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Society Notes

VENTURA ADVENTURE...☆

WHAT spells disaster to any other program chairman - the program that just falls apart at the last moment - turned out to make a most pleasant evening on June 1st. We were "loaded" with research material and source material that included an especially beautiful and unusual history - genealogy displayed by Mrs. Elizabeth Mueting of Ventura, a six-volume "Representative Citizens of Connecticut" (Amer. Hist. Soc.); latest "find" of Foster Gilbody, four shoe boxes of Hartford Times genealogical clippings, clipped, mounted and filed by Lilian Fish, and shared with us; and Tom Collins had both arms full of treasures... Who needed a program???

We started a "beginner" group, T. Collins and W. Gilbody, profs.

We'll lose secretary Barbara Vaughn to the ranks of the employed. We'll miss her for she kept our attention on the business at hand at meetings---genealogy is so delightfully undisciplined! We wish her good luck, and thank her for a fine job.

---Winnie Gilbody

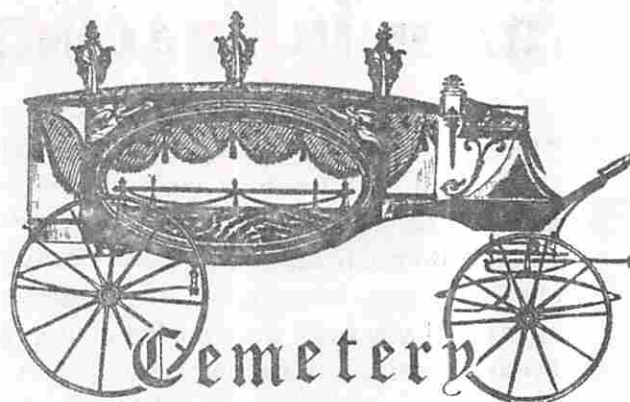
BURBANK HOBBY SHOW...☆

Many contacts were made and considerable interest generated. We added at least fifty names to our guest book.

One of our members, Mr. Alfred Seeley of Burbank, received first place award for his family tree, and second place award for a chart. The main aim of our participation in the event was to obtain publicity for the Society, and this we did, even though we did not win any awards for the Society.

President Ruth Enyeart, Frances Blackburn, Alice West and Louis Monthaven took turns in manning the booth.

---Louis J. Monthaven



Cemetery Inscriptions

BREWER'S GREEN MOUNTAIN CEMETERY
Near Raymond, California (Private)

PERMISSION to copy these inscriptions was given to Mrs. Bettie J. Francis of Fresno, California, for publication in "The Searcher", with the understanding that no one be encouraged to try to get into the cemetery, since it is on private property and no trespassing is allowed.

Willis F. BREWER, 1881-1966.

Alice P. BREWER, 1888-1909.

Alice R. BREWER, Apr. 1889-July 1915.

Martha F. BREWER, Mother, Nov. 1861
-Oct. 1918.

Willis BREWER, father, Jan. 1852-July
1929.

Elizabeth J. PAINE, Mar. 29, 1877-Feb.
18, 1912.

John T. PAINE, Jan. 11, 1875-Nov. 18,
1924.

Charles PAINE, Mar. 29, 1877-Feb. 14,
1928.

Violet J. BROWN, June 1898-May 1937.

Rebecca A. MONAHAN, Mar. 29, 1870-
Feb. 11, 1937.

James J. MONAHAN, June 15, 1846-Aug.
24, 1922.

Martha M. SUMNER, Mother, 1887-1935.

Louis L. PHELPS, 1891-1938.

Charles E. PHELPS, Calif. Pvt. 20 Eng.,
June 10-1931.

William H. PHELPS, 1864-1935.

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Delilah H. PHELPS, 1869-1935.
 Roy Robert PHELPS, Feb. 21, 1905-July 21, 1952.
 Alta COOK, Daughter, Dec. 20, 1914-Aug. 29, 1931.
 Florence M. COOK, Mother, Aug. 11, 1897-Aug. 22, 1951.
 William A. COOK, Father, Mar. 17, 1875-Oct. 29, 1952.
 Our Darling June H. CALHOUN, Aug. 24, 1919, Aug. 27, 1924.
 Marion CHALFANT, (no dates).
 Mary E. CHALFANT, 1862-1926.
 James L. CHALFANT, 1849-1928.
 William L. CHALFANT, 1885-1951.
 Beloved Father W. H. POUNDS, 1865-1938.
 Mr. King, (no dates).
 Andrew SPARKS, 1876-1952.
 Berta L. JOHNSON SPARKS, 1875-1917.
 Sarah A. CARSON, Apr. 1868-Dec. 1916.
 Robert L. PAINE, Jan. 1866-Oct. 1922.
 Eliza J. UPTON, Dec. 1, 1884-Oct. 5, 1915.
 J. G. SEATON, May 19, 1852-May 12, 1934.
 Andrew J. LYLE, (no dates).
 Mrs. JARVIS, (no dates).
 Mrs. WOOD, (no dates).

LIMA CENTER BURYING GROUND Washtenaw Co., Michigan

This is one of the older cemeteries in the county, and it contains the graves of many of the Washtenaw pioneers. A recent check showed that many of the stones are becoming illegible and several have broken during the recent cold weather. The cemetery is located on Lima Center Road, two miles north of the Chelsea-Dexter Road, and about three and a half miles east of Chelsea.

This compilation was originally made in 1951. Additional work and corrections have been made recently by Harold Jones of Chelsea. The records were supplied to "The Searcher" by member Betty L.

Zabinsky of Dexter, Michigan (Z-2).
 Cyrus ALLEN, s. of James and Elizabeth, d. 22 April 1849, ae. 13yr., 11mo.
 Henry ALLEN, s. of Charles D. and Frances, d. 4 Dec. 1864, 2yr., 2mo., 2 days.
 Eliza BACKUS, In Memory of Eliza, w. of J. Backus, who d. 11 Apr. 1853, ae 28 yrs.
 Henry BAKER, d. ae. 41 yrs.
 Stephen BEACH, b. 27 April 1827, d. 22 Oct. 1902.
 Amanda BEACH, b. 29 June 1829, d. 27 May 1872.
 Chauncey BOYCE, d. 17 Dec. 1862.
 Mary BOYCE, d. 12 Aug. 1872, ae. 63 yrs., 10 mo. 2 days.
 Alanson BOYCE, d. Nov. 19, 1862, ae. 61 yrs., 11 mo.
 Rogers CARR, d. 12 Dec. 1838, ae. 62 yrs., 1 mo., 13 days.
 Hannah CARR, w. of Rogers, d. 13 Sept. 1870, ae. 91 yrs., 10 mo. 3 days.
 Hannah DERBY, dau. of C. and C. Derby, d. 17 April 1842, ae. 8 mo., 2 days.
 Pernina DERBY, w. of S.S. Derby, d. 20 April 1853, ae. 44 yrs., 10 mo., 24 days.
 Andrew HEININGER, d. 5 Sept. 1877, ae. 79 yrs., 2 mo., 7 days.
 Peley JOHNSON, d. 8 Jan. 1872, ae. 86 yrs., 5 mo.
 Abigail JOHNSON, w. of Peley, d. 11 Jan. 1864, ae. 71 yrs., 4 mo., 20 days.
 David D. JOHNSON, s. of Peley and Abigail, d. 17 Aug. 1847.
 William JOHNSON, d. 13 June 1858, ae. 36 yrs., 3 mo., 17 days.
 Sarah JOHNSON, w. of William, d. 19 Nov. 1871, ae. 45 yrs., 1 mo., 18 days.
 Eva JOHNSON, inf. dau. of Geo. and C., d. 16 Nov. 1878.
 George JOHNSON, s. of Geo. and C., d. 15 Sept. 18--.
 William H. JOHNSON, d. 3 Mar. 1877, ae. 22 yrs., 2 mo.
 Adelbert JOHNSON, s. of Wm. and S.C., d. 27 Dec. 1849, ae. 6 mo., 16 days.

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Cemetery Inscriptions



SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Cemetery
Inscriptions, copied by Marian Roddy
Peer of Oceanside, California.

MISSION SAN LUIS REY CEMETERY, San
Luis Rey, California:

VAN KILSDONK, Mary, b. Holland 14
March 1867, d. San Miguel, Calif., 5
July 1936; John, b. Holland 18 June
1843, d. San Diego, Calif., 10 Jan. 1918.

LANDRY, Therisina, 1869-1932.

MORAGE, Viviana and Baby, 1896-1921.

ITZAINA, Maria (mother), b. 15 Dec.
1867, d. 7 May 1920; Juan (father), b.
26 Dec. 1853, d. 25 June 1927.

McKAY, Mary K., 1865-1920.

O'HEARN, Bruce D., 1890-1921, G. Y.
U. S. Navy.

CARRANZA, Josefa Carranza de Aurelia
(no dates).

GOMEZ, Simon, b. 5 Jan. 1895, d. 31
Oct. 1918, in France with AEF, Co. K,
363 Inf.

GOMEZ, Custodia (mother), b. 12 Apr.
1861, d. 22 July 1944.

WILSON, Refugio (mother), b. 4 July 1836,
d. 30 Nov. 1919.

ASTILLO, Maria A., Fallecio el 9 de
Enero de 1921, de 4 Anos de Edad.

DELPY, Antoine, d. 20 Dec. 1903, ae.
41; Julian, d. 8 Apr., 1923, ae. 75.

ACHADO, Mary D., b. 21 Aug. 1895,
d. 2 Apr. 1925.

MARRON, Juan M., b. 24 Feb. 1851, d.
16 May 1924.

BOYLE, Neil, 1849-1925.

PERALTA, Sr. G., 1865-1925.

GOMEZ, Roman, 1852-1926.

FOUSSAT, D., 1869-1926.

SALGADO, Miguel, b. 11 Oct. 1868, d. 22
June 1931.

CARRILLO, Ygnacio R., b. 1872, d. 1931.

BOYD, Aurelia J., June 1898-June 1928.

PETERS, Maria, 1859-1930; Stevan, 1853-
1932.

PETERS, Margaret S., 1869-1945.

CLANCY, Edward L., 1855-1933; Emma
M., 1863-1942.

RONSE, Ernest, 1858-1942, Elodie, 1856-
1931.

SAMPO, Mary Theresa, 1928.

CARPENTER, Frank J., 1866-1929.

MARRON, Rosa V. (mother), 1867-1940;
Silvestre (father), 1860-1928.

MARRON, Abran L., 1864-1928.

OSUNA, Ramon, 1856-1923.

SHERIDAN, Michael, 1854-1924; Alice,
1857-1925.

SMITH, Tula (mother), 1881-1922.

LUSARDI, Margaret (mother), 1860-1933;
Frank (father), 1848-1915.

ABILEZ, Frank J., b. 7 Aug. 1921, d. 4
May 1929.

ORMSBY, Frances, 1879-1902.

CARRILLO, Petra, Nuncio en 1850, Fallecio
el 7 de Enero, de 1913.

MARRON, Silvestre, 1828-1905.

PICO, Magdalena, 1819-1909; J. C., 1846-
1875; J. A., 1871; A. 1857-1908; J.D.,
1874; A. Osuna 1902-1905 (all on same stone).

MEBACH, Bernard, 1828-1898; Katherine,
his wife, 1832-1906.

FREEMAN, Adela, 1865 (wooden cross).

MORENO de BANDINI, Carolina, d. 19 Nov.
1873, ae. 21.

JAMES, Katherine Frances, 1870-1915.

ALVARADO, Ycidro M., n. 3 Oct. 1811,
fallecio 13 de Enero 1863.

MUGAN, John, 1861-1916.

MUGAN, Katherine, 1890-1893; (same stone)
SPARKS, Quartie, 1890-1907.

FOX, Guy, 1884-1936.

HERMANS, Miss Mary, b. Sept. 1871; Mrs.
Mary A., b. Nov. 1881, (same death date)
27 Jan. 1916. (Continued next page)



CEMETERY INSCRIPTIONS (Continued)...

- ROMO, E. M., 26 Oct. 1864-30 Nov. 1929;
 Juanita C., 21 Oct. 1875-9 Jan. 1960;
 Chone (mother), 1836-1924; Antonio (father) 1826-1914; POLLORENO, Amelia, (daughter), 1868-1898.
- ROMO, Francisco (old wooden marker, no dates)
- ROMERO, Marguerita C. ("our beloved mother") 1887-1914 (same lot as above).
- BOYLE, John, native of Dungloe, Donegal County, Ireland (no dates).
- MARRON, David J., b. 17 May 1884, d. 25 July 1950; Mary R. (dates not cut).
- DALLAND, Mary A., b. L. A. 24 May 1887, d. Vista 6 Apr. 1893.
- MELENDREZ, Eduardo, b. 10 May 1906, d. 10 Nov. 1909.
- GOMEZ, Juan (wooden cross, no dates).
- BLACKWELL, Minnie, 1862-1900.
- OSLAVICKY, Fr. Laurentinus O., OFM, 1897-1928.
- MOLIDA, Manuel (wood cross, no dates).
- CHAVEZ, Maria Elena, b. 29 July 1915, d. 4 Aug. 1916; Bartolome, b. 24 Aug. 1872, d. 3 Enero 1943.
- BOURDIEU, Frank, b. France, 1 Aug. 1853, d. 29 Oct. 1899.
- VER BOORT, John, b. Holland, 31 July 1833, d. 13 Jan. 1909.
- HERMANS, b. 19 Dec. 1837, d. 8 May 1912.
- LARSON, Clara, 1908-1912; Helen, 1915-1918.
- PICO, C. C., 29 March 1926.
- FOSTER, Bell M., d. 28 Dec. 1905, ae. 24.
- DEGENHART, Christopher (dates not cut); Florence, 1896-1961.
- WALSH, Alice V., 1880-1961; MAXWELL, Agnes T., 1910-not cut (same stone).
- KNOX, Edna, 1889-1964; YOCH, Josephine, 1879-1966 (same stone).
- CANTARINA, Paul, 22 July 1847-14 March 1905; Antonia, 14 Nov. 1870-9 March 1903.
- FOUSSAT, Frances C., 1887-1954.
- CORBY, Thomas W. 1844-1924; Anna, his wife, 1848-1916.

WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS!

- B78 - Francis L. Brown, Redondo Beach.
 B79 - Diane Bossingham, Arleta, Calif.
 C55 - Mrs. Donald Campbell, Vista, Calif.
 E15 - Mrs. Orwyn H. Ellis, L. A., Calif.
 F39 - Tollice Y. Furnish, Long Beach, Calif.
 G39 - Amalia F. Guzman, Long Beach, Calif.
 H73 - Maxine Hertrich, Santa Monica, Calif.
 H74 - Edna Hann, Venice, Calif.
 K29 - Mrs. Grace H. Keiffer, Redlands, Calif.
 M79 - Richard McDonald, Long Beach, Calif.
 M80 - Margaret McLallen, Glendale, Calif.
 R51 - Dr. Edw. L. Roberts, Los Alamitos, Calif.
 S79 - Mary W. Stevens, Lakewood, Calif.
 T23 - Dorothy R. Thayer, Lawndale, Calif.
 T24 - Mark E. Thomas, Saratoga, Calif.
 W53 - G. H. Womble, Laguna Hills, Calif.

POSTSCRIPT...

Now that this issue has been printed... except this page, of course, we look back and wonder how we ever got it out. The Reed and Don Franklin are vacationing, so we had to do without the publishing and the proof reading departments. We tried to catch all the errors, but at least one crept in...that horrible spelling of "barricaded" on page 121. There are probably more...we don't dare look.

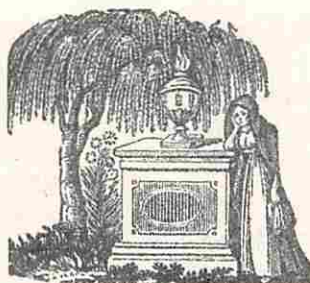
But this all reminds us, we are terribly short of editorial assistance. Sure, we've been offered help, but it has been of a token sort. There must be some writers in this group, and we'd be awfully pleased to hear from them. We even need a proof reader or two, too.

Your comments and suggestions are greatly appreciated. And if you care to volunteer for an editorship of a department, you might just get a job. The pay is the pleasure you get out of it, but that in itself is quite considerable.

Correspondence may be sent direct to the editor, Richard E. Coe, 321 South Beverly Drive, Beverly Hills, California, 90212.

ORANGE COUNTY CALIFORNIA
 GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY

Cemetery



Inscriptions

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Cemetery
Inscriptions, copied by Marian Roddy
Peer of Oceanside, California:

All Saints Church and Cemetery, SAN LUIS
REY, CALIFORNIA.

Sarah Jane STILES, w. of Charles W.
STONE, 1835-1910.

Benjamin Franklin LIBBY, b. 7 Apr. 1846,
d. 17 March 1921. His w. Margaret,
1856-1932.

Anne Edith, w. of Henry Percival MILLS,
and dau. of B. F. LIBBY, d. 14 March
1910.

Gilbert Laurie PORTEUS, 1894-1954.

C. Gosforth PORTEOUS, 1861-1904; his
w. Grace LIBBY, 1875-1961.

Rodolph Lawrence Johnson, 1881-1951.

Katherine LIBBY Johnson, 1878-1954.

Harold FAGELUND, d. 5 Apr. 1897, 23 y.

Edith Katharine LYNES, d. 8 July 1935;

Robert, d. 2 Feb. 1945, John Henry
YOUNG, 1845-1936, Fanny FINLAY
Young, 1855-1944 (All in same lot).

Lionel VAN DEERLIN, 1880-1952, Gladys,
1892-

Mother, Lilla W. Sickler, nee CURTIS,
b. 25 Sept. 1855, d. 26 March 1939;
Father, Marion M. SICKLER, Sgt. Sig-
nal Service, U. S. Army, b. 29 Jan.
1851, d. 5 June 1940.

Jeffrey Edward TAYLOR, 1 Aug. 1964-7
Aug. 1964.

Edna Frances TITMAS, 1885-1958; son
Philip H. TITMAS, Jr., 12 Feb. 1942,
23 Oct. 1961.

The Rev. Arthur Cope DODD, 1870-1952.

Helen REILLY Dodd, 1882-1949.

Robert Gordon HAVERMALE, b. 1935, d.
1965.

Nan M. McLouglin, 19 June 1880 - 29
Nov. 1953; hus. Thomas F. McLOUGH-
LIN, 21 Aug. 1875 - 31 Aug. 1954.

George D. NEWHAM, 1866-1931.

F. E. NEWHAM, 1862-1918.

Henry W. LANGFORD, 1914-1931.

George Cornelius BARLOW, Calif.

Warrant Boatswain, U. S. Navy, 26
Jan. 1936.

H. E. WIMPERIS, A. WIMPERIS, no
dates.

Alexander Bewicke BLACKBURN, d.
27 Feb. 1929.

E. W. WHITE (wooden cross, no dates).

Bertha HORNE, 1873-1931.

Francis J. GUMBEL, 1893 - ;
Katharine, 1893-1962.

Rev. Geo. L. POTTER, 10 Oct. 1895
- 17 Feb. 1955.

Nicholas Wylie WILSON, 1885-1931; w.

Anna M. PEARSON, 1885-1961.

Kate SADLER, Jan. 1856-Dec. 1925;

Maud GRAVELY, 1860-1941.

F. MACAULEY, A. McCARTER (no
dates, wooden crosses).

William D. NIETFELD, 1891-1935.

Francis William REYNOLDS, b. 19
Oct. 1865, d. 8 Jan. 1896.

Alice Emma EDMONDS, 1863-1958,
Dennys EDMONDS, 1868-1962.

Arthur R. ANDERSON, 1889-1962.

Charles Cochrane LeBAS, 1858-1925;
Marion ECKFORD LeBas, 1933-

Agnes STUART Grahame, 16 Feb. 1880
-24 Oct. 1964; Reginald Baldwin

GRAHAME, 20 July 1885-29 Nov. 1942.

Margaret DEANE Knechtel, 1918-1956;

Johnston Ross STEWART (on reverse
of monument), 1886-1933.

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CEMETERY INSCRIPTIONS (Continued)

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Arthur J. FOSTER, Jr., 1908-1956.

Matilda MANNING, 1843-1922.

John MANNING, 1837-1922.

Alice MANNING, 1877-1962.

Martha AVENALL Crouch, b. Ramesbury, Wilshire, Eng., 6 June 1838, d. Oceanside, Calif., 30 Oct. 1921; Herbert CROUCH, b. Lambourne, Berkshire, Eng., 15 Jan. 1840, d. Oceanside, 16 June 1927; dau. Lucy Jane CROUCH, 1 July 1877-7 Feb. 1956.

E. O. FISHER, J. A. ISBELL, wooden crosses, no dates.

Charles Sidney BRADLEY, d. 23 Jan. 1909, ae. 77.

Thomas Henry DRAPER, 1867-1933; w. Elizabeth MOORE, 1868-1932.

Winifred SLEE, b. 25 Nov. 1904, d. 15 Jan. 1905.

Herbert Edmund SHAW (no dates); Edith Mary Shaw, 6 Mar. 1846-3 Mar. 1922.

OCEANSIDE, CALIFORNIA, Cemetery at Vista Way and Freeway. Many broken stones with unreadable inscriptions.

Benjamin F. MULL, b. 27 Apr. 1834, d. 20 Nov. 1889, native of Georgia.

James MULL, b. 16 Apr. 1841, d. 9 Jan. 1891, native of Georgia.

MINGUS (stone broken, no other name).

Ione A. LAYNE, 1856-1888; infant Edith, 1888.

Joseph LEHN, b. 18 Dec. 1821, d. 12 Sept. 1898.

Sarah Francie PARRY, b. North Wales, d. 27 March 1888, ae. 51.

Rebecca, w. of L. L. SCOTT, d. 8 March, 1892, ae. 38.

L. L. SCOTT, b. 10 March 1847, d. 23 March 1901.

W. A. PATTERSON, Co. D., 39th Inf., Ill.

Ida ROOB, 1868-1891.

Charles RIGBY of Doncaster, Eng., d. 27 Jan. 1895, ae. 24.

Matthew HALE, d. on his ranch near La Costa, 6 March 1894, ae. 64.

Eva Gay and Veva May, daus. of Joseph and Libbie M. KINGSLEY, b. Conway, Mich., 2 July 1900, d. 1901.

George W. HAMMOND, b. 7 July 1851, d. 22 Apr. 1902.

Henry ORPIN, 1866-1905.

FLAGSTAFF, ARIZONA, Citizens' Cemetery, copied in 1966 by Helen Crozier of Long Beach, California. These are just a few of the older inscriptions. The cemetery is where the mass grave of the Grand Canyon air crash victims (30 June 1956) is located.

Manchester MAXWELL, b. 15 Feb. 1845, Putnum Co., Tenn., d. 6 May, 1905, Los Angeles, Calif., s. of George Washington and Catherine (Sims) MAXWELL. Patricia LOUGHLIN, d. 6 Jan. 1888, ae. 74.

Mollie DONALDSON, b. 24 Dec. 18(?)8, Independence, Mo., d. 11 July 1885. George S. STECK, b. 8 Apr. 1867, d. 1 June 1897.

William RODEN, 1828-1897.

Reginald Noel DIRIVAZ, 4th s. of Victor Chevalley and Adeline DIRIVAZ of London, Eng., b. 25 Dec. 1868, d. 13 Aug. 1895.

Mrs. Ella WOODY, d. 7 May 1900, ae. 40.

G. H. P. JENSEN, b. 26 Oct. 1851, d. 12 Apr. 1896; w. Sophia Jensen Whipple, 1866-1944; Edgar WHIPPLE, 1856-1939. Gus S. MAY, b. 4 July 1861, d. 21 Feb. 1893.

Henry BLACK, 1891-1892, Viola BLACK, 1896-1898, children of Mathew and Belle BLACK.

W. A. MAYFLOWER, 1864-1900; Mary, 1863-1937.

Ralph Gorham of Marshfield, Massachusetts, a "joyner", made his own coffin and stored apples in it until he died, about 1643. He was a very practical man.

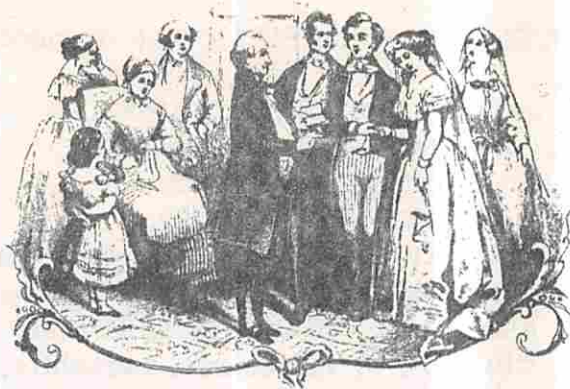
Bible Records

FINDLEY BIBLE

AN old Bible recently purchased by Reva Graziadio of Palos Verdes Estates, California, contains these Findley entries:

Births

RICHARD EWING FINDLEY, b. 31 Aug. 1843, Armstrong Co., Pa.
 LORETTA BARR, b. 9 Dec. 1851, Mercer Co., Pa.
 WALTER EARLE FINDLEY, b. 1 May, 1878, Ivandale, Kans.
 FLORENCE GENEVIEVE FINDLEY, b. 17 Oct. 1880, Burlington, Kans.
 HAROLD MARSHALL FINDLEY, b. 14 Sept. 1884, Burlington, Kans.
 MARY ETHEL FINDLEY, b. 4 Feb. 1887, White City, Kans.
 RUSSEL EWING FINDLEY, b. 17 March 1890, White City, Kans.
 ANNA LAURIE COULTER, b. 28 Nov. 1880, Mason Co., Ky.
 ETHEL FRANCES MASSEY, b. 23 Feb. 1885, Wayne City, Ill.
 EARLE ROY LORRIDGE, b. 14 Feb. 1877, Harrisonville, Mo.
 ARTHUR ARNOLD HUGHES, b. 31 July, 1891, Independence, Mo.
 IRA A. MILLER, b. 29 Aug. 1890, East Lynne, Mo. (Prob. nickname for Irene)
 HELEN LOUISE HUGHES, b. 10 Aug. 1917, Garden City, Mo.
 LORETTA B. FINDLEY, b. 10 Sept. 1918, Roundup, Mont.
 ROBERT ARTHUR HUGHES, b. July 1922, Garden City, Mo.
 RICHARD EWING FINDLEY, b. 17 Aug. 1922, Greybull Wyo.
 (Blank) MILLER, s. of Russell and Irene, b. 24 Dec. 1926, Kansas City, Mo.
 EUGENE CHARLES HUDSON, Jr., b. 16 Apr. 1940, Kansas City, Mo.
 ROBERT EWING HUDSON, b. 23 June, 1942, Kansas City, Mo.



Marriages

WILLIAM M. FINDLEY and ELEANOR CARUTHERS, 8 Sept. 1841.
 DAVID M. BARR and SARAH A. ATWATER, May 1847.
 RICHARD E. FINDLEY and LORETTA BARR, 29 June 1876.
 WALTER E. FINDLEY and ANNA L. COULTER, 21 Oct. 1902.
 FLORENCE G. FINDLEY and ERLE R. LORRIDGE, 19 Apr. 1905.
 HAROLD M. FINDLEY and ETHEL M. MASSEY, 14 Apr. 1906.
 MARY ETHEL FINDLEY and ARTHUR A. HUGHES, 17 Apr. 1913.
 RUSSEL E. FINDLEY and IRA (IRENE?) A. MILLER, 3 Oct. 1916.
 HELEN S. HUGHES and ROY MONTGOMERY, 26 Apr. 1936.
 LORETTA B. FINDLEY and EUGENE O. HUDSON, 5 Aug. 1939.
 RICHARD EWING FINDLEY and OLIVE FORDER, 6 Nov. 1943, in England.

CLAIR SUNDERLIN'S BIBLE

These records, submitted by G. L. Meteer of Pomona, California, were copied from Clair Sunderlin's handwriting. The present whereabouts of the Bible is not known.

Grandparents

ELI S. SUNDERLIN, b. 22 July 1826, d. 14 Nov. 1887, m. 2 Dec. 1846, BETSY SWARTHOUT, b. 11 Oct. 1826, d. 25 March 1900. (Continued on page 57)

of the individual soldier is listed in the front of the volume. Other desk items are foreign dictionaries, catalogs from Goodspeeds Book Shop and Genealogical Book Company with price lists of family and local histories, name and flag books, a list of oversize books, and an up-to-date list of periodicals. Adjacent to the desk are various encyclopedias, including the seven volumes of Hinshaw's Encyclopedia of American Quaker Genealogy, and the Dictionary of National Biography for Europe.

A new book list is compiled every two months and kept near the display of new books. The arrangement is by subjects under Biography, Collective, Genealogy Handbooks, Family Histories and Local History. Many new books have been coming into the library recently.

Some other books that will be helpful to the genealogist are the Monnette collection (some 2,000 of Mr Monnette's donated books have been cataloged), the Virginia Colonial Abstracts in 34 volumes, and Virkus' Compendium of American Genealogy in seven volumes.

Two fairly new additions to the genealogy room for the convenience of the researcher are the Dycostat, a self-operating copying machine, and the Microcard reader and card file. The card file has the Boston Transcript genealogy column, some family histories, and the new editions in the Library of Congress.

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CALIFORNOLGY

Unpublished list of burials in a small cemetery in the extinct town of Bagdad, located midway between Arcata and Redding, which were copied in 1962 by Lorna Birchall and Rhoda Turley and submitted by member Beatrice A. Anderson:

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| 1. Louisa E. Schlomer, b. 20 Mar 1871 d. 14 Mar 1957 | 19 Bernice G. Lannigan b 1893 d. 1946 |
| 2. Henry Grant Schlomer b. 23 May 1865 d. 21 Nov 1956 | 20 Arthur H. McCaslin d. 19 Oct 1948 |
| 3. Louisa (Mother) Schlomer, b. 14 Feb 1841 - d. 14 July 1925 | 21 Francis Rasales 13 Dec 1861 - My 19 |
| 4. Christian H. Schlomer, b. 16 July 1873 - d. 20 Jan 1924 | 22 Isabella Hayes 1871 - 1960 |
| 5. Chas. Schlomer b. 12 Oct 1861 d. 2 April 1916 | 23 Alex. Pelletreau 1861 - 1926 |
| 6. H. K. Schlomer (Father) b. 31 Jly 1825 - d. 12 Mar 1898 | 24 wife d. 22 Aug. 1892 - 56 yrs old |
| 7. Joseph G. Wyatt - 1915 - 1918 | 25 James Gribble II 1869 - 1959 Susan 1874 - 1959 m. Weaverville |
| 8. James E. Given - 1855 - 1931 | 26 Wm. B. Wilson (Jinks) 1872 - 1941 |
| 9. Wife: b. 16 Dec 1875 d. 6 Je 1895 | 27. Harold Ray Duffy 8-3-1891 8-22-1936 |
| 10. Edna N. Nickell 1883 - 1946 | 28 Melvia S. Gonderman 9-7-80 7-29-59 |
| 11. Gertrude Kelley b. 4 Mar 1896 d. 27 May 1938 | 29 Roger P. McChesney 1901 - 1959 |
| 12. O. F. Russell 1860 - 1909 | 30 Frederick Klotz, Calif, PFC Co D, 752 MP WWI & II 9-5-1897 10-28-195 |
| 13. Nels P. Hanson 1864 - 1932 | 31 Dora A. Levy 1883 - 1958 |
| 14. Wm. T. Howe d. 21 Dec 1945 75-5-14 | 32 Hubert E. Bunkin 1887 - 1960 |
| 15. Jessie H. Pitzer 1874 - 1956 | 33 Seth F. Gambell 6-26-84 June 1959 |
| 16. Ethel M. Cribble b. 25 Mar 1892 d. 16 Feb 1894 | 34 Etta Thomas 1890 - 1954 |
| 17. Dau of Algernon S & Rebecca Currie b. 29 Aug 1865 d. 29 Aug 1866 | 35 Eva R. Pettee 1893 - 1952 |
| 18. Wm. D. Lannigan, Ohio, Sgt 324 F.A. WWI b. 7 Jly 1894 d. 29 June 1950 | 36 Wugen M. Pratt 1883 - 1949 |
| | 37 Dr. Thomas Lane b 26 Oct 1871 d. 20 Feb 1950, McDonalds Chapel |

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IN MEMORIAM

Kathryn Carolyn Emerick Geiger Shank Brown

It was early in 1961, when my family moved from Santa Barbara to Santa Maria, that I met Kathy Geiger and her four children at a group Bible study. When her husband, Howard, had a highly premature and debilitating heart attack, she obtained employment at the Auto Club, and as a busy working mother (in 1967 a widow), her path diverged from mine. It was early in 1981 that our paths re-converged when she and her second husband, Ralph Shank, and her daughter, Eileen Easter, joined the Santa Maria Valley Genealogical Society.

She and Ralph were enthusiastic genealogists who made several trips east, in particular to Pennsylvania where they sought out their German ancestors. Ralph was the Society's Treasurer in 1984, but died suddenly that December. His successor, Rudi Schneider, became ill, and died the following March, thus occasioning some concern about the curse of the vice-presidency. We are happy to say the trend failed to continue.

Kathy, by then the wife of Clarence L Brown (1913-1997), was Society treasurer in 1987. The *Summer 1988 Quarterly* 20:1-2 contained her Ahnentafel; found on page 15, it was brief, having numbers 1-15, 22-23, and 28-29. Since that time she added much, largely by means of the Internet. In 1989 Kathy was the Society's president, and also stepped into the breach left by the departure of librarian Wil Kesner, in which I helped as much as possible. She continued as librarian until Wil's return in 1994, remaining on the list as assistant; Wil's permanent departure left her again in charge. In 1996 she was vice-president as well as librarian, and she continued as librarian until her own "departure."

When I undertook the position of *Quarterly* editor in 1992, Kathy was one of the chief typists, not only of my work, but also of the compilations of vital statistics and other records prepared for the *Quarterly*. She specially bought an alphabetizing program for her computer to use for the Society's projects. In addition to all the records the librarian must keep, she also kept the membership list for me, the membership chairman, from which she printed out the mailing labels for the *Quarterly*.

Even with no functioning library, Kathy and I saw each other often, as my husband and I pick up the mail at the post office and deliver the incoming periodicals to her for recording, cataloguing, and the physical preparation required to install them in their covers. All this is done 'behind the scenes' but is here stated so that Kathy's successor(s) will have an idea of the work involved.

Kathy Brown was an uncomplaining, devoted and generous volunteer for twenty years, willing to fill in when others demur. We shall miss her!

Barbara Cole

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CATHOLIC CEMETERY ON POINT SAL ROAD NEAR GUADALUPE, CALIFORNIA

Listings below are based on findings in South Counties Library, Arroyo Grande, San Luis Obispo, California, as given in Shirley Contreras' recent article published in the October 19th *Santa Maria Times*. We thought it worthy of wider distribution via PERSI to genealogists, so are printing the data in the *Quarterly*. This Catholic Cemetery is about a mile from Hwy. 1 along Point Sal Road; not to be confused with the other small cemetery out at Point Sal.

The data had originally been abstracted by Jean Hubbard of Arroyo Grande who copied baptisms, marriages and deaths from their primary source: the original old St. Patrick's Parish Records. The early priests who recorded the names included the Revs. McNally, Lynch, Lack, Aguillera, Ternes, and Buckley. Be aware that the following is 'four times removed' and thus may have gained some variations in the process. Shirley also noted that the records may be incomplete.

Note: The Confirmation records of 'St. Isidor's Church, Guadalupe, 1877, 1879, 1886', and 'St. Patrick's Church, Arroyo Grande, 1894, 1897, 1901' were featured in the *SMVGS Quarterly* 28:1 Spring 1996.

While background researching her newspaper article, Shirley Contreras discovered that the Archdiocese of Los Angeles owns the two acres of land in which a lone headstone still stands. She found that the **Donovan** family owned the land on either side of the cemetery, but it is not yet known who originally donated the land.

The reader will notice the tragically high incidence of childhood deaths of the time.

Alves, Frank, b. Portugal; d. 13 Dec 1894, near Guadalupe.

Arellanes, Andreo Joaquin, age 14; d. 22 Jan 1895, in Santa Maria;
son of Juan & Francisca [**Sanchez**] Arellanes.

Bonetti, Francis Xavier Julio, age 1 month; d. 21 May 1899;
son of Henry & Artemisa Benecia [**Arrellanes**] Bonetti.

Feliciano, Manuel, infant; d. 22 May 1903, in Oso Flaco;
son of Antonio & Maria de Luz Feliciano.

Graham, Mary; d. 2 July 19879; wife of William Graham.

Lewis, Allen Patrick, age 9; d. 25 June 1901, in Oso Flaco;
son of Frank & Maria [**Fernandez**] Lewis.

Lind, Catherine, age 42; d. 13 July 1877, in Guadalupe; wife of Matthew Lind.

Madruga, Guida, age 5 months; d. 28 Oct 1904.

Maguire, Catherine, age 64; d. 11 Apr 1900, in Arroyo Grande.

Maguire, Rosa Etta, age 17; d. 25 Aug 1883, in Oso Flaco;
dau. of John & 'Kate' [**Catherine Moore**] Maguire.

Martin, Clarence, age 14; d. 17 Jan 1904, of pneumonia;
son of Sebastian & Leopoldina Martin

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Martinez, Elvira Maria, age 2; d. 2 March 1904, of pneumonia.

McLane, Maria de Jesus, age 19; d. 27 July 1894, in Casmalia;
dau. of Jose **de Jesus** & Geogoria Fureta McLane
aka 'Georgia' **Fuenta** [Maria Guegoria **Fuentes**].

Miller, Jose Luis, age 72; d. 30 April 1895.

Nabo, Antonio Peiro, age 34; d. 18 Nov 1879, in Guadalupe.

Nunez, Manuel, age 12; d. 16 Jan 1904; son of Manuel & Rita Nunez.

Oliveira, Manuel, age 43; d. 9 Aug 1897, in Santa Maria.

Preda, Manuel, age 36; d. 18 Dec 1897, in Santa Maria.

Rodriguez, Anna Vierra, d. 23 Jan 1900; wife of Manuel Rodriguez.

Sanchez, Lloyd Raymond, age 17 months; d. 5 Sept 1898, in Guadalupe;
son of Miguel D. & Maria Sanchez.

Simas, Charles Francis, age 6; d. 22 March 1900, in Oso Flaco of squirrel poison;

Simas, Laurence, age 2; d. 25 July 1900, in Oso Flaco of squirrel poison;
sons of Manuel M. & Anna de Concepcion Simas.

Smith, Barnaby, age 12; d. 8 Nov 1885, in Santa Maria;

Smith, David, age 3; d. 28 Dec 1883, in Guadalupe;

Smith, Josefa, age 8; d. 8 Oct 1883, in Guadalupe;
children of Matthew P. & Josefa [**Asebedo**] Smith.

Vargas, Maria de Gloria, age 2 months; d. 25 Oct 1899, in Guadalupe;
dau. of Antonio & Laura Vargas.

Villa, Antonio Maria, age 79; d. 27 Feb 1899, in Casmalia (age 73/4/25).

Villa, Estafana Martina, age 17; d. 29 June 1900;
dau. of Maria Antonio & Bertha **McLane** Villa.

Ward, William J., age 70; d. 2 May 1895, in Santa Maria.

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CALIFORNIA PIONEERS - FINE

OOOO REFERENCE ONLY

Irby Hoyt FINE

b. TN Feb 1821

d. Paso Robles Rancho 23 Apr 1879 @58; Cambria cem
notice SLO TRIBUNEBancroft's Pioneer Register and Index: Fine J H(sic) 1846 nat of KY; claimant for Suisun
rancho; d. Paso de Robles 1879 @58Land Grants In Alta California, Perez, 1996: Suisun (Fine) Solano co; Grantee, Solano,
Francisco 1/28/1842; Patentee, Fine J H(sic) 12/16/1882
Commission 660, Expediente 266, 482.19 acres. District Court 396 ND
Appeal Dismissed by District CourtTo CA from MO w/Lilburn W Boggs' party, which also included the A C Jessee family who later
settled in the Santa Maria valley. Fines settled first in Sonoma; 7 children

1850cen:Sonoma co: J H(sic) Fine 29 TN, Elizabeth 21 KY, William 2 CA

1860cen:Sonoma co Vallejo tp PO Petaluma: Holt(sic) Fine 38 f 7000 4000 TN wf 7 ch

1875 Paulson Dir: I H Fine farmer Morro

m. KY 1844

Mary Elizabeth

b. KY 1829; m. @15

d. at home of dau Sherwood Santa Barbara 16 Dec
1920 @91/5/23; SMcem. obit TIMES Fri Dec 17 p.1;
also SM VIDETTE Wed Dec 22 p.1. 3 daulived w/DeNise 1898-1909
1909 to Santa Barbaram.2 @58 1887 Morgan B Martin 1826-1898; Cambria cem
1890GR: Morgan B Martin 61 MO saloonkpr
Cambria; reg July 19 1887

1. William FINE

b. (Sonoma) 1848

2. Caroline FINE (twin)

b. Sonoma co 18 Jan 1850

d. Berkeley 14 Feb 1938 @83; SM cem

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

Charles Sloan DeNISE

1843-1912; see Quarterly 35:1

3. Elizabeth FINE (twin)

b. Sonoma co 18 Jan 1850

d. San Francisco 28 Dec 1916 @66

1910.Twins 60th Birthday: Mrs. C S DeNise, Santa Maria, Mrs Fred Engles(sic), San Luis
Obispo; born Sonoma co, first white children after the raising of the Bear Flag.
--SLO TELEGRAM in SM TIMES Jan 22

m.

Frederick Phillip ENGELS

b. NY 1847

d. San Francisco 18 Sep 1923 @76

1890GR: Frederick P Engles(sic) 37 NY saloonkpr Beach; reg July 21 1887

1892GR: Frederick Phillip Engles(sic) 43 5'11 3/4 ruddy complexion grey eyes grey hair
saloonkpr NY res Pismo pct Beach PO Arroyo Grande; reg Sep3

1902GR: Fred P 52 SLO #3

a. Irby H(o)yt ENGELS

b. CA Apr 1872

d. San Francisco 25 Mar 1934 @61

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