Ill., died April 10th, 1883. She is buried at Middle Creek Cemetery, Winnebago, Ill.
 - b. Jessie Meredith, born February 20th, 1868, at Winnebago, Ill. Married October 8th, 1890, Charles Edward Morse, son of William and Nancy (Matthews) Morse, died May 19th, 1899. Jessie Meredith Roberts graduated from Rockford, Ill., Female Seminary. Charles Edward Morse graduated at Oberlin College, A.B. She lives in Evanston, Ill. He is buried at Winnebago. There are two daughters, Mrs. Beverly B. Vedder, Winnetka, Ill., and Mrs. Jas. Dale Thom, Evanston, Ill.
 - c. Blanche, born at Winnebago, Ill., May 20th, 1878. Married February 19th, 1896, Demus Wasmus Grippen, Jr., son of Demus Wasmus and Margaret (Wallace) Grippen, born February 15th, 1876, at Winnebago, Ill. They live at Mason City, Iowa. Demus Wasmus Grippen, Sr., was First Lieutenant of 146th Regiment, Illinois Volunteer Infantry in the Civil War. Blanche and Demus Grippen have four sons, Bruce, Charles, Roger and Demus, Jr.
 - d. Samuel Henry, born February 1st, 1883, at Winnebago, Ill.; married June 15th, 1912, Katharine Sherwood Marble, who was born at Canton, Ohio, April 8th, 1891, daughter of Guilford Lionel Marble and Lenore K. Sherwood. Samuel Henry Roberts was graduated from the University of Michigan (Ann Arbor), A.B. 1905 and LL.B. 1907. For fifteen years he was House Attorney for John V. Farwell Co., Chicago, the western pioneer jobbing and wholesale house, handling dry goods and general merchandise lines. He is now Gen-

eral Land Commissioner of Capitol Reservation Lands (X. I. T. Ranch), which originally consisted of 3,000,000 acres given the Farwell family and others in exchange for building the State Capitol of Texas. In 1910 he was National President of the Phi Alpha Delta Law Fraternity and is a member of the honorary law scholarship society, Order of the Coif; also a "Barrister." *Book references*: "Leading Greeks," edited 1915 at Evanston, Ill., by William C. Levere; "The X. I. T. Ranch and the Early Days of the Llano Escacado," by Prof. J. Evetts Haley, Lakeside Press, Chicago, 1929; "Bull Family of Pennsylvania," by Commodore Jas. H. Bull, published 1919, Shannon-Conmy Company, San Francisco. Katharine Sherwood Roberts, *Wife*, attended University of Michigan and is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta and D. A. R. Her grandfather, Gen. Isaac R. Sherwood, was Secretary of State of Ohio (1869-1873), and Congressman from Toledo, Ohio, district many terms. *Children*: Sherwood Roberts, born March 24th, 1913; Samuel Meredith Roberts, born October 3d, 1915. *Clubs*: University Club of Chicago; Shawnee Country Club, Wilmette, Ill.; La Jolla (California) Country Club, La Jolla (California) Yacht Club. *Addresses* (Business): 208 South La Salle St., Chicago, and Dalhart, Tex.; (Home) 1465 Torrey Pines Road, La Jolla, Calif. Samuel Henry Roberts also traces lineage to Peter Gunnarson Rambo (French-Swedish descent) and Peter Cock, who came to the Delaware, 1640, with Peter Minuit Expedition, both frequently mentioned in early Pennsylvania and Delaware Colonial history; to Albert Heymans Roosa, who came to New Netherlands (N. Y.) in April, 1660; to Henry Pawling, who came with Duke of York's Expedition, 1664; to Edward Lane, who came to Pennsylvania prior to 1683 and whose line dates back to Battle Abbey; to Samuel Richardson of William Penn's Provincial Council; to David Meredith, early pioneer of Chester County, Pa., whose family claims descent from Welsh King; to Capt. John Rush, of Cromwell's Army; to Thomas Robinson, pioneer of Western Pennsylvania. ("Thomas Robinson," by Rev. Thos. Hasting Robinson, under name Meredith.)

- e. Ethel, born December 30th, 1885, at Winnebago, Ill. She attended Fairmont Seminary, Washington, D. C., and is Director of Art in Public Schools, Mason City, Iowa.

VI—2. Children of Edward R. and Ann (Hamer) Roberts.

- a. William Hamer Roberts, married Anna Powell. He died June 23d, 1886. No issue.
- b. Alfred Thomas Roberts, born August 4th, 1855. Married May 4th, 1876, Nellie Smith, daughter of Frank Adams and Sarah Brown Smith. They live in Long Beach, Calif., and have children living: Stella Claudine Bunn, Byron, Ill.; Henry Brown Roberts; Henry Clyde Roberts; Thomas Clifford Roberts, Fred White Roberts—all of Long Beach, Calif.; William Homer Roberts, Ontario, Calif.; Mrs. Joseph C. Welch, Ojai, Calif.

c. Mary Peacock Roberts, born November 18th, 1859. Married October 4th, 1887, John Elmer Compton. She died March 17th, 1902, leaving children: Mrs. Vera Emery, Genevieve Compton, Elmer Carlyle Compton and Albert Edward Compton, all living at Rockford, Ill.

d. Edward Roberts, born April 30th, 1869. Married October 6th, 1898, Leonora Miller. They live in Rockford, Ill., and have children living there. Eleanor, Roland Karl, also a son, Allan Miller, living in Long Beach, Calif.

VI—3. Children of Jonathan and Mary J. (Wilson) Roberts.

a. Martha Bull, born July 16th, 1841. Married David Wray Linn, February 24th, 1864. She died January 24th, 1894, leaving children: Mrs. Mary Leonard, Byron, Ill.; Scott William Linn, Electrical Engineer, *Cleveland*, Ohio. Homer Roberts Linn, Executive with American Radiator Co., Chicago, lives La Grange, Ill. Francis David Linn, Byron, Ill. Margaret Bertha Linn.

b. Mary Ellen, born December 14th, 1843. Married John Henry Temple. They have children: Harry Roberts Temple, Architect, Champaign, Ill.; William Ralph Temple, Edward Jonathan Temple.

c. Scott William Roberts, born 1845, died 1847.

VI—4. Children of Rebecca Jane (Roberts) and David Patterson.

a. Martha L. Patterson, who married Zenas L. Merritt, and had children, Marie Jane and Alice. Marie Jane Merritt married Walter Olds, Esq., who was a Supreme Court Justice of Indiana. Now deceased. Mrs. Olds resides at Ft. Wayne, Indiana. Kate Merritt, lives at Mount Gilead, Ohio.

b. Andrew, married secondly Nellie Heisey, to whom were born Frank and Rebecca. Rebecca married Dr. Carl Stutsman, of Burlington, Iowa.

c. Thomas E. Patterson, married Emma C. Gillette. They had three children: Nellie, who married Levere Burch; Louise, who married Albert L. Ellis; Fordham.

VI—5. Children of Eliza (Roberts) and Robert Elliott.

a. Charles.

b. Martha Jane.

c. Scott.

d. William Henry.

e. David.

f. Mary Ann, who married Joseph Newton Fullenwider. From this union seven children were born, one being Lavinio Fullenwider, who married Dr. Chas. S. Laughlin, Route 2, Box 21, Vineland, N. J.

I143 JOHN ROBERTS: in Simsbury, Conn., 1688; m. Patience Saxton; d. between 1730 and 1735.

(1) Richard: b. 1692; m. Deborah Moses.

(2) John: b. 1696; m. Frances —; d. 1724.

(3) William: b. 1699; m. Sarah Mills.

- (4) Lemuel: 1701-1772; m. Abigail Beaman.
 (A) Lemuel: 1742-1789; m. Ruth Woodford; appointed captain of a company of militia in 1774.
 (a) Lemuel: b. 1766; m. Roxe Gillet.
 (b) Samuel: b. 1772; m. Elethea Calkins; m. (2) Pamela Patchin.
 (c) Hezekiah: b. 1781; m. Harriet King.
 (B) Nathaniel: b. 1745; m. Rhoda Woodford.
 (5) Nathaniel: b. 1704; Yale, 1732; m. Margaret Marsh; m. (2) Esther Loomis; Congregational minister.

J144 MR. ROBERTS: m. Catherine Leefe.

- (1) William; d. 1735; m. Dorothy Forbes.
 (A) Benjamin: d. 1744; m. Jerusha Pratt; g. granddau. of John Pratt, who came to America with Thomas Hooker 1633 and to Hartford 1636.
 (a) George: 1752-1824; served in Revolutionary Army.
 1. Ozias: 1785-1868; second of his three wives was Harriet Treat.
 A George: 1810-1878; second wife, Elvira Evans.
 a Sarah: D.aet.3.
 b Henry: 1853-1929 Gov. of Conn. Ch.: Francis D., John T. (m. and had Elizabeth, b. 1918), Edward C.
 c Jane: m. George D. Holton; 5 ch., all married.
 d George: 1845-1921; m. Ida Hamilton.
 (I) Helen.
 (II) George: m. Ethel Downes.
 (III) Constance: m. H. H. Whaples. Ch.: Anne (b. 1912), Jean (b. 1913).
 (IV) Mary: 1883-1918; m. F. G. Smith. Ch.: Robinson (b. 1912), Francis (b. 1913), David (b. 1915), Eleanor (b. 1917).
 (V) Walter: m. Polly Hutchins. Ch.: Sally (b. 1918).
 (VI) Philip: 1887-1925; m. Harriet Cook. Ch.: Ann Hamilton (b. 1925).
 (VII) Louise.
 e Martha: m. Edward C. Ritchie.
 f Mary: 1843-1921; m. George C. Perkins.
 (I) Mabel: m. Horace D. Clark.

K145 JOSEPH ROBERTS: b. in Brentwood, N. H., 1756; served in Revolutionary Army; m. Esther Hamlin; m. (2) Margaret Hall; lived in Windham, Me.

- (1) Isaac: 1784-1862; m. Abigail Merrill; m. (2) Sarah Cobb.
 (A) Justin: 1811-1846; m. Mary Jane McLeod.
 (a) Charles Justin: 1843-1892; m. Maranda W. Warren.
 (B) Milton M.: 1815-1895; m. Elizabeth Cates Roberts.
 (a) Milton M.: b. 1847.
 (C) Clarkson B.: 1818-1896; m. Mary Nickerson.
 (D) Isaac Pennington: b. 1826; m. Harriet Stanley.
 (a) Lester Manter: b. 1857; Wisconsin State Univ., 1882.

- (b) Warren Norton: b. 1839; m. Mary E. Parsons; m. (2) Louisa Roberts; m. (3) Georgia Robinson.
- (2) Jacob: 1784-1856; m. Huldah Moulton Myrick; physician.
 - (A) Hamlin Myrick: 1811-1856; m. Mary Ann Rich.
 - (a) Allen Hamlin: b. 1836; m. Kate Weatherhead.
 - (b) Francis Alton: 1839-1892; Hahnmann, 1861; m. Mary F. Huzzy.
 - (c) Cassius Clay: b. 1845; served in Civil War, raised to Captain by brevet; m. Pauline E. Colcord; m. (2) Margaret Bennett.
 - (B) Jacob Wellington: 1813-1849; m. Phebe Susan Abbot; m. (2) Jane Lippencott.
 - (a) Edward Junius: b. 1839; Philadelphia Dental College, 1865; m. Emma Evans.
 - 1. Arthur Wellington: b. 1868.
 - 2. Orville Leslie: b. 1874.
 - (b) Freeman: b. 1840; served in Civil War; m. Aurelia York.
 - 1. Junius Everett: b. 1875; m. Blanche Whittum.
 - A Edward Freeman: b. 1901.
 - (C) Barnabas Myrick: 1818-1896; m. Emeline Rich; state senator for two years.
 - (a) Charles Sumner: 1851-1882; m. Faustina Marden. Ch.: Alton (1880).
 - (b) Woodbury Davis: b. 1855; m. Evelyn Cheney. Ch.: Fred Barnabas (b. 1885), Edward Cheney (b. 1892).
 - (c) Charles Linneus: 1821-1896; m. Caroline P. Metcalf.
 - 1. Charles Addison: b. 1862; m. Mary Wolcott.
 - A George Seacord: b. 1891.
 - B Wolcott: b. 1897.
 - (D) Porteus Beezaleel: 1823-1888; m. Mary Preckett.
 - (a) Charles Wellington: b. 1850; m. Sarah Lusk.
 - 1. Porteus Henry: b. 1885.
 - (b) Campbell Myrick: b. 1865; m. Mattie Morris.
 - 1. Arthur Campbell: b. 1892.
 - (c) Lincoln Hamlin: b. 1877; m. Nettie Morris.
 - (E) William Pinkney: b. 1836; physician; m. Susan A. Weeks; m. (2) Cora B. Ferris.
- (3) Gilman: 1788-1877; m. Ann Leathers; m. (2) Susan Bachelder.
 - (A) Ahira: 1812-1894; m. Mary Ann Durgin.
 - (a) Samuel Gilman: b. 1843; m. Mrs. Jennis Baldwin; Fargo, N. D., 1871.
 - (b) Albert: b. 1844; served in Civil War; m. Isabella M. McKinley; member of the State legislature for two years.
 - 1. Floyd John: b. 1876; physician.
 - 2. Lloyd Albert: b. 1876 (twin); farmer.
- (4) Enoch: 1791-1858; m. Eleanore Leathers; m. (2) Eliza Aborn.
 - (A) Jacob: 1818-1889; m. Cynthia Badger.
 - (a) Henry L.: b. 1852.
 - (b) William J.: b. 1856.
 - (c) Herbert F.: b. 1858; m. Hattie Briggs. Ch.: Hovey L. (1893).
 - (d) Melvin W.: b. 1862; m. Annie Hall. Ch.: Earle Melvin (1893).

- (e) George Atwood: b. 1865; m. Lilla V. Austin.
- (B) Gilman: m. Abigail Wilson; m. (2) Lovisa Turner.
- (C) Alfred: m. Emily Dean. Ch.: Edwin.
- (5) Joseph, Jr.: 1799-1885; m. Lydia Knight.
- (A) Nathaniel Knight: 1832-1875; served in Civil War.
- (6) Benjamin: b. 1804 and d. in a rebel prison during Civil War.
- (A) Charles H.: b. 1853; m. Julia Douglas; m. (2) Lillian Woodbury.
- (a) Stanley J.: b. 1873.
- (7) John: 1806-1886; m. Harriet Jackson.
- (A) Sharon: b. 1836; m. Ann Mary Boody.
- (B) Jay: b. 1842; served in the Civil War and d. of Southern fever in Louisiana, 1863.
- (C) Everett W.: b. 1846; m. Melissa A. Munson; m. (2) Mrs. Viola Phelps.
- (a) Bert: b. 1872; m. Verna Hanson.
- (b) Frank: b. 1886.
- (8) Alfred J.: 1807-1868; m. Caroline Davis; m. (2) Sarah Watson.
- (9) Timothy T.: 1812-1868; m. Nancy E. Gardiner.
- (A) William Henry Harrison: b. 1835; m. Esther B. Rand.
- (a) Forrest K.: b. 1860; m. Mabel Penney.
- (b) Elmer G.: b. 1862; m. Estelle Card.
- (B) Manter Alverado: b. 1838; m. Mercy P. Silsby; served in the Civil War.
- (C) Oscar E.: b. 1844; served in the Civil War; m. Romilia A. Clements.
- (10) Nathan Hall: 1815-1892; m. Elvira Irish; m. (2) Mary Sophia Langham.
- (A) Arrington: b. 1842; m. Jeannette Ray (separated); m. Josephine Burnham.
- (B) Charles A.: b. 1846; m. Matilda Moran. Ch.: Will (b. 1869), Lee (b. 1871; m. Grace Gurley; two ch.), Charles (b. 1876).
- (C) John Nelson: b. 1876; m. Jessie Shugars; served in the Spanish-American War.
- (D) Guy Hall: b. 1877; m. Dora Shipton; served in the Spanish-American War; graduate of the University of Minnesota.
- (11) Winslow: 1821-1879; captain in the U. S. Coast Guards during latter part of the Civil War; m. Amelia Putnam; m. (2) Cornelia Rand; m. (3) Maria Bangs.
- (A) Edward W.: b. 1865; m. Grace Burwell.
- (B) James Alton: b. 1874; m. George Anna Guptill.
- (C) Walter Henry: b. 1876; m. Mary Elizabeth Harvey.
- (12) Rufus: 1823-1900; m. Adelin Files; went to Minnesota with brothers; second lieutenant in the Civil War.
- (A) Fred Leslie: b. 1854; m. Josie Briley (divorced).
- (a) Leslie Perry: b. 1878; m. May Hoffman. Ch.: Ear Roberts (1898).
- (B) Frank H.: b. 1860; m. Sadie Kessler; m. (2) Annie E. Sutherland.
- (a) Howard LeRoy: b. 1887.

L146 JONATHAN ROBERTS: b. about 1766; m. Prudence Willard.

- (1) Jothan: 1787-1865; m. Mary Richardson; m. (2) Lydia Dox

(Doble); m. (3) Hannah Woodman (Walker).

(A) Orlando: b. 1817; m. ——— Neal.

(a) Thomas Loring: b. 1822; m. Nancy Ellen Perry; served in the Civil War.

(B) Albert Augustus: 1832-1901; m. Maria Louisa Woodman; served in the Civil War.

(2) Daniel: b. 1791; m. Mary Haskell.

(3) Willard: b. 1796; m. Ruth Edwards.

(A) Alonzo: 1819-1894; m. Eunice Stevens.

(a) George Bean: b. 1864; m. Carrie M. Crane.

JOHN (bro. of Jonathan): m. Miriam Irish; emigrated to state of Ohio, 1812.

(1) Sylvanus: d. 1872; m. Mary Jane Thompson; m. (2) Remember Warren.

(A) Lloyd: m. Ella Griffin. Ch.: Edmund.

(B) Dexter: m. Belle Libby. Ch.: Harry.

M147 EDWARD ROBERTS: came from Virginia and settled at or near Richmond, Madison Co., Kentucky; m. Elizabeth McHenry, who was born in 1780 and d. in 1855.

(1) Squier: 1800-1861; m. Penelope Prentice and had 12 ch., one of whom was

(A) Bolin Emery: 1830-1900; m. Margaret Katherine Pickens, 1846-1885.

(a) Shelby Saufley: b. 1874; m. Nell Ackley Richardson; b. 1876.

1. Nell Richardson: b. 1902; m. John Mitchell Owens; 1 son, John Mitchell.

2. Shelby Chilton: b. 1904; m. Virginia Carpenter; 1 son, Shelby Chilton, Jr.

3. Sarah Pickens: b. 1906.

N148 NAHUM ROBERTS: b. April 16, 1804; d. Dec. 14, 1859; m. Sally Brock Hemenway, Nov. 15, 1828. He was a descendant of that Roberts who came from Chester, England, and who was one of the first settlers in Portsmouth, N. H. His branch of the family settled in or about Wells, Me. Ch.: John H. (see below), Philander, Byron, Abbie, William Harrison, Lake H., Albert F., Sarah D., N. Frank.

N149 JOHN HEMENWAY ROBERTS: b. Oct. 8, 1831, in Alfred, Me.; d. Dec. 22, 1898, in Chelsea, Mass.; m. Louisa Southward, April 24, 1859. Ch.: Lillian Louise (see below), Gertrude, Martha E. B. (now dec.).

N150 LILLIAN LOUISE: m. Alfred J. Hayman.

(1) Stuart Roberts.

(2) Lillian Louise.

(3) Col. John Hemenway.

O151 WILLIAM WICKENHAM ROBERTS: b. about 1829 in Western New York; m. Jane French, b. near Rochester.

(1) William Hinman: b. near Joliet, Ill., 1855; m. Daner Alma McDonald, in Chicago, 1887.

(A) Helen H.: b. Chicago, 1888. Add.: Kent Hall, Yale University, New Haven, Conn.

- (B) Mildred Jessie: b. Chicago, 1891; m. Martin Robert Broman, Dec., 1922.
- (C) Wesley Kilmore: b. Chicago, 1894; unm.
- (2) Cora.
- P152 CHARLES H. ROBERTS: m. Martha J. Roberts; issue.
- P153 HOWARD LACEY ROBERTS: b. Feb. 16, 1859; m. Anna Elizabeth Smith (b. June 27th, 1861).
- (1) Ethel Lacey: b. Dec. 7, 1881.
- (2) Anna Richardson: b. May 10, 1883; d. July 30, 1883.
- (3) Katharine Warrington Andrews: b. Oct. 30, 1885; d. March 6, 1891.
- (4) Annette Marcellus: b. March 26, 1889; d. March 28, 1889.
- (5) Howard Lacey, Jr.: b. Oct. 6, 1890; m. Mildred Scanton.
- (A) Jean Lois: b. Oct. 28, 1917.
- (B) Howard Lacey, 3rd: b. Jan. 14, 1919.
- (C) John Scanlon: b. Jan. 15, 1921.
- (D) Shirley Dubree: b. Jan. 20, 1925.
- (E) Barbara Mildred: b. June 13, 1926.
- (6) C. T.: m. Wilhelmina Octavia Hallen, Nov. 28, 1918.
- (A) Charles Thrope, Jr.: b. Nov. 4, 1919.
- (B) Vail Roberts: b. Feb. 3, 1927 (adpt. dau.).
- (7) J. L.: d. Feb. 20, 1928.
- (8) R. S.: m. Ruth Hickman, Dec. 25, 1927.
- Q154 JOHN ROBERTS: m. Julia Bergen; settled in Cullahill, Queen's Co., Ireland.
- (1) Catherine: m. James Ryan.
- (A) James.
- (B) Catherine: now Mrs. Claude Kalen.
- (2) William: m. Annie Butler, Feb. 16, 1896; d. Feb. 7, 1921.
- (A) Rev. John S.: b. May 3, 1897; Priest, R. C. Church; appt. to Mission Dolores Church, San Francisco, Feb. 21, 1900. Add.: Mission Dolores, 3321 16th St., San Francisco, Calif.
- (B) Mary A.: (Mrs. A. J. Cabral). Ch.: Richard, John, Thomas, Annie (m. John Koehnke, 1 son, John), Patrick.
- R155 BENJAMIN ROBERTS: came to New York State from Litchfield
- R156 HORACE ROBERT: father of
- R157 WILLIAM HENRY ROBERTS: m. Fanny Platner, dau. of a Holland Dutch settler somewhere near Cooperstown or Westford, Cherry Valley or Scherevus, Ostego Co., N. Y.
- R158 CHARLES ALBERT ROBERTS: m. Jennie Colby.
- R159 WALTER O. ROBERTS: b. Brockport, N. Y.; m. Helen Woodworth, of Rochester, N. Y., 1911.
- (1) Walter Otis, Jr.
- S160 JOHN A. ROBERTS: m. and had 3 ch.; served in the Confederate Army of the Civil War and carried Lee's last message to Jackson.
- (1) William Edwards: m. Rebecca Bertha White at Vicksburg, Miss., 1896-7.
- (A) William Edwards, Jr.: b. Vicksburg, Miss., Feb. 22, 1898; in 1917, enlisted in the U. S. Navy and went overseas; m., July

26, 1927, Grace Law. Ch.: Patricia Ann, b. July 4, 1928.

(2) Mamie: m. Charles Woodin, of Wesson, Miss.; 2 ch.: Albert and Charles.

(3) Morgan Hughes: m. Mae Paquet at Vicksburg; 1 son, John.

(B) Laura Evelyn: b. July 24, 1899; m., June, 1922, William Fair McDuff; have 2 daus., Rebecca Lee and Laura Evelyn.

(C) John Baldwin (Jack): b. Nov. 6, 1902, Vicksburg, Miss.

T161 DAVID ROBERTS: b. 1794; d. 1864; went to Michigan from Ohio some time in the 1830's; m. Cathrine Maguier and had

(1) Frank T.: b. 1848; d. 1882; m. Celia Ellsworth and had

(A) Lulu A. Roberts: b. 1872; m. Harry Brawnell; has 7 ch.

(B) Ellsworth Willis: b. 1874. Add.: 65 Rose St., Battle Creek, Mich.

(H) ROBERTS IN THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

Officers of the Continental Army

Algernon Roberts (Pa.). Lieutenant Philadelphia Battalion Pennsylvania Militia in 1776.

Benjamin (Va.). Captain of Clark's Illinois Regiment, 1778 to 1781.

Cyrus (Va.). 1st Lieutenant 14th Virginia, 28th November, 1776; Captain, 15th January, 1778; retired 30th September, 1778.

Daniel (Ga.). Lieutenant Georgia Rangers; taken prisoner at Savannah, 4th March, 1776; Major, 3d Georgia, 5th July, 1776; Lieutenant-Colonel, 2d Georgia, 21st March, 1778; died 18th November, 1779.

James (Mass.). 2d Lieutenant of Scammon's Massachusetts Regiment, May to December, 1775; Major and Lieutenant-Colonel Massachusetts Militia, 1776-1780.

Jesse (Pa.). 2nd Lieutenant of Lewis' Pennsylvania Battalion of the Flying Camp, July, 1776; 2d Lieutenant 10th Pennsylvania, 4th December, 1776, but does not appear to have joined this regiment.

John (Mass.). 1st Lieutenant of Spencer's Continental Regiment, 18th February, 1777; resigned 15th September, 1777.

John (N. Y.). 2d Lieutenant of Malcolm's Continental Regiment, 6th February, 1777; 1st Lieutenant, 17th November, 1777; Captain-Lieutenant, 16th June, 1778; resigned 1st April, 1779; name also spelled Robert.

John (Va.). Surgeon 6th Virginia, 1st February, 1777; transferred to 4th Virginia, 14th September, 1778; transferred to 10th Virginia, 1st August, 1779; served on staff of General Lafayette in 1781; served to close of war. (Died 21st April, 1821.)

John (Va.). Lieutenant of Clark's Illinois Regiment, 1779-1782.

John (N. C. and Va.). Lieutenant 5th North Carolina, 28th March, 1777; retired 1st June, 1778; Captain Virginia Convention Guards, 11th January, 1779; Major, 5th March, 1779; retired 1st May, 1781. (Died 30th November, 1843.)

Joseph (N. H.). Captain New Hampshire Militia, 1776.

Moses (Mass.). 1st Lieutenant, 15th Massachusetts, 1st January, 1777:

Captain, 1st March, 1779; killed at Young's House, 3d February, 1780.

Owen (S. C.). Major, 1st South Carolina, 17th June, 1775; Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th South Carolina (Artillery), 14th November, 1775; Colonel, 16th September, 1776; killed at Stono Ferry, 20th June, 1779.

Richard Brooke (S. C.). Captain 4th South Carolina (Artillery), 1779; Aide-de-Camp to General Lincoln in 1782, to close of war; Captain, 2d United States Infantry, 4th March, 1791; assigned to 2d Sub Legion, 4th September, 1792; Major, 3d Sub Legion, 28th February, 1793; assigned to 4th Infantry, 1st November, 1796; died 19th January, 1797.

Samuel (Pa.). Lieutenant Pennsylvania Militia, 1776-1777.

Thomas (Va.). Surgeon 10th Virginia, 1st October, 1778; transferred to 3d Virginia, 1st August, 1779, and served to close of war.

William (Pa.). Captain of Hart's Pennsylvania Battalion of the Flying Camp, July to December, 1776.

William (Va.). Lieutenant of Clark's Illinois Regiment, 1779-1781.

The following Roberts served in the American Revolution from the respective colonies. Figures following some of the names indicate the number of times those names appear on the records examined:

Connecticut: Aaron—4, Abiel—3, Abigail, Amos—2, Asahel, Ashbel, Benjamin, Caleb, Clank—2, Clerk, Collins, Constant—2, D., Daniel—4, David—8, Dudley—2, E., Ebenezer—6, Elijah—5, Eliphalet—2, Eliphalet, Jr., Ezekiel, Elisha—4, Freelone—5, G., George, Gideon, Giles, Hiram, Isaac—3, Isaiah, James—2, Jesse—2, Joel—2, John—18, John 2nd, Jonathan—6, Jonathan, Jr., Joseph—3, Josiah—2, Judah—2, Lebeus, Lemuel—3, Luke—4, Nathan—4, Nathaniel—6, Noah—2, Noah 1st, Parly, Peter—3, Phileman, Jr., Rozil, Samuel—10, Seth, Stephen—5, Thomas—2, William—7, Ziba. *Delaware*: Bignal, George—2, Henry—15, Jeremiah, John—27, Richard—4. *Georgia*: Aaron—2, Amon—2, Daniel, Drury, Elizabeth, Francis—2, Graystock, James—5, John—10, Jonas—3, Reuben—4, Richard—2, Rolin, Thomas—5. *Maryland*: Basil, Benjamin—2, Edward—7, Henry—3, Horatio—3, John—4, Nathan, Richard—2, Thomas—6, William—11, Zachariah. *Massachusetts*: Aaron, Abraham, Amasa, Ard, Benjamin—9, Christopher, Cuff, Daniel, David—5, Ebenezer, Edmund, Edward, Elijah, Fortune, Francis, George—3, Giles—2, James—2, Jeduthan, Jeremiah, John—13, Jonathan—4, Joseph—5, Josiah—2, Lemuel, Love, Moses—3, Peter—2, Reuben, Richard, Samuel—6, Seth, Thomas—6, William—14, William, Jr. *New Hampshire*: Amaziah, Benjamin—4, Cornelius—2, Daniel—2, Ebenezer, Edmund—2, Elisha—5, Ephraim—12, Francis—6, George—9, Griffith, Hatevil—4, James, James, Jr., Jeduthan—7, Jeremiah—2, Joel—4, John—13, Jonathan—3, Joseph—11, Joseph, Jr.—2, Joshua—2, Love—3, Love, Jr., Molly, Moses—17, Nathan—13, Nathaniel—2, Paul—5, Perley—3, Reuben—11, Samuel—14, Seth, Simon—5, Stephen, Thomas—7, Timothy—3, William—11, Ziba. *New Jersey*: Aaron, Adam, Edmund, Ichabod—2, Jacob, James, Jesse, John—3, Joseph—2, Matthew—2, Moses, Samuel, Sears, Stephen—3, Thomas, William—2. *New York*: Amos, Benjamin, Caleb, Daniel—3, Ezekiel, Lt. Ezekiel, Gilbert, Isaac, James—2, John—6, Jonathan, Peter—3, Thomas, Warren. *Pennsylvania*: Abner—2, Ann, Benjamin, Bignal, Clem, Clement—7, Clements, Daniel—4, David—5, Derick, Evan—7, Even, George—5, Griffith, Hugh, Isaac, Israel—2, Isral, Israle, Isreal, Jacob—2, James—8, Jemima, Jeremiah, Jesse—4, John—19, Jonathan—4, Joseph—9, Joshua, Leonard—2, Levi, Levick, Mary, Mordica—2, Nathan—8, Nathen, Nathn., Nathaniel, Patrick—9, Patt—3, Peter, Richard—11, Richison, Sale,

Sale, Jr., Samuel—12, Serick, Thomas—13, William—33. *Rhode Island*: David—7, Duty—6, Ephraim, Ira, John P.—11, Knight—5, Oliver—4, William—5. *Vermont*: Benjamin—4, Christian, Christopher—5, David—6, Eliakim—3, Ezekiel—2, Jeduthan—3, Joel—3, John—18, Lemuel—9, Peter—9, Samuel, Silas, William—7. *Virginia*: Abraham, Alexander, Ambrose, Anthony, Azariah, Barnard, Benjamin—4, Bernard, Cyrus—2, Daniel, David, Edward, Eliab, Elias, Elisha, Evan, George 2nd, Godfrey—2, Godfry, Henry, Hezekiah, Isaac, Izra, Jacob, James, John—6, Joseph—2, Mathew, Michael, Moses, Mourning, Obadiah, Obedience, Philip, Richard—2, Robert, Spencer, Stephen, Thomas—3, William—5, Wilson—2. *Total* 1004.

(I) PROMINENT ROBERTS OF AMERICA, PAST GENERATIONS

MAJOR-GEN. BENJAMIN STONE ROBERTS: Soldier; b., Manchester, Vt., 1811; grad., U. S. Military Academy, 1835; invented the Roberts breech-loading rifle. He was assistant geologist of N. Y. and, in 1842, aided Lt. Geo. W. Whistler in constructing the Russian system of railroads. After serving in the Civil War he was professor of military science at Yale until his retirement.

EDMUND QUINCY: Diplomat; b., Portsmouth, N. H., 1784. It was owing to his suggestion that Congress sent out the U. S. vessels "Peacock" and "Boxer" to make treaties with Muscat, Siam and Cochin-China, appointing him special diplomatic agent. For a detailed account of his successes there see "Embassy to the Eastern Courts" (N. Y., 1837).

ELLIS HENRY: LL.D.; journalist; b., Utica, N. Y., 1827; served in the State Legislature and in Congress, and was president of the Onondaga Historical Society.

GEORGE WASHINGTON: Soldier; b., Chester Co., Pa., 1833; practiced law in his native county and in Chicago. At the battle of Stone River, Tenn., in 1862, Colonel Roberts led the advance of the 20th Army Corps, drove the enemy to their breastworks and was killed while leading the 42nd Illinois in a successful charge.

HOWARD: Sculptor; b., Phila., 1843; studied at the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts and, later, at the Ecole des Beaux-Arts in Paris. His statuette, "Hester and Pearl," exhibited in 1872, won him a membership in the Pennsylvania Academy, and his sculpture, "La Premiere Pose," was awarded a medal at the Centennial Exposition of 1876.

JAMES BOOTH: Actor; b., Newcastle, Del., 1818; made his debut at the Walnut Street Theatre in Philadelphia, 1836, as Richmond in "Richard III." Later he played at the Drury Lane Theatre in London, and wrote a version of Goethe's "Faust," which he produced in Philadelphia, playing Mephistophiles.

JOB: Agriculturist; b. near Gwynedd, Pa., 1757. He promoted the manufacture of silk and was among the first men in Pennsylvania to introduce and breed merino sheep.

JONATHAN: Senator; b., Upper Merion, Pa., 1771; s. of Jonathan, who served in the Assembly and was one of the delegates to the convention that ratified the constitution of 1787. He served in the Assembly, Congress and the U. S. Senate, and was appointed by President Tyler collector of the Port of Philadelphia.

JOSEPH: Soldier; b., Middletown, Del., 1814; grad., U. S. Military Academy, 1835; was assigned to 4th Artillery and served in the Florida war. He was breveted brigadier-general of the U. S. Army and of Volunteers for meritorious service during the Civil War, and, in 1877, was promoted to the rank of colonel and placed on the retired list.

MARSHALL OWEN: Merchant; b., New York City, 1814; s. of a physician who came from Wales in 1798. He built the "Hendrik Hudson" and took a great interest in the Texas Pacific Railroad, investing nearly two million dollars in the enterprise. When Ft. Monroe was threatened in 1861, he raised 1000 men at his own expense and sent them on his steamer "America" to reinforce the garrison.

ROBERT ELLIS: Author; b., Utica, N. Y., 1809. He moved to Detroit, Mich., in 1827, and was responsible for many public improvements in that place.

ROBERT RICHFORD: M. E. bishop; b., Frederick Co., Md., 1778; m. to Ligonier Valley, Pa., 1785; elected bishop May 14th, 1816. He is buried at Greencastle, Ind., on the grounds of De Pauw Univ.

SAMUEL: Lawyer; b., Phila., 1763; was appointed president-judge of the 5th judicial district of Pennsylvania, 1803, and held the office until his death. He was the author of several valuable works on law.

SOLOMON WHITE: Civil engineer; b., Phila., 1811. During a notable career as engineer, he constructed canals, tunnels and railroads. He also served in the Legislature and was a member of many learned societies.

WILLIAM: D.D.; clergyman; b., Llanerchymedd, Wales, 1809; had charge of Welsh churches in New York, Scranton and Utica; several times served as Moderator of the United States Welsh Presbyterian General Assembly.

WILLIAM MILNOR: Civil engineer; b., Phila., 1810; s. of Thomas P. Roberts, treasurer of the Union Canal. In 1879 the Emperor of Brazil appointed him chief of a commission of engineers to examine and report upon the improvement of harbors and navigable rivers of that empire. He died when the survey was nearly complete.

THOMAS PASCHALL: Civil engineer; b., Carlisle, Pa., 1843; joined his father, William Milnor, in Brazil in 1863, when he was employed as an engineer on the Dom Pedro II railway. Later he filled various government positions and made the first examination of the route through the Rocky Mountains, which was adopted by the Northern Pacific Railroad.

(J) PROMINENT AMERICAN ROBERTS OF TODAY

ALBERT H. ROBERTS: Ex-governor; b., Overton Co., Tenn., 1868; s. John A.; A.M., 1892, Hiwassee Coll., Sweetwater, Tenn.; practiced law in Overton Co. and adjoining counties, 1894-1910; mem. M. E. Ch. Add.: Nashville, Tenn.

ALICE MUMFORD: Artist.

ARTHUR JEREMIAH: College pres., b., Waterboro, Md., 1867; s. Albert Hall; B.A., Colby Coll., 1890; M.A., Harvard, 1900; Prof. English lit., 1895-1908; pres. since 1908, Colby Coll. Add.: Waterville, Me.

BENSON HOWARD: Editor; b., Brockport, N. Y., 1853; s. Rev. Benjamin Titus; educ., Dartmouth Coll., 1876; editor and pub. of *The Earnest Christian*

and Golden Rule (1893-1906). Add.: Catonsville, Md.

BRIGHAM HENRY: Ex-Congressman; b., Warrington, Lancashire, Eng., 1857; came to U. S. 1866, settled Utah. Chiefly engaged as editor and writer; has traveled extensively in United States and British Isles. Add.: Brooklyn, N. Y.

(HENRY) CHALMERS: Editor; b., Austin, Tex., 1870; s. Maj-Gen. A. S.; educ. in private schools and univs. of Va. and Tex.; was attached to U. S. Legation, Constantinople, during 2nd Cleveland administration. Add.: London, England.

CHARLES HUMPHREY: Lawyer.

CLARENCE J.: Lawyer; b., Jefferson Co., Ind., 1873; s. Dan A.; educ., common schools and Southern Ind. Normal School; admitted to Ind. Bar, 1894; mem. 37th Legislative Assembly, N. M., 1909. Add.: Sante Fe, N. M.

EDWIN EWING: Congressman.

ELMER: Newspaper corr.; b., Lagro, Wabash Co., Ind., 1863; s. Rev. Lewis; De Pauw Univ., class of 1885; Reporter Terre Haute, Ind., Express, 1885. Author of "Monarchical Socialism in Germany" (1913). Add.: Paris, France.

ERNEST WILLIAM: Ex-Congressman.

FLORENCE: Actress; b., New York, 1871; d. Henry B.; educ., San Francisco; debut at Baldwin Theatre, San Francisco, 1888, as a super doing extra work. Some of her plays are "Faust," "Magda," etc.

FRANK HUNT HURD: Coll. pres.; b., Mt. Vernon, Ohio, 1869; s. John Henry; Ph.D., Univ. of Denver, 1903; LL.D., 1915; engaged in newspaper work, Ohio, 1889-93; mem. Am. Hist. Assn.; lecturer on history and pedagogy, Colo., 1901-03. Add.: El Paso, Texas.

GEORGE: Agronomist; b., Burnside, Ky., 1873; s. Missouri; B. Ped., Univ. of Ky., 1899; teacher public schools of Ky., 1889-95; mem. Am. Soc. Agronomy, Kentucky Academy Sciences. Add.: Lexington, Ky.

GEORGE EVAN: Banker; b., Delaware Co., Ia., 1857; s. David; educ., common schools of Ia.; learned the printer's trade; proprietor Fort Dodge Messenger, 1878-1909. Author of "Coin at School in Finance," 1895. Add.: New York.

GEORGE LITCH: Lawyer; b., Boston, 1836; s. Reuben; attended Harvard Law School, 1862; principally identified with patent litigation; mem. Phi Beta Kappa; wrote essay "The Domain of Utilitarian Ethics." Add.: Brookline, Mass.

GEORGE LUCAS: University prof.; b., Decatur Co., Ind., 1860; s. William; A.M., Columbia, 1910; Master's Diploma in Edn., Teachers' Coll. (Columbia), 1910; head dept. of edn., Purdue Univ., since 1908; mem. Kappa Delta Pi; Methodist. Add.: Lafayette, Ind.

HARLAN PAGE: Lawyer.

HENRY: Ex-Governor.

HERBERT RUFUS: Coll. prof.; b., Brooksville, Me., 1865; s. Darius Lawrence; student Alliance Francaise, Paris, 1898; has served as trustee, Brown Pub. Library, and supt. and dir. pub. schools, Northfield, Vt.; Methodist. Add.: Northfield, Vt.

ISAAC PHILLIPS: Educator.

JAMES COLE: Mining engr.; b., Warren Co., N. C., 1863; s. Frederick Cox; Ph.B., Univ. of N. C.; chemist and mill engr. in N. C., 1885-87; now

mgr. Safety Council, Denver; mem. Am. Inst. Mining and Metall. Engrs. Add.: Denver, Colo.

JAMES HUDSON: Clergyman.

JOHN BINGHAM: Surgeon.

JOHN EMERSON: Clergyman.

KATE LOUISE: b., Lodi, N. J.; d. James; grad., Normal School, Newark, N. J.; studied art and music in Berlin and Munich; formerly with pub. library, N. Y. City; compiler of "The Club Woman's Handybook of Programs and Club Management" (1914). Add.: S. Orange, N. J.

KENNETH LEWIS: Writer; b., Kennebunk, Me., 1885; s. Frank Lewis; A.B., Cornell Univ., 1908; editor-in-chief, Cornell Widow, 1905-08; mem. Authors' League America; mem. of St. Botolph Club. Author of "Black Magic." Add.: Phila., Pa.

MARY ELEANOR: Author.

MARY FANTON: Editor; b., New York, 1871; d. W. H.; educ., Albany Female Acad.; was 4 years staff writer on Herald Tribune; on editorial staff Woman's Home Companion. Add.: New York.

MILNOR: Mining engr.; b., New York, 1877; s. William Milnor; A.B., Leland Stanford Univ., 1899; instr. mineralogy, Stanford Univ., 1900; mem. Wash. State Geol. Survey, 1901-02; Episcopalian; mem. Seattle Golf Club. Add.: Seattle, Wash.

OCTAVIA: Author.

OWEN JOSEPHUS: Lawyer; b., Phila., 1875; s. Josephus R.; LL.B., Univ. of Pa., 1898; began practice at Phila., 1898; appointed special dep. atty. gen. to represent U. S. Govt. in prosecution of cases arising under Espionage Act in Eastern Dist. of Pa.; mem. Psi Upsilon. Add.: Philadelphia.

PERCIVAL, JR.: Capitalist; b., Phila., 1857; s. Percival; A.B., Haverford Coll., 1876; director U. S. Steel Corp'n. (mem. finance com.). Add.: Philadelphia.

PETER: Clergyman; b. Dowlais, S. Wales, 1859; grad., Brecon Memorial Coll., 1883; ordained Congl. ministry, 1886; mem. Senatus Academicus, London, Eng. Author of "Anthracite Coal Industry" (1902). Add.: Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

ROBERT: Lawyer; b., Manchester, Vt., 1848; s. Daniel; continued studies Paris and Geneva, 1871-72; began practice at Burlington, 1871; mem. Vt. House of Rep., 1882; mem. S. A. R. Author of "Digest of Decisions of Supreme Court of Vt. from 1879-1910." Add.: Burlington, Vt.

ROY ALLISON: Newspaper corr.; b., Muscotah, Kan., 1887; s. Thomas Stone; Univ. of Kan., 1905-07; began with Lawrence (Kan.) World, 1905, and became city editor; served as capt. Adj.-Gen.'s Dept., Camp Sherman, O.; mem. Alpha Tau Omega; Congregationalist. Add.: Washington, D. C.

SHELBY SAUFLEY: Civil engr.; b., Louisville, Ky., 1874; s. Bolin Emery; LL.B., Washington Coll. of Law, 1925; began in employ of maintenance dept., I. C. R. R., 1898; admitted to bar of D. C., 1925; mem. Am. Ry. Engineering Assn.; Episcopalian. Add.: Washington, D. C.

STEWART RALPH: Prof. medicine; b., Oxford, Ga., 1878; s. James William; studied Harvard Medical School, 1905, 14, 16; physician to Wesley Memorial Hospital; mem. Med. Assn. of Ga. (v. p.); Methodist. Add.: Atlanta, Ga.

THEODORE: Actor.

THOMAS PASCHALL: Engineer.

THOMAS SADLER: M.D.; b., Phila., 1858; s. John; moved to Minn., 1867; M.D.; Univ. of Pa., 1883; interne Phila. Children's Hospital and Phila. City Hospital; mem. Council Am. Ornithologists' Union. Add.: Minneapolis, Minn.

WALTER ADOLPHE: Editor, author; b. at sea, off Jamaica, 1885; s. Adolphus; educ., public schools; editor The American Parade since 1925; mem. Poetry Soc. America. Add.: Brooklyn, N. Y.

WARREN RUSSELL: Civil and mining engr.; b., Sadorus, Champaign Co., Ill., 1863; s. Samuel Martin; gen. engineering practice, 1888-91; engr. of bridges; mem. Am. Soc. C. E. and of Engineers' Club. Add.: Chicago.

WIGHTMAN DURAND: Editor; b., Weaverville, N. C., 1873; s. Jacob Riley; educ., Weaver Coll. and Central Univ. of Ky.; formerly country newspaper editor and railroad industrial writer; founder, 1908, Appalachian Trade Journal, Knoxville, Tenn.; Rep. candidate for Congress, 1924; Episcopalian. Add.: Huntington, W. Va.

WILLIAM BLAIR: Bishop; b., Detroit, Mich., 1881; s. Rev. William Jackson; grad., Berkeley Div. School, 1908; missionary in charge Dallas and other points in the Rosebud Country, S. D., 1908-22; mem. Psi Upsilon and of Soc. Colonial Wars. Add.: Sioux Falls, S. D.

(K) ROBERTS TOWNS, ETC.

There are in the United States towns as follows:

ROBERTS: Idaho, Ill., Md., Miss., Mont., Oregon, Wis.; ROBERTSBURG: W. Va.; ROBERTS CAMP: Calif.; ROBERTSDALE: Ala., Pa.; ROBERTSON: Iowa, Wyo.; ROBERTSTOWN: Ga.; ROBERTSVILLE: Mo., Ohio. There are also in the United States numerous counties, townships, streets, avenues, etc., bearing the name "Roberts." This is eloquent testimony to the high esteem in which the name is held in this country.

(L) ROBERTS CENSUS OF THE UNITED STATES

The compiler of these records has made up a list from city and telephone directories of the United States, and from other sources, as follows. Care was taken to eliminate, wherever possible, persons known or believed to be colored, or of nationalities other than British and American:

Alabama	271	Maine	131	Oklahoma	246
Arizona	40	Maryland	134	Oregon	60
Arkansas	69	Massachusetts	851	Pennsylvania	1135
California	955	Michigan	484	Rhode Island	125
Colorado	235	Minnesota	182	South Carolina	26
Connecticut	272	Mississippi	74	South Dakota	27
District of Columbia	142	Missouri	214	Tennessee	361
Delaware	30	Montana	90	Texas	831
Florida	528	Nebraska	112	Utah	16
Georgia	329	Nevada	14	Vermont	33
Idaho	60	New Hampshire	77	Virginia	243
Illinois	816	New Jersey	427	Washington	199
Indiana	491	New Mexico	18	West Virginia	163
Iowa	147	New York	692	Wisconsin	172
Kansas	190	North Carolina	120	Wyoming	11
Kentucky	229	North Dakota	14		
Louisiana	89	Ohio	987	Total	13,162

To secure an estimate of the "Roberts population" of the United States, we figure as follows:

	(a) multiply by
Only about half the names were taken from each directory consulted	2
Half of the Roberts reside in the rural districts or in small towns having no printed directories which were available to us.....	2
There is an average of more than four persons in each American family.....	4
Since Roberts daughters marry and have as many descendants as the Roberts sons, there are as many descendants of "other names" as there are bearing the name Roberts (though it is much easier to locate the latter.....	2
By multiplying each figure of column (a) into the preceding figure, we have a total of.....	32
Conservative estimate of the Roberts population of the United States, one-half of whom bear the name Roberts and one-half of whom bear other names.....	421,184

The estimated Roberts population of any of the states may be obtained by multiplying the figures shown by 32. There are Roberts in every state of the Union. The Roberts population of the British Empire is probably equal to that in the United States.

(M) RELIGIONS OF THE ROBERTS

For several centuries the Robertses lived in Wales, England and North Ireland. Most of the British (with the exception of those living in South Ireland) and, likewise, the Robertses were and are of the Protestant faith.

There are a few Robertses of the Catholic faith in the British Isles, but it is estimated that their number does not exceed three per cent. of the entire Roberts population.

The Robertses who came from the British Isles to America continued in the faith of their fathers, for the most part, though their descendants in this country today will be found in the memberships of practically all the various churches. It is estimated that of all the Robertses in America who are church members, at least ninety-five per cent. are of the Protestant faith.

Biographical sketches of 45 Robertses appear in WHO'S WHO IN AMERICA. Their religious faiths are shown as follows: CONGREGATIONALIST, 3; EPISCOPAL, 5; METHODIST, 4; METHODIST EPISCOPAL, 1; other PROTESTANTS, 4; religion not stated, 28.

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