Nathaniel Patterson b. 1794-1795 in Northern Ireland d. 1867 in Armstrong Co., Pennsylvania & His Descendants

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PREFACE

Y-DNA test results prove that my Patterson ancestors and the Patterson ancestors of Bob Patterson, for whom this paper is written, are not closely related, if at all. So how did I get interested in researching Bob's Pattersons?

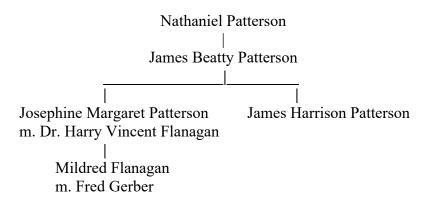
Well, back in 2006, via various on-line genealogy website message boards, I hooked up with a lady named Yvonne (Patterson) Watkin. We e-mailed back and forth for several years, trading information. She and I became good friends after we met in person in 2012. I wrote a long paper on Yvonne's oldest-known Patterson ancestor, "Archibald Patterson (c. 1735-1812/13) & His Descendants," and posted it on my website, www.pattersongenealogy.info.

A few years later I learned that the Y-DNA of Bob Patterson, to whom this paper is dedicated, was a 105 out of 111 markers match with Yvonne's brother. This got me interested in trying to help Yvonne and Bob figure out who their MRCA might be. So Bob and I began trading research findings. As of this writing we still do not know who the most recent common Patterson ancestor of Yvonne and Bob could be, but I thought it time to compile all that is presently known about Bob's ancestors.

Perhaps future generations can solve the mystery!

I recommend that readers of this paper take a look at another paper posted on my website: "Alexander Patterson b. 1760-1775 in Northern Ireland; d. 1 Jan 1825 in Philadelphia, PA & His Descendants." It is conjectured by several researchers that this Alexander is the father of Nathaniel who is the subject of this paper.

Many of the records cited in this paper were found on-line. However, the most important source of information about Nathaniel is a letter written in 1956 by Nathaniel's grandson, James "Jim" Harrison Patterson, to his niece Mildred Gerber. James Harrison Patterson (1884-1961) is son of James Beatty Patterson (1849-1921), son of Nathaniel. James Beatty Patterson also had daughter Josephine Margaret Patterson who married Dr. Harry Vincent Flanagan. Mildred Gerber was the daughter of Harry & Josephine Flanagan; Mildred married Fred Gerber. James Patterson who wrote the letter, and Mildred Gerber who received the letter, are related as follows:



This letter that Mildred received from her "Uncle Jim" came into the hands of Bob Patterson, who shared it with me. This source will be cited often in this paper, as "Mildred's Letter." In this letter to Mildred, Jim copied family information from "the old record book" in his possession. Take a look at this letter in Chapter III of this paper. Mildred began researching the family, and her findings, as well as information Mildred learned from other family members, are

referred to in this paper as "Mildred's Notes." (Again, see Chapter III.) These "Mildred's Notes" were typed up by Bob Patterson, who shared them with me. Some information in "Mildred's Notes," was *not* contained in "Mildred's Letter," and the source of some of this additional information is not certain.

Bob Patterson has done a tremendous amount of research. He has made contact with several other proven descendants of Nathaniel, and with several researchers who descend from Alexander (Nathaniel's conjectured father). Bob traded much information with these persons over the years, and would like to thank them for their help and encouragement:

Nancy Miller
Jim Patterson
Sharon Turner
Emily Brown
Ruthie Nuhn
Richard Headrick
Leslie Headrick
Mildred Gerber
Emma Moss Patterson
Tim McCloskey

I've done very little original research on these Pattersons. In this paper I am merely compiling all the information Bob has gathered over the years, and which he has shared with me. All sources of information are cited in this paper so that, hopefully, future researchers of this Patterson line will not have to duplicate research already done; and so that they will question the copious amount of undocumented (and, in some cases, incorrect) information posted on various internet trees.

CHAPTER I Alexander Patterson Possible father of Nathaniel

We have several contradictory sources of information for Alexander's birth date and birth location (see below). However, the birthdate of 6 Feb 1760, given by his grandson, is most likely correct.

- (1) His death certificate (original viewable "Pennsylvania, Philadelphia Death Certificates" at familysearch.org) states that Alexander died 1 Jan 1825 of dropsy "about age fifty years" and was buried in the Alms House Burial Ground in Philadelphia. This record gives us a birth date of about 1775 for Alexander.
- (2) However, his name is engraved on a memorial stone in Laurel Hill Cemetery in Philadelphia (along with wife Mary, daughter Jane Brown and Jane's husband William Brown) with a birth date of <u>1760</u>: "Alexander Patterson / 1760-1825." (Photo of this stone was posted on findagrave 7/16/15 by Mary Phalan.)
- (3) Alexander's grandson, Alexander Patterson Brown (son of Alexander's daughter Jane, who married William Brown) visited Scotland and Ireland in 1899, and sent a letter to Emily Norwood Brown stating that Alexander was born "4 miles from Dungannon, <u>Co. Donegal</u>, Ireland, Feb 6th, <u>1760</u>, died at Philadelphia January 1st, 1825."
- (4) In a biographical sketch of Alexander Patterson Brown, published several years before he died, in *Colonial Families of Philadelphia*, John W. Jordan, ed. (New York: Lewis Publishers, 1911), Vol. 2, p. 1704, it is stated: "William Brown married Jane, born 1807, died 1871, daughter of Alexander Patterson, born at Poyntz-Pas [*sic*], <u>county Armagh</u>, Ireland, <u>1762</u>...."
- (5) Alexander emigrated in 1818, arriving in Philadelphia with his family on 8 Dec 1818 (original passenger list of the ship "Charlotte Lawrence" viewable in "Philadelphia Passenger and Crew Lists 1800-1962" at ancestry.com). ¹ Alexander is listed on the 1820 census as living in Southwark, Philadelphia Co., PA age 26-45, so born 1775-1794.

We know with certainty that Alexander died 1825 in Philadelphia.

Many insufficiently documented internet trees list Nathaniel, the subject of the paper, as Alexander's son. But to date, in my opinion, no reliable records have been found *proving* that Nathaniel was Alexander's son. It's logical to *assume* that Nathaniel was Alexander's son, because a "Nathl." Patterson" is on the same 1818 passenger list of the brig "Charlotte Lawrence" as "Alexander Patterson." (See original passenger list in the next chapter of this paper.) However, this "Nathl." could have been some close relative of Alexander's. Brother? Cousin? Nephew? All persons of the surname Patterson start on this passenger list:

¹ This passenger list was transcribed and posted on the Irish Emigration Database (http://www.dippam.ac.uk/ied/records/33641.transcript) and future researchers should know that on this typed list the name of "Bert" has been incorrectly transcribed as "Be[njn?]" Patterson. The *original* passenger list (see the next chapter of this paper) was found in "Pennsylvania, Passenger and Crew Lists, 1800-1962" database at ancestry.com.

Name	Baggage
16. Alexander Patterson)	
17. Mary Patterson)	
18. Mary Patterson)	<i>Note:</i> Brackets group these 9 passengers. Their combined
19. Jane Patterson)	baggage is described as "Sundry Bags, Bundles [etc.?]"
20. David Patterson)	This <i>suggests</i> that they boarded together, as a group.
21. George Hamilton)	
22. John Wilson)	
23. Nathl. Patterson)	
24 Bert [Robert?] Patterson)	

Also, see genetic test results in Chapter IV of this paper. Autosomal test results support the contention that Nathaniel was Alexander's son. However, "Mildred's Notes" in Chapter III in which it's stated that Nathaniel was the "only one of his family" to migrate."

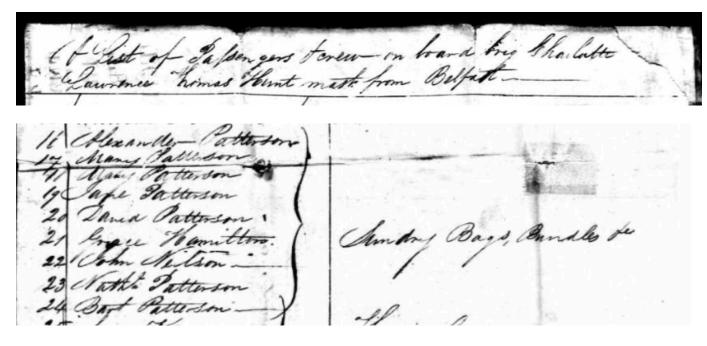
For all that is known with certainty about this Alexander Patterson who came to Philadelphia in 1818, and who died there in 1825, see my separate paper posted on this website: "Alexander Patterson, born 1760 in Northern Ireland, died 1825 in Philadelphia, PA and His Descendants."

CHAPTER II NATHANIEL PATTERSON & His Descendants

Nathaniel Patterson was **born 1794-1795 in Ireland** (1850 & 1860 censuses—see further). Per "Mildred's Letter" he was born in Co., Armagh, Ireland, but no documentation for this place of birth has been found. ²

Nathaniel "was first previously married in Ireland to a young girl named Miss Beatty and there were no children born to this union." 3

Nathaniel (along with 6 other Pattersons) is listed on the passenger list of the brig "Charlotte Lawrence," sailing from Belfast, Ireland and **arriving in Philadelphia, PA on 6 Dec 1818.** (Original passenger list viewable in "Pennsylvania, Passenger and Crew Lists, 1800-1962" database at ancestry.com.)



The arrival date of 6 December 1818 is not on the page above listing the passengers' names. This arrival date comes from the 7 Dec 1818 issue of *The Evening Post [New York, NY]*:

(see next page)

² As stated in the "Preface" of this paper, Mildred (Patterson) Gerber obtained information about her Patterson family in a 1956 letter from her uncle James Harrison Patterson (Nathaniel's grandson). Bob Patterson obtained a copy of this letter and sent it to me. See this letter in Chapter III of this paper.

³ This quote comes from "Mildred's Notes." (See these "Notes" in Chapter III of this paper.) It is not known what family member supplied the information about Nathaniel's first marriage. It is interesting that Nathaniel named a son James Beatty Patterson—but son James Beatty was definitely born of Nathaniel's second wife, Susan Garner. (See further in this chapter.) See censuses further in this chapter where Nathaniel is seen heading a household 1820, 1830 and 1840 in Armstrong Co., PA—and it does indeed appear that Nathaniel has "no children."

Office of the American Centinel,
Philadelphia, Dec. 6—1 o'clock, P. M. S
Violent Gale.—The following vessels in this
port, received considerable damage in a violent
gale from the S. E. early on Sunday morning,
viz:—ships Adriana, Atlas, Medora, Halcvon,
William Savery, Addison, and Jane; brigs Riing Sun, America, Astrea, Marseilles Packet,
Savannah Packet, Fanny, Pomona, Mary, and
Mariner; schr's Rampart, Pocahontas, TrueAmerican, Rebecca, and Salty; Steam Boats
Delaware, and Pennsylvania. Wilmington Packet Ann, Lewistown Packet Gen. Pike, sunk.—
Ships Gosport, and Wm. P. Johnson, brig Concord, and several others drove ashore above the

Arrived, ship Jane, Ferguson, 40 days from Oporto. Sailed in co. with ship Rolla, Morrison, for St. Ubes; brig Planter, trurd, for do.; brig Virginia, De La Roche, for Baltimore. Left there the brig Pizarro, Churchill, of Hartford, dis.; brig Margaret, Coffin, of Baltimore, do.; brig Only Son, Bowler, for the Mediterranean. The latter part of Sept. a Patriot privateer captured off Oporto Bar, two ships and one brig, bound in from Brazil—took part of the cargo out and let her go, and sent the crew in.

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Ship Adriana, Donaldson, 42 days from Li-

verpool.

Brig Charlotte Lawrence, Hunt, 77 days from

Belfast, with passengers.

Brig Margaret, Hall, 12 days from Havana. Sch Lucretia, Kimball, 15 days from Halifax. Schr. Gleaner, Burkhill, 47 days from Ma-

Sch Maria, Briggs, 2 days from N York. Sch Antelope, Gramsby, 3 days from New-

Bob sent this clipping to me in 2019

Per the above clipping, it took the brig "Charlotte Lawrence" 77 days to sail from Belfast to Philadelphia.

"Time out" for a tale of research gone awry:

Back in 2014, when I first began trading findings with Bob, I found some information about the "Charlotte Lawrence" that took me off-track for TWO YEARS. Below, see a record I found on which it is stated that the "Charlotte Lawrence" was built in 1817 in Belfast,

Massachusetts. ⁴ (Maine didn't become a state until 1820, formed from Massachusetts, so in 1817 the town of Belfast was indeed in the state of Massachusetts.)

-	No. 2.	Form of a Report and Mani	ifest for a Ship or	Vessel of the United States from a Foreign Port.	
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NAMES.	NUMBERS INCLUSIVE.	PACKAGES AND CONTNETS.	BY WHOM SHIPPED.	TO WHOM CONSIGNED, OR IF TO ORDER. PLACE OF CONSIGNEES' REMDENCE.	

Transcription of above:

"Report and Manifest of the Cargo, laden on board the Brig Charlotte Lawrence whereof Thomas Hunt is Master which Cargo was taken on board at Belfast burthen [blank] tons, built at Belfast in the State of **Massachusetts** and was owned by John [Hemphill?] Merchant at Philadelphia as per Register granted at Philad. the 26 day of Dec. 1817 and bound for Philadelphia."

Since the 1818 passenger list, on which Nathaniel was listed, contained only the information that the "Charlotte Lawrence" had sailed from "Belfast"; and since I was not at the time in possession of the newspaper clipping saying that it took the brig 77 days to get from Belfast to Philadelphia... Well, I thought it likely that the ship had sailed to Philadelphia from Belfast, Massachusetts—not Belfast, Ireland! And so for the next two years I researched the descendants of a Robert Patterson born abt. 1671 in Co. Donegal, Ireland, who settled by 1729 in Saco, Maine. And I was very excited to learn that this immigrant Robert had son Robert Jr. (c. 1713-1797) who had son Nathaniel [Sr.] (b. 1745 in Saco, ME; d. 1825 in Belfast, ME; m. Hannah "Jameson"). And this Nathaniel b. 1745 had a son Nathaniel Jr. (b. 1785).

At this point in my research, I knew that Alexander Patterson (conjectured father of the Nathaniel who concerns us here) married, for his second wife, Mary Jamison. The fact that the Nathaniel who concerns us here sailed in 1818 from "Belfast" to Philadelphia; and the abovecited Patterson-Jameson/Jamison connections; and the fact that a Nathaniel Patterson was found living early in Belfast, Maine... Well, all of these findings had me pretty much convinced that Bob's oldest proven ancestor, Nathaniel, was somehow closely related to the Robert Patterson who settled in Saco, Maine in 1729. So I began intensively researching these Maine Pattersons, and generated hundreds of pages of research. (I will eventually post a fully-documented paper on these Maine Pattersons on my website.) Anyway, I found eleven proven living male Patterson descendants of immigrant Robert of Saco, Maine, and sent letters to all of them, asking them to contact me. I got several of these Patterson men to participate in Y-DNA testing. And what did the results of this Y-DNA testing prove? The results proved that **these Maine Pattersons were**

⁴ Back in 2014 I found this image in the "Philadelphia, Passenger and Immigration Lists 1800-1850" database at ancestry.com. Confusingly, as of this writing, this same database now contains only INDEXED information—no original images.

NOT related to Bob's Pattersons! So, fellow researchers: beware of assumptions not supported by records and/or Y-DNA evidence!

Now, back to information about Nathaniel Patterson, Bob's ancestor:

From "Mildred's Notes":

"He [Nathaniel] was the **only one of his family to migrate** to ____." [This part of the page is unreadable—see Chapter IIII.]

Jim Patterson, with whom Bob corresponded and shared research findings, typed the following in his paper, "Nathaniel Patterson and Family" (which information I'm guessing was obtained from Mildred Gerber):

"Nathaniel was our initial immigrant from Ireland. Believed to have been married to a Ms. Beatty (no evidence yet found) prior to emigration. Believed 1st wife passed on with no children to the union. Traveled from Belfast Ire. Arriving at the Port of Phila. 8 [error: 6] Dec 1818 (Brig "Charlotte Lawrence") as per copy of ship manifest. Although there were other "Pattersons" on this voyage, it is believed that **Nathaniel was the only one of his immediate family in this arrival group** (though no evidence yet proves this out)."

The "Bert" Patterson on the above passenger list, listed after Nathaniel, is conjectured to be the son of Alexander (just as Nathaniel is conjectured to be Alexander's son). Mary Patterson Ingebretsen, proven descendant of this Robert ("Bert") Patterson, wrote in a query published in the July/Aug 1985 issue of *The Highlander* (clipping sent to me by Bob) that Robert "came from Ulster...leaving father and step-mother, perhaps siblings. Settled in Philadelphia."

The three quotes above are a major reason why I'm not yet convinced that the Nathaniel who is the subject of this paper was actually the son of Alexander listed on the same passenger list as Nathaniel. I think it likely that Nathaniel was related to Alexander—but possibly was not his son.

On the other hand, per "Mildred's Notes," Nathaniel had a son named Alexander who "died young." (No birth or death date given.) Per the Scotch-Irish naming pattern, the first son was named after the father's father—so IF this son Alexander were Nathaniel's first-born son, this could support the contention that Nathaniel was the son of Alexander with whom he was listed on the 1818 passenger list.

Continuing with excerpts from "Mildred's Notes":

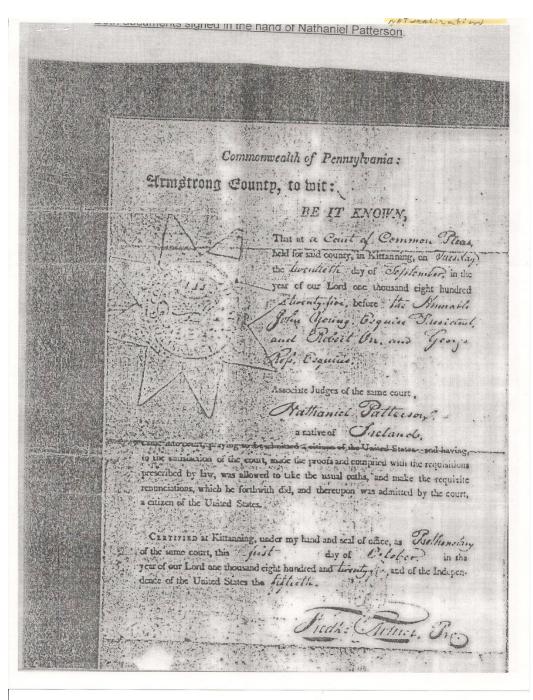
"How he arrived in Clarion [sic] County, Penna. needs developed. Not much is known." and

"In Clarion County a tale is told that Grandfather Nate [grandfather of James Harrison Patterson, who wrote a letter to Mildred] outsmarted the darn British by hiding his carpentry tools in the ship's ballast when he was entout [en route] to America. The Limies [Limeys] had a law prohibiting mechanics from leaving the British Isles."

Note: No records have been found to date for Nathaniel in *Clarion* County. It should be noted that Clarion County was formed 1839 from parts of Venango and Armstrong Counties. So

perhaps descendants living in the part of Armstrong County that became Clarion County gave this information to Mildred, citing (incorrectly) that Nathaniel came first to *Clarion* County.

Nathaniel appeared in the Armstrong Co., PA Court of Common Pleas on 19 Dec 1820 and petitioned to become a U.S. citizen. (Original declaration of intent papers sent to me 10/27/14 by Bob Patterson.) On 20 Sept 1825 Nathaniel Patterson, a "native of Ireland," was granted citizenship. Original document sent to me 10/27/14 by Bob:



The Nathaniel Paterson who concerns us here is first found on Federal censuses in 1820. He is listed in Armstrong Co., PA as head of household on the 1820 census, and there are no children in his household:

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1 male 26-45 [1775-1794]
1 fem 26-45 [1775-1794] Nathaniel's first wife "Miss Beatty," with whom he had "no children"? ("Mildred's Notes")

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1830 Sugarcreek Twp., Armstrong Co., PA (p. 19 of 24)

Nathaniel Patterson

1 male 40-50 [1780-1790]

1 fem 40-50 [1780-1790] Nathaniel's first wife, "Miss Beatty," with whom he had "no children"? ("Mildred's Notes")
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Note: Franklin Twp. was created soon after the 1830 census, from part of Sugar Creek and Buffalo townships. It is probable that Nathaniel did not move between the 1830 and 1840 censuses.

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1840 Franklin Twp., Armstrong Co., PA (p. 7 of 22)
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Nathaniel Patterson

1 male 50-60 [1780-1790]

1 male 15-20 [1820-1825] Unidentified—perhaps farm laborer

1 male 20-30 [1810-1820] Unidentified—perhaps farm laborer

1 fem 10-15 [1825-1830] Unidentified

1 fem 50-60 [1780-1790] (Nathaniel's first wife, "Miss Beatty" with whom he had "no children"? ("Mildred's Notes")
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Nathaniel's presumed wife on the above censuses, conjectured to be the "Miss Beatty" referred to in "Mildred's Notes," was born 1780-1790, probably in Ireland, and she died sometime between the 1840 census and 1843—when Nathaniel married again. (See further.) Supporting the contention that Nathaniel's wife was the "Miss Beatty" named in "Mildred's Notes" is the fact that a John Beatty was one of the earliest settlers in Sugarcreek [Sugar Creek] Twp., Armstrong Co., PA, where Nathaniel headed a household in 1820. From *History of Armstrong County, Pennsylvania* by Robert Walter Smith, Esq. (Chicago: Waterman, Watkins & Co., 1883), in the section of this book about Perry Township:

(p. 571): "Perry Township was formerly a part of Sugar Creek. In 1845 it was organized as Perry...." (p. 573): "John Beatty and Daniel Revere were among the earliest settlers of this township, and resided here until their deaths."

John "Beaty" is listed as listed as head of household on the 1820 census of "Sugarcreek" township in Armstrong Co., PA where Nathaniel was living in 1820. Unfortunately, this census has been alphabetized, so we can't determine how close Nathaniel's and John Beatty's households were to each other. There were only about 200 households in Sugarcreek at the time of the 1820 census. It is interesting to note that Nathaniel named a son "James Beatty Patterson"—see further.

Note: Listed on findagrave.com is Barbara Patterson who died 1842, and who was buried in Simpson Cemetery, Cowansville, Armstrong Co., PA. I *originally* thought that this Barbara Patterson was the female listed with Nathaniel on the 1820, 1830 & 1840 censuses above. Why? Because she is listed as born 1791 (about the right age to be the female listed with Andrew on censuses 1820-1840); and she died 1842. HOWEVER: in 2016 Bob received an email from Sharon Turner which said that "At the Kittaning [Kitanning] historical society library in the

Templeton family genealogy book we found that Barbara Templeton Patterson was married to **Andrew [emphasis mine]** Patterson. They had 7 children. She died 1842 and Andrew died in 1852." Strange that no "Andrew" Patterson, said to be Barbara's husband, is currently listed on findagrave.com in this cemetery. The only other Pattersons currently listed, besides Barbara, is Mary Patterson (1845-1849) and [probably in error] Nathaniel! Regarding this current listing of Nathaniel in Simpson Cemetery, he was listed in this cemetery 4/21/16 by Leslie Headrick. He was originally listed here as born 1795 in Ramelton, Co. Donegal, Ireland. On 1/1/19 I sent a message to Leslie via the findagrave message service and asked her where this birthplace info came from. Leslie immediately replied:

"I did not create the original memorial. I contacted someone about transferring it. They told me that burial records show he was buried here but we believe he was actually buried in Allio cemetery before his wife Susan as he had purchased land 2-3 miles from there. It looks like her name was carved above Nathanial's name but there are no burial records for Nathaniel. I have left the memorial as is until we can verify for sure where he is. The person who created the memorial was supposed to have sent me a copy of the burial records from which they created the memorial but that didn't happen."

Leslie kept Nathaniel's findagrave.com listing in Simpson Cemetery but, bless her, immediately removed the undocumented info that he was born in Ramelton, Co., Donegal.

On 25 May 1843, Nathaniel married the much-younger Susan Garner (not "Carney") (marriage date in "Mildred's Letter"), and Susan was the mother of all his children. Concerning the maiden name of Nathaniel's wife Susan: "Mildred's Letter" incorrectly lists his wife as Susan "Carney." On the death certificate of their daughter Barbara, who married Chris Emminger, Barbara's father is listed as Nathaniel Patterson, born in Ireland; and her mother is incorrectly listed as Susan "Carney," born in Pennsylvania. But on the death certificate of their son William F. Patterson, his father is listed as Nathaniel Patterson, born in PA [error]; and his mother is listed as Susan "Garner," born in PA. Most compellingly, "Susan Garner, wife of N. Patterson" is inscribed on Susan's gravestone (see photo further). Nathaniel is listed with wife Susan on the 1850 & 1860 censuses:

1850 Franklin Twp., Ar	mstrong Co., PA 9 Aug 1	850 (p. 37 of 59)
Nathaniel Patterson	56 [1794] Ireland	millwright
Susan "	30 [1820] PA cann	ot read or write
Barbary "	3 [1847] PA	
Betty A. "	2 [1848] PA	
James B. "	1 [1849] PA	

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1860 Franklin Twp., Armstrong Co., PA 15 June 1860 (p. 5 of 68)				
Nathaniel Patterson	65 [1795] Ireland	farmer		
Susan "	35 [1825] PA			
Barbra "	13 [1847] PA			
Betty Ann "	12 [1848] PA			
James B. "	10 [1850] PA			
W. F. "	9 [1851] PA			
Sarah E. "	7 [1853] PA			
Rachel "	6 [1854] PA			
Martin "	2 [1858] PA			

Nathaniel died between 14 Dec 1865 (date he appeared in Armstrong Co., PA Court of Common Pleas to apply for a land warrant) ⁵ and 10 June 1870 (the date of the 1870 census on which his wife, Susan, is listed as head of household—see further). ⁶ Undocumented info posted on findagrave states that Nathaniel **died 21 Dec 1867**, in Armstrong Co., PA. This agrees with his death date in "Mildred's Letter" (see p. 98 of this paper)

As discussed above, as of this writing Nathaniel is listed on findagrave.com, probably incorrectly, in Simpson Cemetery, Cowansville, Armstrong Co., PA. (Cowansville is located in present-day East Franklin Twp., Armstrong Co.) Bob believes he was buried in Allio Cemetery where wife Susan was buried. Info currently posted on findagrave 4/21/16 by Leslie Headrick lists Nathaniel Patterson b. 1795 Ireland; d. 21 Dec 1867 in Armstrong Co., PA, buried in Simpson Cemetery. Currently, there is no gravestone photo posted, and no documentation posted on findagrave for this birth date and death date—but this death date does not disagree with records found, cited above, proving that Nathaniel died 1865-1870.

Nathaniel's widow Susan is listed as head of household on the 1870 census in Forest Co., PA:

1870 Barnett Twp., F	Forest Co., PA 10 June	1870 (p. 8 of 13)
Susan Patterson	50 [1820] PA	
James "	22 [1848] PA	lumberman
William "	19 [1851] PA	laborer
Sarah "	17 [1853] PA	no occupation
Rachel "	15 [1855] PA	
Martin "	11 [1859] PA	

Bond records or (probate) Account records.

Wife Susan died 1875 and was buried in Allio Cemetery, Tylersburg, Clarion Co., PA. Photo of her gravestone posted on findagrave.com 3/22/18 by Leslie Headrick:



⁵ On 14 Dec 1865 Nathaniel appeared in the Armstrong Co. Court of Common Pleas and applied for a warrant for "190 acres of improved land situate partly in Franklin Township, and partly in Sugarcreek Township, Armstrong County..." This land is described as "adjoining lands of said Patterson" and lands of (among others) "John Yockey." Per the deposition of John Yockey, who appeared in court on the same day, this land was "first improved by said Applicant about the Spring of the year A.D. 1830, and that grain has been raised thereon, and that the said Nathaniel Patterson has continued to hold, farm, and occupy the said Tract of land down to the present time." (*Original application viewable in ancestry.com's "Pennsylvania Land Warrants and Applications 1733-1952" database.*)
⁶ No will for a Nathaniel Patterson is found in the "Armstrong County, PA Will Index 1797-1961" microfilm at familysearch.org. Nor was his name found in microfilm of Armstrong Co. Orphans Court records or Administration

It appears from census info that all of Nathaniel's children were born of wife Susan Garner. Censuses give us the names of 7 children of Nathaniel and Susan (Garner) Patterson. "Mildred's Letter" lists the same 7 children, plus "Alexander – died young, single [no birth or death date]." The children are listed in "Mildred's Letter" in this order: J. [James] Beatty, Wm. F., Martin, Alexander, Barbara Ellen, Elizabeth, Rachel Adams "Addie"; and Sarah. It should be noted that these children in "Mildred's Letter" were not listed in their birth order. All the sons were listed first, then all the daughters. This is unfortunate, because if we knew that (alleged) son Alexander were the first-born son, then that would lend credence to the conjecture that Nathaniel was the son of Alexander. (In the Scotch-Irish naming pattern, the first son was named after the father's father; the second son was named after the mother's father; the third son was named after the father; the fourth son was named after the father's oldest brother.) IF Alexander were the fourth-born son, as listed in "Mildred's Letter," that COULD mean that Nathaniel was the brother—not the son—of the Alexander with whom he emigrated in 1818. However, consider that Nathaniel had no son named after himself, so perhaps he was not observing the traditional Scotch-Irish naming pattern.

Children of Nathaniel & Susan (Garner) Patterson as listed (not in their birth order) in "Mildred's Letter":

- I. James Beatty Patterson m. Sarah Jane McCloskey
- II. Wm. F. Patterson m. Rachel McCloskey
- III. Martin Patterson m. Genevieve Burns
- IV. Alexander Patterson "died young, single"
- V. Barbara Ellen Patterson m. Chris Eminger ["Emminger" on death her certificate]
- VI. Elizabeth Patterson m. Shields Herron
- VII. Rachel Adams [Adda Rachel, per ancestry.com tree] Patterson m. David Wyant
- VIII. Sarah Patterson m. Joseph Young

The children of Nathaniel and Susan (Garner) Patterson are listed below, in their conjectured birth order, with all records found to date:

- I. Alexander Patterson no info other than he "died young, single" (Mildred's Letter"). My note: I've arbitrarily listed Alexander as the first-born child. Since Nathaniel married Susan Garner in 1843; and since the earliest known birth date of any of their other children is 4 years later (daughter Barbara born 1846) it's possible that Alexander was the first-born child, perhaps born between 1844 and 1846, in Armstrong Co., PA; died before the 1850 census. Per the Scotch-Irish naming pattern, the first son was named after the father's father. So IF Nathaniel truly had a son named Alexander; and IF this were his first-born son.... Well, this is another reason to posit that Nathaniel was indeed the son of Alexander Patterson (treated in a separate paper posted on this website).
- II. Barbara Ellen Patterson b. Oct 1846 (1900 census) in Armstrong Co., PA; m. John Christopher/Christian Emminger/Eminger (listed as "John Christian Eminger" on his death certificate; husband "Christopher Emminger" is listed on Barbara's death certificate; "Chris Eminger" in "Mildred's Notes"; "John C." on censuses). Husband John was born 21 Nov 1843 in PA, son of George & Catharine (Slater) Patterson; he died 15 Mar 1911 in Farmington, Clarion Co., PA; buried in Tylersburg [Clarion Co.], PA. (All

foregoing info comes original death certificate #24966 of "John Christian Eminger," viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com.) Barbara d. 22 May 1933 in Mt. Jewett, McKean Co., PA. (Original PA death certificate #47989 of Barbara "Emminger," viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com; parents' names on this death certificate: Nathaniel Patterson, born in Ireland and Susan "Carney" [should be "Garner"], born in PA; buried in Tylersburg [Clarion Co.], PA). As of this writing, findagrave.com lists no Barbara "Emminger" or "Eminger" who died 1933 in any cemetery. Per "Mildred's Notes," Barbara had just one child, Bert, who died at 16 years of age." Note: See 1880 census below. Barbara and her husband adopted at least one daughter, Ella/Ellen. And see 1900 census below; their other daughter, Elva J., was possibly also adopted.

1850 & 1860 Censuses - Barbara is listed in Nathaniel's Franklin Twp., Armstrong Co., PA household.

Barbara married John Christopher Em[m]inger about 1869 (see 1900 & 1910 censuses).

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1870 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 30 July 1870 (p. 29 of 42)

J. C. Eminger 23 [1847] PA sawmill hand
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Barbara " 23 [1847] PA Wilbert " 3 [1867] PA

1880 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 12 June 1880 (p. 17 of 45)

 John C. Eminger
 35 [1845] PA PA PA farmer

 Barbara ", wife
 34 [1846] PA PA [error] PA

 Wilbert ", son
 13 [1867] PA PA PA

Ella [Cate?] "adopted" 10 [1870] PA PA PA Her name is "Ellen" on 1900 census Note: Ella's surname ("Cate"?) was crossed out, but "Eminger" was not written in.

Note: See 1920 census below where Ella is listed as Barbara's "niece."

1900 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 18 June 1900 (p. 13 of 22)

Chris J. Emminger 55 b. Nov 1844 PA PA PA m. 31 yrs [1869] farmer

Barbra ", wife 53 b. Oct 1846 PA PA [error] PA m. 31 yrs 3 children, 2 living

Ellen [Ella] B. ", dau 31 b. Apr 1869 PA PA PA single

Elva J. ", dau 22 b. Aug 1877 PA PA PA single another adopted daughter?

Joseph F. Wyant, nephew 12 b. Jan 1888 PA PA PA Whose son?

1910 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 26 Apr 1910 (p. 10 of 22)

John C. Eminger 65 [1845] PA PA PA m. 41 yrs [1849] farmer

Barbara ", wife 63 [1847] PA Ireland PA m. 41 yrs 2 children, 1 living

Ella ", **adopted daughter** 40 [1870] PA PA PA single house servant Forest Wyant, nephew 22 [1888] PA PA PA single farm laborer

Husband John died 1911.

1920 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 2 Jan 1920 (p. 9 of 15)

Barbra E. Eminger 73 [1847] PA Ireland PA widow farmer

Ella B. ", **niece** 49 [1871] PA PA PA single

1930 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA Apr 4 & 5, 1930 (p. 4 of 14) **Barbara Emminger** 83 [1847] PA N. Ireland PA widow

(living alone)

Barbara died 1933. Adopted daughter Ella died 1935.

John C. & Barbara (Patterson) Eminger/Emminger had children:

- **A.** Wilbert "Bert" Em(m)inger b. abt. 1867 in PA (1870 & 1880 censuses); d. abt. 1883 (died at age 16, per "Mildred's Notes").
- B. Ella B. Em(m)inger (ADOPTED) b. 28 Aug 1868 in PA; d. 7 Dec 1935, single; buried in Tylersburg, PA. (All foregoing info from original death certificate #107295, viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com). INTERESTING: On Ella Eminger's death certificate, her father is listed as John Emminger, and her mother as "not known." This is interesting because the informant was Forest Wyant, who was raised by Barbara, and who grew up with Ella.
- C. Elva J. Em(m)inger (another ADOPTED daughter?) b. Aug 1877 in PA (1880 census). No further info found about Elva.

Continuing with children of Nathaniel and Susan (Garner) Patterson:

Elizabeth "Betty" Ann Patterson b. Feb 1847 in PA (1900 census; agrees with age on III. 1850 & 1860 censuses). Probably abt. 1877-1878 (1st known child b. 1878-1879, per 1880 census), Elizabeth m. Joseph S. ["Shields"] Herron ("Robert Patterson Family Tree" at ancestry.com lists her husband as "Shields Herron"; no documentation. The "Headrick, Wyant, Taylor" tree at ancestry.com lists her husband as "Joseph Shields Herron"; no documentation but this may be correct, because the marriage record of their son William lists father as "J.S. Herron—see "Pennsylvania Marriages 1852-1968" at ancestry.com; and the 1954 death certificate of son "William D. Herron Sr." lists father as "Joseph S. Herron" & mother "Elizabeth Patterson"—see "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com). Elizabeth d. "before 1915" ("Headrick, Wyant, Taylor..." tree at ancestry.com; no documentation); OR she d. "1930" ("Robert Patterson Family Tree" at ancestry.com; no documentation). Note: As of this writing, findagrave.com lists no Elizabeth Herron born abt. 1847 in any cemetery. Nor is an Elizabeth Herron who could be the Elizabeth Herron who concerns us here listed in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com. Per "Mildred's Notes," there are "no records" of the family of Elizabeth Patterson and "Shields" Herron. Beneath this note there are four names: "Addie [Adaline], Susan, William, Minnie" who, from records found (see further) are proven to be Elizabeth's children.

1850 & 1860 Censuses – Betty Ann is in her father's Armstrong Co., PA household.

Elizabeth married Joseph "Shields" Herron probably abt. 1877-1878.

1880 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 12 June 1880 (p. 17 of 45)

Incorrectly recorded with surname "Herring")

Shields Herring [sic] 29 [1851] PA PA PA laborer Elisabeth ", wife 31 [1849—age error] PA PA PA

Susan ", dau 2 [1878] PA PA PA

In 1900, Elizabeth Herron is listed as "housekeeper" in the household of John Shall in Forest Co., PA. She is listed as "married"—but is not listed with her husband Joseph—though per the following record, he was living nearby in 1897. Per daughter Adda's

marriage record, she married at age 17 and received the consent of her father, "J.S. Herron," who at that time (Sept 1897) was living in "McCrays" [Jenks Twp., Forest Co.], PA," to marry Ervin Hulings. Did husband Joseph die 1897-1900? Was Elizabeth incorrectly recorded on the 1900 census below as "married"?

1900 Jenks, Forest Co., PA 22 June 1900 (p. 32 of 50)

John Shall
38 b. Oct 1861 PA PA widower laborer, lumber

Elizabeth Herron, housekeeper
53 b. Feb 1847 PA Ireland PA married [error?] 8 children, 4 living

NOTE: Cannot find husband Joseph on this census, or her daughter Minnie, who would have been just 14 years old in 1900.

<u>1910 Census</u> – The only person of the surname "Herron," indexed by ancestry.com in Forest Co., PA on this census, is Elizabeth's son, William D. Herron.

We don't have a death date for Elisabeth, or for her husband Joseph Shields Herron. As of this writing, no persons of the surname "Herron" are listed on findagrave in any Forest Co., PA cemetery.

Children of Joseph Shields & Elizabeth (Patterson) Herron (all 4 listed in "Mildred's Notes," though not in their birth order):

- **A. Susan "Susie" A. Herron b. abt. 1879** ("Susie" A. Herron was age 28 when she applied for marriage license in 1907, in Forest Co, PA); **m. Emon J. Humel** on 14 Feb 1907, in Marionville, Forest Co., PA (original marriage certificate viewable in "Pennsylvania Marriages 1852-1968" at ancestry.com; father's name on this record: "Shields" Herron; it was the first marriage for both). No further info in this paper.
- B. Adaline /Adeline"Addie"/"Adda" Herron b. 4 July 1880 in Forest Co., PA; d. 30 Oct 1952 in Bradford Twp., McKean Co., PA; m. ___ Hulings (who predeceased her). (All foregoing info comes from death certificate #87787 for Adeline Hulings, viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com; parents' names on this certificate: "Shields" Herron & mother "unknown"; widow at time of death; buried in Scotch Hill [Union] Cemetery, Clarion Co., PA; informant: Lyman S. Hulings, Mt. Jewell, PA.) Adda m. Ervin S. [Sylvester] Hulings (deduced from findagrave info; see further). They married 26 Sept 1897 per notice of permit to wed published in the 1 Sept 1897 issue of The Forest Republican [Tionesta, Forest Co.,PA]. Per this notice, "both parties are from McCrays, this county" [Jenks Twp., Forest Co, PA, where Addie's mother Elizabeth Herron was living in 1900]. Note: Husband Ernest's middle name "Sylvester" comes from Photo of matching gravestones at Scotch Hill Union Cemetery, Clarion Co., PA, posted on findagrave 7/9/13 by Cindy Waddings, show inscriptions: "Adda A. Hulings / 1880 1952" and "Ervin S. Hulings / 1871 1946." No further info in this paper.
- C. William D. Herron b. 27 Oct 1882 in Clarion Co., PA; d. 20 Apr 1954 in Kane, McKean Co., PA. (Birth date & birthplace & death date & place of death from PA death certificate #33148 for William D. Herron Sr., viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com). Per William's death certificate, he was widowed at time of death. Parents' names on death certificate: Joseph S. Herron &

Elizabeth Patterson. Informant: William D. Herron of Kane, PA. Buried in Forest Lawn Cemetery, Kane, McKean Co., PA. The Myrtle K. Herron also listed on findagrave as buried in Forest Lawn Cemetery is *probably* William's wife. Per info posted on findagrave 2/29/2012 by John K. Pierson, Myrtle was b. 1889; d. 1946. Also buried in this cemetery is son William D. Herron Jr. and William Jr.'s wife Margaret Jean (Cadden) Herron. No further info in this paper.

Continuing with children of Joseph Shields & Elizabeth (Patterson) Herron:

D. Minnie Herron b. 29 Jan 1886 in Marienville [Forest Co.], PA; m. [Charles] Albert Rankin; d. 26 Dec 1957 in Punxsutawney, Jefferson Co., PA. (All foregoing info comes from original PA death certificate #111960 of Minnie Rankin, viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1996" at ancestry.com.) Per Minnie's death certificate, she was daughter of "Shields" Herron & Elizabeth Patterson. At time of death she was married; husband's name: Albert Rankin. She was buried in Ridgemont Cemetery, Bell Twp., Jefferson Co., PA. Informant: [dau] Mrs. Agnes Smouse of Punxsutawney, PA. PA death certificate #026325-66 of Charles Albert Rankin, viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificate 1906-1996" at ancestry.com, gives birth date of 14 Sept 1883 in Redcliff, PA; d. 23 Mar 1966 in Albion, Jefferson Co., PA; widower at time of death; wife's name: Minnie Herron; buried in Ridgemont Cemetery; informant: Mrs. Agnes Smouse of Albion, PA. Per info posted on findagrave 8/27/09 by "Marianne," Albert & Minnie (Herron) Rankin) had children: Arthur W. Rankin (1903-1970); Dorene Lucille (Rankin) Bowers (1907-1967); Agnes Sara (Rankin) Manners (1909-1985); Leroy Rankin (1911-1931); Harold Rankin (1913-1978); Emerson Rankin (1914-1983); Ruth Pauline (Rankin) Phillips (191-2008); Paul Rankin (1922-1932); and Erline Mary Rankin (1926-1926). No further info on these children. No further info in this paper.

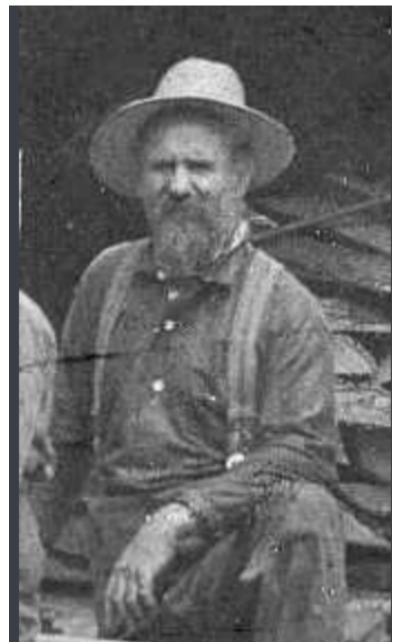
Continuing with children of Nathaniel and Susan (Garner) Patterson:

IV. James Beatty Patterson ⁷ b. 3 May 1849 in Armstrong Co., PA; d. 20 Oct 1921 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA (birth date, death date & place of death for James "Baty" Patterson comes from "West Virginia Deaths Index 1853-1973" at ancestry.com; parents' name on this index: Nathaniel & Susan Patterson; occupation; lumberman; married at time of death; age at death: 72 yrs, 6 mos, 17 days; buried in "Bluemont"). Photo of James' gravestone in Bluemont Cemetery, Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA posted on findagrave 10/4/10 by D.G. Keener shows inscription: "James Beatty Patterson / Died 1921." Note on James' findagrave page: "s/o Nathaniel & Susan Patterson." James m. Sarah Jane McCloskey. They married 18 May 1880 ("Mildred's Notes"). Per findagrave info, Sarah Jane was b. 20 Sept 1854 in PA, dau of Robert & Elizabeth (Doughterty) McCloskey; d. 6 Apr 1934; buried in Mount Calvary Catholic Cemetery, Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA. Photo of Sarah Jane's gravestone posted on findagrave 9/15/17 by Shannon shows inscription: "Mother / Sarah J. Patterson / Sept. 20, 1854 – Apr. 6, 1934."

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⁷ Per "Mildred's Notes," Nathaniel married first, in Ireland, a "young Miss Beatty." Assuming this is true, then it seems that Nathaniel decided to give son James, born of his wife Susan Garner, the middle name of his first wife.

Following are photos (dates unknown) of James and wife Sarah Jane, courtesy of Bob Patterson.



James Beatty Patterson



Sarah Jane (McCloskey) Patterson

"Mildred's Notes" contains the following info about James Beatty Patterson and his family:

"James Beatty [maiden name of Nathaniel's (his father's) first wife] was born in Armstrong County Pa. according to my Uncle Jim (my mother's brother). He was living at Slaters Landing, Pa. when he took Sarah Jane McCloskey as his wife on May 18, 1880. He being Protestant and Sarah a Catholic they were married by a priest in Clarion, Pa. They went to Slaters Landing to live. He was a lumberman and until he moved to W. V. was engaged in the business near the Clarion River. He worked the forest of this area and (claims by relatives) worked closely with Anthony Wayne Cook of Cooksville. James is shown in a glass (colored) window in the burial mausoleum (near the Cook mansions) as a

logger on Clarion River. James was approximately 30 years old and Sarah Jane was 26 years old. Their first child Robert Michael (1881-1952) was born at Slater's Landing (a place where his father was living at the time of marriage." *Note:* Here "Mildred's Notes" lists 5 children (in addition to son Robert): "Nathaniel Joseph, James Harrison, Norbert Lee, Joseph Margaret and Benedict Giles." Daughter Genevieve was omitted in this first list; she was named later. (see further).

Continuing with "Mildred's Notes" info:

"The Patterson family moved to Grafton West Virginia in 1897 after the death of Sarah's mother in Clarion that same year...In 1899 they moved to Mill Creek Wva (Randolph Co.) where he went into business with his brother William. They returned to Grafton in 1903 where he lived until 1921 when he lied. In 1904 he took his two sons Jim and Norbert and some equipment and went to Nova Scotia where they did logging on the La Have River for the Davidson Lumber Company. After they returned to Grafton their children started to marry after attending local schools. 'JB' continued to lumber until he became too old and tired to take care of his big barn and horses. The 1st World War was over and his sons (some were married by this time in 1918) and their wives went to the west coast to live and continue lumbering. Sarah Jane returned to Crown and took up residence near her parents' home. In 1934 after the great depression of 1929 and the hardships of unemployment, she and her son Benedict returned to Grafton and took up residence near her daughter Josephine Flanagan. [Flanagan? Listed on 1930 census as Josephine "O'Sullivan."] Her daughter Genevieve and granddaughter Betty who was born in Crown had returned to Grafton with her. Sarah died on April 6, 1934 and is buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery in the Fahey plot. Her son Nathan's wife was Stella Fahey a niece of Mrs. Thomas Joyce. It is in this family plot that she is buried."

Note: Here "Mildred's Notes" gives names of spouses of Sarah's children. This info is included below.

<u>1850, 1860 & 1870 Censuses</u> – James is in his father's / widowed mother's Armstrong / Forest Co., PA household.

James married Sarah Jane McCloskey in 1880.

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1880 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 24 June 1880 (p. 39 of 45)
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James B. Patterson 35 [1845—age error?] PA PA [error] PA laborer

Sarah ", wife 26 [1854—correct] PA Ireland Ireland

1900 Huttonsville, Randolph Co., WVA 25 June 1900 (p. 34 o 34)

James B. Patterson	50 b. May 1850 [error? 1849?] PA Ireland PA m. 20 yrs manager, saw mill
Sarah J. ", wife	46 b. Sept 1853[1854?] PA Ireland Ireland m. 20 yrs 7 children, 7 living
Robert M. ", son	18 b. Sept 1881 PA PA PA single teamster
Nathan J. ", son	17 b. Aug 1882 PA PA PA at school
James H. ", son	16 b. Mar 1884 PA PA PA at school
Norbert L. ", son	13 b. Sept 1886 PA PA PA at school
Josephine ", dau	11 b. Apr 1889 PA PA PA at school
Geneva ", dau	8 b. Jan 1892 PA PA PA
Benedict ", son	4 b. Sept 1896 PA PA PA
(plus 2 boarders)	

1910 Grafton Ward 4, Taylor Co., WVA 15 Apr 1910 (p. 5 of 21)

(Incorrectly recorded with middle initial "V.")

James V. Patterson
Sarah J. ", wife

60 [1850] PA PA [error] PA 1st marriage; m. 30 yrs lumber dealer
54 [1856] PA PA [error] PA [error] m. 30 yrs 7 children, 7 living

Robert ", son 29 [1881] PA PA PA single laborer, railroad Nathan J. ", son 27 [1883] PA PA PA single salesman, lumber co.

Josephine M. ", dau
Jeneveve ", dau
Benedict ", son

21 [1889] PA PA PA single
19 [1891] PA PA PA single
14 [1896] PA PA PA single

1920 Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA 24 & 26 Jan 1920 (p. 19 of 21) **James B. Patterson** 71 [1849] PA Ireland PA lumberman

Sarah J. ", wife 66 [1854] PA Ireland Ireland

Benedict ", son 23 [1897] PA PA PA single boilermaker, B & O RR Co.

James died 1921 in Taylor Co., WVA.

In 1930, widow Sarah heads a household in Clarion Co., PA:

1930 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 12 Apr 1930 (p. 9 of 15)

Sarah J. Patterson 75 [1855] PA Ireland Ireland widow

Dennis O'Sullivan, bro-law 61 [1869] England Ireland Ireland m. age 33 foreman, oil & gas

Josephine ", sister 67 [1863] PA Ireland Ireland m. age 38 Charles B. McCloskey, brother 63 [1867] PA Ireland Ireland single

Wife Sarah died 1934.

Bob supplied the following article about James, published in the 21 Nov 1921 issue of *Southern Lumberman*:

Excerpt Southern Lumberman, November 12, 1921, pg 48

J. B. Patterson, Grafton, W. Va.

GRAFTON. "7. Va., November 5.—J. B. Patterson. one of the pioneer lumbermen of the state. passed away at his home here at the age of 72. He began working in the lumber mills of Clarion county. Pa.. when a. boy. engaging in business for himself in 1899 under the firm name of Steiner & Patterson. at Vowinkle. Pa. When the timber of that section was cut out he came to West Virginia in 1897. engaging in the lumber business at Irontown. this county. The company was known as the Clarion Lumber Comnanv. Mr. Patterson sold out his interests to his partners in 1900 and went to Mill Creek, Randolph county.

W. Va... where he engaged in the operation of a lumber mill with his brother. W. F. Patterson. which continued until 1905, when the business was closed up Mr. Patterson was then employed by a large lumbering syndicate in Nova Scotia to superintend their operations at Bridgewater. N. S. He remained there two years when he returned because of the rigors of the northern climate, but continued in the same interests for the next, two years in building a mill and railroad at Jacksonburg. \V. Va. He was compelled to give up this work on account of declining health. He is survived by his wife and seven children. He was a member of the Baptist church.

On 24 Oct 1921 widow Sarah appeared in the County Court of Taylor County, West Virginia, and deposed that the "distributees" of the estate of James B. Patterson were as follows:

-	Sarah J. Patterson	Grafton, WVA	widow
-	Robert M. Patterson	"	son
-	Nathaniel J. Patterson	"	son

-	James H. Patterson	Portland, Oregon	son
-	Norbert L. Patterson	Hillsboro, Oregon	son
-	Josephine M. Flanagan	Grafton, WVA	daughter
-	Genevieve Siebert	Wheeling, WVA	daughter
-	Benedict G. Patterson	Grafton, WVA	son

James Beatty & Sarah Jane (McCloskey) Patterson had 7 children:

A. Robert Michael Patterson b. 8 Sept 1882 (birth date inscribed on gravestone; matches date on WWII Draft card); b. Sept 1881 per 1900 census; b. 1881 per "Mildred's Notes"; b. 8 Sept 1889 [incorrect] on "U.S. Social Security Applications & Claims Index"); born at "Slater's Landing" [?] ("Mildred's Notes"); born in Crown, Clarion Co., PA per WWII Draft card; d. 1952 ("Mildred's Notes" & gravestone); m. Jamie Belle Graw [Grow?] "and stayed in Grafton all his life" ("Mildred's Notes"). Note: Several of Robert & Jamie's children are listed on the "Social Security Applications & Claims Index" with mother's maiden name "Grow"—not "Graw." Robert & Jamie married 1913-1914. Photo of gravestone in Mount Calvary Catholic Cemetery in Grafton, WVA, posted on findagrave 9/15/17 by "Shannon," shows inscription: "Robert M. Patterson / Sept. 8, 1882 – Sept. 1, 1952." As of this writing, Robert's wife is not listed on findagrave in this cemetery. When Robert registered for the WWII draft, in Wheeling, WVA, his employer was listed as "Board of Education, Grafton, W. Va."

1900 & 1910 Censuses - Robert is in his father's Randolph Co./Taylor Co., WVA household.

Robert married Jamie Belle Graw, 1913-1914 (1930 census).

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1920 Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA 19 Jan 1920 (p. 13 of 21)
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Robert M. Patterson 39 [1881] PA PA PA car inspector, B & O Railroad

Jamie ", wife 26 [1894] WVA WVA WVA Annabelle ", dau 4 & 5/12 [1915] WVA PA WVA Mary Joe [sic] ", dau 2 & 11/12 [1917] WVA PA WVA Frances ", dau 1 & 3/12 [1918] WVA PA WVA

1930 Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA 3 Apr 1930 (p. 4 of 33)

Robert M. Patterson 47 [1883] PA PA PA m. age 30 [1913] janitor, school buildings

Jamie B. ", wife 36 [1894] WVA WVA WVA m. age 20 [1914]

Annabel ", dau 14 [1916] WVA PA WVA Mary J. ", dau 13 [1917] WVA PA WVA Francis ", dau 11 [1919] WVA PA WVA Robert ", son 9 [1921] WVA PA WVA Betty J. ", dau 7 [1923] WVA PA WVA Charles A. ", son 2 [1928] WVA PA WVA

1940 Census – Cannot find Robert or any of his family on this census.

Robert died 1952. (No obituary found.)

Per "Mildred's Notes," Robert Michael & Jamie Belle (Graw/Grow) Patterson had 6 children (whom Mildred refers to as "cousins"):

1. Annabelle Patterson b. 11 July 1915 in Taylor Co., WVA; d. 15 July 1973 in Bedford Heights, Cuyahoga Co., OH; buried in Crown Hill Cemetery & Mausoleum, Twinsburg, Summit Co., OH (birth & death dates from SSDI). Note: Several undocumented trees list her as "Nora Annablle Patterson"; no records found substantiating this. Annabelle m. [Arthur] Rex Satterfield ("Mildred's Notes"). Husband Arthur Rex Satterfield is buried in Crown Hill Cemetery with Annabelle. Per info posted on findagrave 1/23/17 Arthur Rex Setterfield was b. 5 July 1914 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA, son of Bernard Amos & Mattie A. (Hoffman) Satterfield; d. 21 Apr 1995 in Eastlake, Lake Co., OH. Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 1/23/17 by Christine McAdam-Crux shows inscription: "Wife and Mother / Annabelle Satterfield / 1915 – 1973." As of this writing, findagrave has attached a gravestone photo to husband Rex, but this is the wrong gravestone. (It's for a woman named Dora Baker, 1889-1966!) Note: "Mildred's Notes" contains no information about Annabelle's children.

1920 & 1930 Censuses – Annabelle is in her father's Taylor Co., WVA household.

Annabelle married Arthur Rex Satterfield, probably abt. 1936 (1st known child b. abt. 1937)

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1940 Knottsville, Taylor Co., WVA 9 Apr 1940 (p. 15 of 53)Arthur R. Satterfield25 [1915] WVA lived same place 1935 janitor, public buildingAnnabelle ", wife24 [1916] WVA "Patricia A. ", dau3 [1937] WVAMary Jane ", dau1 [1939] WVA
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Per the above 1940 census, Arthur Rex & Annabelle (Patterson) Satterfield had at least 2 children: Patricia A. b. abt. 1937 & Mary Jane b. abt. 1939. No info on these children in this paper.

Continuing with children of Robert Michael & Jamie Belle (Graw/Grow) Patterson:

2. Mary Jo Patterson b. 23 Feb 1917 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA ("Social Security Applications & Claims Index; parents' names on this index: Robert M. Patterson & Jamie B. "Grow"; listed as Mary Jo Slaton in Nov 1961). Note: The "Donna Robertson Family Tree" at ancestry.com, authored by Donna Torres (just 1813 persons on this tree) lists Mary Jo as "Mary Josephine." Mary Jo m. Roy Slaton ("Mildred's Notes").

1920 & 1930 Censuses – Mary Jo is in her father's Taylor Co., WVA household.

Mary Jo married Roy Slaton, probably abt. 1939.

The "Donna Robertson" tree lists Mary Jo's husband as Roy Ismal Slaton b. 1916; d. 1964 & lists children: Joyce Ann Slaton (1939-1994); Robert Louise (1941-1996); and Robert Ismal Slaton Jr. (1943-1977). Mary Jo Slaton d. 24 Apr 1989 ("U.S. Social Security Applications & Claims Index"). No further info in this paper.

Continuing with children of Robert Michael & Jamie Belle (Graw/Grow) Patterson:

3. Frances Genevieve Patterson b. 29 Oct 1918 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA; d. 25 Nov 2005. (All foregoing info from "Social Security Applications & Claims Index"; parents' names: Robert M. Patterson & Jamie B. "Grow": listed June 1952 as Frances Genevieve Gamsjager). Per SSDI, Frances G. Gamsjager died 25 Nov 20005 in Hampton City, VA. Frances m. Joseph V. [Victor?] Gamsjager ("Mildred's Notes"), probably in 1952. Note: Husband's middle name "Victor" comes from several undocumented trees. Note: Mildred wrote in "Mildred's Notes" that she was "in touch" with Frances, and hoped to contact her about the names of the children of Frances and her siblings. Frances and her husband areburied in Grafton National Cemetery, Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA. Photo of their gravestones posted on findagrave 6/5/06 by "JC" show inscriptions: "Joseph V. Gamsjager / Pvt. US Army World War II / Apr. 16, 1915 – May 14, 1976" and "His Wife / Frances G. Gamsjager / Oct. 29, 1918 – Nov 25, 2005."

1920 & 1930 Censuses – Frances is in her father's Taylor Co., WVA household.

Frances married Joseph V. Gamsjager, probably abt. 1939

In 1940 Frances is married, and she and her husband are living in the household of her married sister, Mary Jo Slaton:

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1940 Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA13 Apr 1940 (p. 26 of 42)Roy [I.? J.?] Slaton24 [1916] WVA lived [??] WVA in 1935 restaurant attendantMary Jo ", wife23 [1917] WVA lived Grafton, WVA in 1935Joseph Gamsjager, bro-law24 [1916] WVA " married tinner, roofing plantFrances ", sis-law21 [1919] WVA " married (She is Mary Jo's sister)Joyce A. Slaton, dau6/12 [1939] WVADorothy Gamsjager, niece2/12 [1940] WVA
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Per 1940 census info, Joseph V. & Frances G. (Patterson) Gamsjager had daughter Dorothy. And per the obit of daughter Dorothy's husband (see below) they also had daughter Peggy who married Lou Amico.

Obit of Frances G. Gamsjager, posted on the website of *The Exponent Telegram* (wvnews.com):

"Grafton – Frances G. Gamsjager, 87, of Newport News, Va., formerly of Grafton, passed away Friday, Nov. 25, 2005, in Newport News. She was born Oct. 20, 1918, in Grafton, a daughter of the late Robert Michael and Jamie Grow Patterson... She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph Victor Gamsjager, and four sisters: Annabelle Satterfield, Mary Jo Slaton, Betty Patterson and Helen Patterson. Frances

is survived by two daughters and a son-in-law: Dorothy Johnson, of Hampton, Va.; Peggy and Joseph 'Lou' Amico of Laurel, Md.; three grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; two brothers: Robert Patterson and Charles Patterson, both of Grafton; and several nieces and nephews... Interment will follow in the Old West Virginia National Cemetery, Grafton...."

Children of Joseph V. & Frances G. (Patterson) Gamsjager:

a. Dorothy "Dottie" Jean Gamsjager b. 1940 (1940 census); m. Eddie William Johnson (12 Sept 1987 Hampton, VA original marriage certificate of Thomas William Johnson & Judith Lynn Holloway lists groom's parents as Eddie William Johnson and Dorothy Jean Gamsjager). Per husband Eddie's obit (see below), they married abt. 1959. Per peoplesmart.com, Dorothy J. Johnson still lives in Hampton, VA; relatives: Franklin Randolph Johnson, Thomas William Johnson. Husband Eddie William Johnson died 26 Oct 2004 at which time, per his obit, she was still living. His obit, published in the 27 & 28 issues of the Daily Press [Hampton, VA]:

"Hampton – Eddie William Johnson, 65, died Tuesday, Oct. 26, 2004. Born in Erwin, W. VA., he had been a Hampton resident since 1969 and was a member of St. Marks United Methodist Church. Mr. Johnson retired from the U.S. Army as a Master Sergeant in 1979 after 20 years of military service including a tour in Vietnam. He then worked as a Deputy in the Hampton Sheriffs Department for 11 years, retiring in 1990.. Mr. Johnson is survived by his wife of 45 years, Dotty J. Johnson; son Thomas W. Johnson and wife Terri, of Gloucester; daughter Diana Smith and husband, Marc, of Hampton; mother-in-law Frances Gamsjager... He is also survived by his sister-in-law and her husband, Peggy and Lou Amico... interment to follow in Hampton Memorial Gardens...."

Eddie William & Dorothy Jean (Gamsjager) Johnson had children:

- Thomas W. [William] Johnson b. 21 Feb 1961 (marriage records—see further); m. [2nd] Terri ____ & lived in Gloucester, VA in 2004 (father's obit). Note: "Terri" was probably Thomas' 2nd wife. Per original marriage certificate viewable in "Virginia Marriage Records 1936-2004" at ancestry.com, Thomas William Johnson, b. 21 Feb 1961, son of Eddie William Johnson & Dorothy Jean Gamsjager, m. [1st] Judith Lynn Holloway on 12 Sept 1987 in Hampton, VA. No further info.
- **Diana Johnson m. Marc Smith** & lived in Hampton, VA in 2004 (father's obit). No further info.

Continuing with children of Joseph V. & Frances G. (Patterson) Gamsjager:

b. Peggy [Jo?] Gamsjager (b. after 1940 census); m. [2nd] Joseph "Lou" Amico (obit of sister Dorothy's husband, Eddie William Johnson—see above;

and obit of mother Frances). She is probably the "Peggy Jo Gamsjager" **b. 28** Aug 1941 in WVA who m. [1st] Don Kent Bauman (born 4 Apr 1942 in Missouri) on 16 Feb 1963 in Trinidad, West Indies; they divorced 24 Mar 1970 ("Virginia Divorce Records 1918-2014" at ancestry.com). Per obit of mother Frances, in 2005 Peggy and husband Joseph "Lou" Amico lived in Laurel, MD. No further info.

Continuing with children of Robert Michael & Jamie Belle (Graw/Grow) Patterson:

4. Robert Michael Patterson Jr. 27 Mar 1921 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA; d. 9 Jan 2007 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA (foregoing info from "Social Security Applications & Claims Index"; parents' names on this index: Robert M. Patterson & Jamie B. "Grow"; same dates in SSDI); he "married"--but no wife named in "Mildred's Notes"). Per info posted on findagrave 7/5/14 by Mark V., Robert m. Christina Belle Golden. Christina was b. 18 Feb 1928; d. 6 Aug 2017. Robert Jr. & wife Christina are buried in West Virginia National Cemetery, Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA. Photos of gravestone posted on findagrave 9/14/14 by Cynthia Mullens shows inscription: "Robert M. Patterson Jr. / AMM2C US Navy World War II / Mar 27, 1921 – Jan 9, 2007 / Keep Yer Power Dry. " (No photo of wife Christina's gravestone is posted on findagrave as of this writing.)

1930 Census – Robert is in his father's Taylor Co., WVA household.

1940 Census – Cannot find Robert on this census.

Sometime after 1940 Robert married Christina Belle Golden.

Robert died 2007 in Grafton, West Virginia. Wife Christine died 2017 in Grafton, WVA.

The obit of Robert's wife Christine was posted on the Bartlett Funeral Home website on 9 Aug 2017:

"Christine Belle Patterson, 89, of Grafton, passed away Sunday August 6, 2017 at Grafton City Hospital with her loving family by her side. She was born February 18, 1928 in Grafton, daughter of the late Russell Markes and Dovie Grace Thompson Golden. She was preceded in death by her husband Robert M. "PeeWee" Patterson January 9, 2007... Christine is survived by two children: Sara and Ronald Fawcett; and Roger [Roger John, per son Benjamin's obit—see further] and Lisa Patterson, both of Grafton; three grandchildren: Adam Patterson, Morgantown; Amy Fawcett and Rebecca Fawcett Markley, both of Grafton; two great-grandchildren: Connor Michael Markley, Trevor Lewis Hunt; one sister, Martha Evelyn Amos, Fairmont; one brother-in-law, Paul Stipe, Flemington. In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by two children: James Francis Patterson, Barbara Grace Patterson; one grandson, Benjamin Jacob Patterson [died 14] Apr 2017—see further]; two sisters, Mary Stipe, Maxine Ward; two brothersin-law Gary Ward and Robert Amos....Interment will follow at the West Virginia National Cemetery...."

Continuing with children of Robert Michael & Jamie Belle (Graw/Grow) Patterson:

- 5. Betty Jane Patterson b. abt. 1923 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA (1930 census); "remained single" ("Mildred's Notes"). No further info.
- 6. Charles Alfred Patterson b. 9 May 1927 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA (WWII Draft card); married ___ (no wife named in "Mildred's Notes"). Per "U.S. Public Records, Vol., 1," in 1993 Charles was still living in Grafton, WVA; per "U.S. Phone and Address Directories 1993-2002, Charles A. Patterson of Grafton, WVA had phone #: 304-265-0075. He is probably the Charles Alfred Patterson who m. Florence May [Mae?] Kelley in 1949, in Preston, WVA ("West Virginia Marriages Index 1785-1971" at ancestry.com). The obit of Florence Mae Patterson (probable wife of the Charles who concerns us here) was posted on the Bartlett Funeral Home website (www.bartlettfuneralhomewv.com):

"Florence Mae Kelley Patterson, 85, passed away peacefully Sunday, May 20, 2018. Florence was born October 13, 1932 in Tunnelton, WV to the late Clarence Scott and Viola Beckman Kelley. She was a member of the St. Augustine Catholic Church of Grafton, and a member of the Women's Guild. She was a devoted wife to her beloved husband, Charles Patterson, for 68 years; and adoring mother to Chuck and his wife, Diana; and a loving grandmother to her grandson, Charles. She was preceded in death by her parents and four siblings... She is survived by five sisters... Private interment will be in the Bluemont Cemetery...."

Per info posted on findagrave 5 Oct 2018, Florence Mae (Kelley) Patterson (with above birth & death dates) is buried in Bluemont Cemetery (no gravestone photo posted). As of this writing, husband Charles is NOT listed on findagrave in this cemetery.

<u>1930 Census</u> – Charles is in his father's Taylor Co., WVA household.

1940 Census – Cannot locate Charles' father, Robert, on this census.

If the Charles Patterson who concerns us here is the Charles A. Patterson b. 1927 in West Virginia, resident of West Virginia, who enlisted 31 Oct 1945 in Camp Blanding, Florida, for the "Panama Canal Department," then in 1945 the Charles who concerns us here was "single without dependents" in 1945; occupation: "tinsmiths, coppersmiths & sheet metal workers" ("World War II Army Enlistment Records" at ancestry.com).

Continuing with children of James Beatty & Sarah Jane (McCloskey) Patterson:

B. Nathaniel "Nathan" Joseph Patterson b. 15 Aug 1883 (birth date on death certificate; b. 1883 at "Taylor Job River" per "Mildred's Notes"; b. Aug 1882 per 1900 census); d. 22 Mar 1940 in Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA (original death certificate #28882 for Nathaniel Joseph Patterson viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com; parents' names on certificate: James B.

Patterson & Sara Jane McCloskey); d. 1940 per "Mildred's Notes." Per his death certificate, Nathaniel was married at time of death; wife: Mrs. Stella F. Patterson; occupation: lumber broker; buried in Holy Cross Cemetery, Daupin Co., PA; informant: Mrs. Stella F. Patterson). Nathaniel **m. Stella Fahey** and "lived his years in Harrisburg, Pa." ("Mildred's Notes"). Nathaniel J. Patterson is listed on findagrave.com in Holy Cross Cemetery, Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA. Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 6/8/13 by Betty Via Wolfe shows inscription: "N. J. Patterson [NO DATES] / Stella F. Patterson / 1889 – 1984."

1900 & 1910 Censuses - Nathan J. is listed in his father's Randolph Co./Taylor Co., WVA household.

Nathaniel married Stella Fahey abt. 1913 (1930 census).

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1920 Harrisburg Ward 14, Dauphin Co., PA 2 & 3 Jan 1920 (p. 4 of 17)
Nathaniel J. Patterson
                            37 [1883] PA PA PA commercial traveler, lumber
Stella F. ", wife
                            29 [1891] WVA Ireland WVA
Mary J. ", dau
                             5 [1915] MD PA WVA
Nathaniel J. Jr. ", son
                           9/12 [1919] PA PA WVA
1930 Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA 3 Apr 1930 (pp. 8-9 of 32)
Nathaniel J. Patterson
                            47 [1883] PA PA PA m. age 30 [1913] salesman, lumber
Stella ", wife
                            38 [1892] WVA Ireland VA m. age 21 [1913]
Mary J. ", dau
                            15 [1915] MD PA WVA
Nathaniel J. ", dau [error: son] 11 [1919] PA PA WVA
James D. ", son
                             9 [1921] PA PA WVA
George F. ", son
                             6 [1924] PA PA WVA
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Nathaniel died 1940, before the census.

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      1940 Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA
      16 Apr 1940 (p. 15 of 26)

      Stella F. Patterson
      50 [1890] WVA lived same house 1935 widow

      Mary J. ", dau
      25 [1915] MD
      " single secretary

      Nathaniel J. ", son
      21 [1919] PA PA WVA
      " single (recorded 1st as "Samuel J.")

      James D. ", son
      19 [1921] PA PA WVA
      " single

      George F. ", son
      16 [1924] PA PA WVA
      " single

      Richard J. ", son
      9 [1931] PA PA WVA
      " single
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Wife Stella died 1984.

Per censuses info, Nathaniel Joseph & Stella (Fahey) Patterson had 5 children:

1. Mary Jane Patterson b. 11 June 1914 (gravestone) b. in Hagerstown, MD; d. 16 June 2006 (birth of 14 June 1914, in Hagerstown on "U.S. Social Security Applications & Claims Index"; death date: 16 June 2006 on this index, and on gravestone; parents' names on index: N. J. Patterson & Stella K. Fahey; listed on this index June 1942 as Mary Patterson Adams). Undocumented trees list her as wife of John Donald Adams Sr. (he b. 17 Mar 1910 in Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA, son of Reilly Boas & Elizabeth (Hamilton) Adams; d. 3 Feb 1992 in Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA); 2 sons & 4 daughters (all "private") listed on trees. On 5 Oct 1940, in Dauphin Co., PA, Mary Jane Patterson, age 26, dau of Nathaniel J. & Stella (Fahey) Patterson, m. John Donald Adams, age 30, son of

Perly B. & Elizabeth H. (Hamilton) Adams (certificate of marriage viewable in "Pennsylvania Marriages 1852-1968" at ancestry.com). Mary Jane and husband John Donald Adams are buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Mechanicsburg, Cumberland Co, PA. Photos of matching gravestones posted on findagrave 11/7/15 by jbrubaker show inscriptions: "Mary Jane Adams / Beloved wife and mother / Jun 11, 1914 – Jun 16, 2006" and "John D. Adams Sr. / Maj US Army Air Corps / World War II / Mar 17, 1910 – Feb 3, 1992." The obituary of "John D. 'Hammy' Adams Sr. was published in the 5 Feb 1992 issue of *The Patriot News*, and partially transcribed and posted on his findagrave page ("surviving family member names withheld"). This obit says he was "a former teacher in the Harrisburg School District." Per the obit of her brother, Nathaniel, in 1974 Mary Jane Adams lived in Camp Hill, PA. "Mary Jane Adams" is named in the 2014 obit of her brother, James D. Patterson, as a sister who predeceased him.

1920, 1930 & 1940 Censuses – Mary J. is in her father's Dauphin Co., PA household. No further info in this paper.

Continuing with children of Nathaniel Joseph & Stella (Fahey) Patterson:

2. Nathaniel Joseph Patterson Jr. b. 3 Mar 1919 in Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA ("Pennsylvania Veteran Compensation Files" at ancestry.com). When Nathaniel applied for veteran compensation in 1950, he was a resident of Harrisburg, PA. Nathaniel d. 30 Oct 1974; buried in Queen of Heaven Catholic Cemetery, McMurry, Washington Co., PA (info posted on findagrave 4/18/16 by "Twist"; no gravestone photo posted). Nathaniel J. Patterson Jr. is named as a brother who predeceased him in the 2000 obit of Nathaniel Jr.'s brother James (see further). When Nathaniel enlisted, in New Cumberland, PA, on 23 Apr 1942, he was "single, without dependents"; education: 4 years of college; civil occupation: "actors & actresses" ("World War II Army Enlistment Records" index at ancestry.com). The "Patterson Family Tree..." at ancestry.com lists 2 wives for Nathaniel Jr.: m. 1st Omega Megarie [Maria] Barfield (with whom he had daughter Nancy, 1944-1975). On the 1940 census Omega M. Barfield, age 22, born in Missouri, single, is listed as a lodger in Austin, TX; occupation: school teacher; in 1935 she lived in St. Joseph, MO. Per the "Patterson Family Tree," Nathaniel m. 2nd Dorothy Stadz [Statz?] (with whom he had a son, "private"). Not on the "Patterson Family Tree" is this third wife: At the time of Nathaniel's death, in 1974, he was married (3rd) to Dolores T. (widow of Dr. Thomas **C. Owens**—see daughter Jane's engagement announcement below].

1920, 1930 & 1940 Censuses – Nathaniel Jr. is in his father's Dauphin Co., PA household.

Nathaniel's obit was published in the 7 Nov 1974 issue of the *Duncannon [Perry Co., PA] Record:*

"Nathaniel J. Patterson, Pittsburg, died Wednesday, Oct. 30. He was the son of the late Nathaniel J. Patterson Sr., Harrisburg. He was the owner of Patterson Lumber Company, Marysville. He is survived by his wife, Mrs.

Dolores T. Patterson; five daughters: Nancy, El Paso, Tex., and Sarah, Jane, Elizabeth E. and Kimberly R., all of Pittsburgh; two sons: Thomas A. and Nathaniel J. Jr., both of Pittsburgh; his mother, Mrs. Stella F. Patterson, Camp Hill; three brothers: Dr. Richard J. and George F. Patterson, both of Camp Hill; and James D., Cleveland; and a sister, Mrs. Mary Jane Adams, Camp Hill. Services were held at St. Thomas More Church, Pittsburgh."

Per his obit, Nathaniel Joseph Patterson Jr. had children (and stepchildren):

- a. Nancy Marie Patterson b. 13 Apr 1944 in San Francisco, PA; d. 21 July 1975 in El Paso, TX; d. unmarried. (Per original Texas death certificate #58490 for Nancy Marie Patterson, viewable in "Texas Death Certificate 1903-1982" at ancestry.com, Nancy Marie Patterson was b. 13 Apr 1944 in San Francisco, CA: d. 21 July 1975 in El Paso, TX; she was daughter of Nathaniel J. Patterson & Omega Maria Barfield; died unmarried; occupation: high school teacher.)
- b. Sarah (Patterson?) living in Pittsburgh in 1974 (Nathaniel's obit). Can find no info on-line about Sarah. Possible step-daughter of Nathaniel—see notes for Jane below.
- c. Jane OWENS (daughter of Thomas C. & Dolores Owens; stepdaughter of Nathaniel who married Dolores) living in Pittsburgh in 1974 (Nathaniel's obit). Engagement announcement published in the 2 Apr 1987 issue of the Pittsburgh Press:

"Jane Owens, daughter of Dolores T. Patterson of Upper St. Clair and the late Dr. Thomas C. Owens, and **stepdaughter of the late Nathaniel J. Patterson III**, to Mark L. Blevins, son of Mrs. Paul R. Haines of Camden, N.J. Both graduated from Pennsylvania State University. She is employed by Lancaster County Juvenile Court. He also graduated from the University of Tennessee College of Law. He is employed by Sponaugle and Associates, Lancaster. A May 30 wedding is planned."

- d. Elizabeth E. (Patterson?) living in Pittsburgh in 1974 (Nathaniel's obit). Can find no info on-line about Elizabeth. Possible step-daughter of Nathaniel—see notes for Jane above.
- e. Kimberly R. Patterson (?) living in Pittsburgh in 1974 (*Nathaniel's obit*). Possible step-daughter of Nathaniel—see notes for Jane above. Can find no info on-line about Kimberly.
- **f.** Thomas A. (Patterson?) (possible son with Nathaniel's 2nd wife Dorothy) living in Pittsburgh in 1974 (father's obit) Can find no info on-line about Thomas.
- **g.** Nathaniel J. (Patterson?) living in Pittsburgh in 1974 (father's obit). Can find no info on-line about Nathaniel.

No further info in this paper.

Continuing with children of Nathaniel Joseph & Stella (Fahey) Patterson:

3. James Daniel Patterson b. 23 Sept 1920 in Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA (birth date from obituary—see further; and in "Pennsylvania Veterans Compensation"

Applications Files" at ancestry.com). When James applied for veterans compensation in 1950, he was a resident of Harrisburg, PA. James d. 16 May 2014 in Ormand Beach, FL (obit). James m. 1st Dorothy Eldridge, who predeceased him (obit). Per the "Patterson Family Tree" at ancestry.com, authored by "Mst1923," Dorothy Jane Eldridge was b. 1923; d. 1975; they had son Stephen Patrick (b. 15 Nov 1952 in Harrisburg; d. 22 Sept 2000 is Wadsworth, Medina Co., OH) & 2 other sons, not named (no documentation on this tree). James m. 2nd Louise Waltz, who also predeceased him (obit). Per the "Patterson Family Tree," with 2nd wife Louise he had 1 daughter, not named. Note: Per the obit of James' brother, Nathaniel J., in 1974 James lived in Cleveland, OH.

James' obit was published in the 25 May 2014 issue of the *Daytona Beach News-Journal*, and transcribed and posted on legacy.com:

"James D. Patterson Sr., 93, passed away peacefully on May 16, 2014 in Ormand Beach, FL. Mr. Patterson was born in Harrisburg, PA on September 23, 1920, to the late Nathaniel J. Patterson and Stella M. Fahey. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Dorothy Eldridge; and second wife, Louise Waltz; and sister, Mary Jane Adams; and brothers: Nathaniel J. Patterson Jr. and George F. Patterson. He was predeceased also by a son, Stephen P. Patterson. He is survived by sons James D. Patterson Jr., NJ; and Michael E. Patterson (Donna), FL; and daughter Joyce M. Melzer (Richard), OH; and brother Dr. Richard J. Patterson (Mary Eleanor), PA. He was a loving grandfather to 21 grandchildren and great-grandfather to 37 children. Mr. Patterson attended the University of Notre Dame and graduated from Lebanon Valley College after serving in the World War II. During the war he served in the U.S. Navy (Seabees) assisting in the Pacific Campaign. During his working years, he was employed by Johnson & Johnson, Permacel division, as a sales representative; moved to Ohio as VP of sales, Clamco Corp; and spent many years working in the packaging industry after founding his own company in his later years... interment at Holy Cross Cemetery, Brookpark [Brook Park, Cuyahoga Co.], OH...."

As of this writing, findagrave lists James D. Patterson in Holy Cross Cemetery, Brook Park, Cuyahoga Co., OH; but no gravestone photo is posted. Also listed in this cemetery is James' son, listed as "Steven" (not "Stephen" as in obit] P. Patterson; b. 15 Nov 1952; d. 21 Sept 2000; no gravestone photo posted, but his obit is posted (see further).

Continuing with children of Nathaniel Joseph & Stella (Fahey) Patterson:

4. George Francis Patterson b. 15 July 1923 in Harrisburg, Dauphin Co., PA (WWII Draft Registration card & "PA Veteran Compensation Files" at ancestry.com); **d. 29 Jan 2009**; last residence Harrisburg, PA (SSDI); same birth & death dates on obit posted on his findagrave page. Per "U.S. Public Records...1950-1993" George F. Patterson with above birth date was listed in Naples, Florida. In 1950 when George applied for veterans' compensation he

was living in Harrisburg, PA. About 1959, George **married Rita Corish**, who died in 2005 *(obit)*. George and wife Rita were buried in Rolling Green Memorial Park, Camp Hill, Cumberland Co., PA. Photo of shared gravestone posted on findagrave 3/9/19 by Patrick shows inscription: "PATTERSON / George F. / 1923-2009 / Army Air Corp WWII / Rita G. / 1922 – 2005." *Note:* Per the obit of George's brother, Nathaniel, in 1974 he lived in Camp Hill, PA.

1930 & 1940 Censuses – George is in his father's household in Dauphin Co., PA.

About 1959 George married Rita Corish (obit).

George's obit was posted on his findagrave page, with notation: "pennlive obits February 2, 2009":

"George F. Patterson Sr., of Naples, Florida, died Thursday, January 29, 2009, in his 86th year. Mr. Patterson was born in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, to the late Nathaniel and Stella Patterson. Mr. Patterson served in the Army Air Corps during World War II...Mr. Patterson was preceded in death by his beloved wife of 50 years, Rita Corish Patterson, whom he lovingly cared for throughout her long illness until her death in 2005. He is survived by his children: George Patterson, Jr. and wife, Barbara; Lyn Hempt and husband, Gerald; Nathan Patterson and wife, Kathy; Sharon Turner and husband Lee. Also surviving are his seven adoring grandchildren: Gregory, Gerald and George Hempt; Natalie and Arden Marie Patterson; and Gillian and Alex Turner; and his brothers, James and Richard Patterson. He was preceded in death by his siblings, Nathaniel Joseph Patterson and Mary Jane Adams...Private burial will be in Rolling Green Memorial Park."

Continuing with children of Nathaniel Joseph & Stella (Fahey) Patterson:

5. Dr. Richard J. [Joseph] Patterson b. 1 Jan 1931 ("U.S. Public Records") in Dauphin Co., PA (1940 census); m. Mary Eleanor ___ & lived in PA in 2000 (brother James' obit). Per the obit of Richard's brother, Nathaniel, in 1974 Richard lived in Camp Hill, PA. No further info.

NOTE: Richard has participated in Y-DNA testing. His test results show a close match with Bob Patterson, for whom this paper is written. (See Chapter IV of this paper.)

1940 Census – Richard is in his father's Dauphin Co., PA household.

Continuing with children of James Beatty & Sarah Jane (McCloskey) Patterson:

C. James Harrison Patterson – This is the "Uncle Jim" who sent the 1956 letter to Mildred – James Harrison Patterson was b. 30 Mar 1884 in Crown [Clarion Co.], PA (WWII Draft registration card; per "Mildred's Notes" he was b. 1884 at "Alsbach Place"—which was a settlement in Clarion Co., PA). When James registered for the WWII draft he was living in Portland, Oregon; the "person who will always know your address" was "brother N. L. Patterson" [Norbert Lee]. His occupation was "tie & timber inspector." James d. 1961 ("Mildred's Notes"); went with his father and

brother Norbert to Nova Scotia in 1904, to do logging ("Mildred's Notes"); m. Isabel Casey "and moved to Portland, Oregon" ("Mildred's Notes"). They married on 21 Feb 1909, in Olympia, WA ("Washington Marriages Records 1854-2013" at ancestry.com; parents' names: J. B. Patterson & Sarah McCloskey; occupation: lumberman). Per 1920 census info, James was divorced. James is buried in Valley Memorial Park Cemetery, Hillsboro, Washington Co., Oregon. Photo of his gravestone posted on findagrave 6/2/13 by "Ancestors" shows inscription: "James H. Patterson / 1884 -1961." As of this writing, no other person of the surname "Patterson" is listed on findagrave in this cemetery. Per the "Headrick, Wyant, Taylor..." tree at ancestry.com, wife Isabel was b. 17 Mar 1892 in Bayfield, WI, dau of Edward B. & Katherine (Peterson) Casey; she d. 29 Apr 1940 in Washington Co., OR; she remarried (no date), to Obert Romanus Hemsing.

1900 Census – James H. is in his father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

James married Isabel Casey in 1919, in Olympia, Washington.

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1910 Raymond, Pacific Co., WA 4 May 1910 (p. 35 of 55)
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James Patterson26 [1884] PA Ireland [error] Ireland 1st marriage; m. 1 yr lumber millIsabell ", wife19 [1891] WI Canada IA 1st marriage; m. 1 yr 0 children, 0 living

By the time of the 1920 census, James was divorced, and living with his brother Norbert:

1920 Suver, Polk Co., Oregon 17 Jan 1920 (p. 1 of 6)

Norbert L. Patterson 33 [1887] PA WVA PA supt., saw mill

Mabel L. ", wife 27 [1893] DE PA PA

James H. Patterson, brother 34 [1886] PA WVA PA <u>divorced</u> manager, saw mill *NOTE:* Cannot find James' ex-wife Isabel on the 1920 census, nor his son Robert.

1930 Portland, Multnomah Co., OR 15 Apr 1930 (p. 16 of 16)

James Patterson 45 [1885] PA PA [error] PA <u>divorced</u> proprietor, saw mill

(living alone)

<u>1940 Census</u> – Cannot find James.

James died 1961 in Oregon.

James H. & Isabel (Casey) Patterson had 1 child:

1. Robert Edward Patterson b. 20 July 1910 in Pacific Co., WA ("Washington Birth Records 1870-1935" at ancestry.com; parents' names: James Harrison Patterson & Isabel [?? Name is smudged]—incorrectly indexed with given name "Olsey" instead of Isabel). Robert m. Maxine R. Thompson on 20 Oct 1938 in Vancouver, Clark Co., WA (original marriage certificate viewable in "Washington Marriage Records 1854-2013" at ancestry.com). Robert d. 14 Sept 1940 buried in Fir Lawn Memorial Park, Hillsboro, Washington Co.., OR. Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 3/5/12 by M Peiffer shows inscription: "Robert E. Patterson / 1910-1940." Note on his findagrave page: "US Forest Service." Per the "Shaltes-J" tree at ancestry.com, wife Maxine was b. 23 Apr 1915 in Tacoma

Pierce, WA, dau of Mat LeRoy and Patience T. (O'Hara) Thompson;she m. 2nd Leonard J Littrell (1917-2002) & she d. 28 Jan 2003. No children are listed on this tree. Maxine Thompson Littrell's obit was published in the 30 Jan 2003 issue of the *Denver Post*; it mentions only 2nd husband Leonard Littrell and their Littrell children.

1920 Census – Cannot find Robert (or his divorced mother) on this census.

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<u>1930 Hillsboro, Washington Co., Oregon</u> 14 Apr 1930 (p. 17 of 17)
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Obert [Hemsing?] 48 [1882] MN WI WI 1st m. age 41 [1923] secretary, sawmill

Isabelle ", wife 37 [1893] WI Canada IA 1st m. age 17

Robert Patterson, stepson 19 [1911] WA PA WI single [no occupation]

Robert married Maxine Thompson in 1938, in Clark Co., WA.

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1940 Medford, Jackson Co., Oregon 25 Apr 1940 (p. 10 of 25)
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Robert E. Patterson 29 [1911] WA lived same place 1935 foreman, forest service

Marine [Maxine] T. ", wife 25 [1915] WA " clerk, city water dept.

Robert died 1940 in Oregon.

Robert had no children.

Continuing with children of James Beatty & Sarah Jane (McCloskey) Patterson:

D. Norbert Leo Patterson b. 24 Sept 1887 in Clarion Co., PA ("World War II Draft Registration card; listed on 1900 census with birth date of Sept 1886 which is evidently an error). Note: He is listed incorrectly as Norbert "Lee" Patterson in "Mildred's Notes. Per "Mildred's Notes," he was born at "Gravelick" (there is a "Grave Lick" road in Clarion Co., PA). Norbert went with his father and brother James to Nova Scotia in 1904, to do logging ("Mildred's Notes"); m. Mabel Leonard "and joined [brother] Jim in Portland" ("Mildred's Notes"). Norbert "Leo" Patterson m. Mabel C. Leonard, dau of William B. & Mary (McBride) [Patterson?], on 30 Apr 1919 in Wilmington, New Castle Co., Delaware. (Original marriage certificate viewable in "Delaware Marriage Records 1806-1933" at ancestry.com; Norbert's parents' names on this record: James Patterson, b. PA & Sarah McCloskey, b. in PA. It was the first marriage for both.) Note: A name that looks to be "Patterson" is written after "Mary McBride," name of Mabel's mother! There is no death date for Norbert in "Mildred's Notes." Per "Oregon Death Index," and SSDI, Norbert L. Patterson d. 25 Mar 1977 in Portland, Multnomah Co., Oregon; "Mabel" listed as spouse. As of this writing, no Norbert Patterson who died 1977 is listed on findagrave in any cemetery. A Mabel C. Patterson is listed in "Oregon Death Index," with death date of 17 Jan 1964, in Multnomah, Co., OR. However, spouse name on this typed index is "Elmer." And typed birth year is "1887." Errors? Or is this a different Mabel Patterson? Also worth a mention: a Mabel C. Patterson b. 1889, d. 1968 is listed on findagrave in Clatskanie, Columbia Co., Oregon. She is the only Patterson currently listed on findagrave in this cemetery; possible a different Mabel.

1900 Census – Norbert is in his father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

<u>1910 Census</u> – Cannot find Norbert on this census.

Norbert married Mabel C. Leonard in 1919, in Wilmington, Delaware.

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1920 Suver, Polk Co., Oregon 17 Jan 1920 (p. 1 of 6)
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Norbert L. Patterson 33 [1887] PA WVA PA superintendant, saw mill

Mabel L. ", wife 27 [1893] DE PA PA

James H. Patterson, brother 34 [1886] PA WVA PA divorced manager, saw mill

1930 Vancouver, Clark Co., WA 15-16 Apr 1930 (p. 23 of 25)

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N. L. Patterson

Mabel ", wife

Jean [error: Joan] " day

40 [1890—error] PA PA [error] PA veneer plant

35 [1895] DE DE DE sales lady, dry goods

9 [1921] OR PA DE
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 Jean [error: Joan] ", dau
 9 [1921] OR PA DE

 Robert [error: Norbert] ", son
 8 [1922] OR PA DE

 Nancy ", dau
 7 [1923] OR PA DE

 Eleanor ", dau
 3 [1927] OR PA DE

1931 City Directory Vancouver, Clark Co., Washington

Norbert L. Patterson, foreman VP Co.

Mabel Patterson, spouse

1940 Portland, Multnomah Co., Oregon 10 Apr 1940 (p. 11 of 16)

Norbert L. Patterson	52 [1888] PA	lived same place 1935 salesman, lumber
Mabel L. ", wife	47 [1893] DE	" clerk, dept. store
Joan L. ", dau	18 [1922] OR	" single new worker
Norbert L. ", son	17 [1923] OR	"
Ann N. ", dau	15 [1925] OR	"
Eleanor ", dau	12 [1928] OR	II .

Norbert died 1977 in Portland, Oregon.

Norbert L. & Mabel C. (Leonard) Patterson had 4 children:

- 1. Joan L. Patterson b. 18 Dec 1920 in Oregon (1930 & 1940 censuses); m. ____ [Theodore D. "Ted"] Kopecko & lived in California with daughter Kathy in 2002 (brother Norbert's obit); per "U.S. Public Records," in 1993 Joan L. Kopecko was living in Gold River [Sacramento Co.], CA. Note: Per various social notices found in newspapers, daughter Kathleen Joan Kopecko was a junior in high school in Pasadena in 1967, so was born about 1950. She is described as daughter of Theodore D. "Ted" Kopecko.
- 2. Norbert Leo "Mike" Patterson Jr. b. 28 Jan 1922 in Hillsboro, Washington Co., Oregon; d. 6 Jan 2002 ("Social Security Applications & Claims Index"; parents' names on this index: Norbert L. Patterson & "Mable Lenard"). As of this writing, no Norbert Patterson who died 2002 in listed on findagrave in any cemetery. Norbert's obit was published in the Wednesday, 9 Jan 2002 issue of the Statesman Journal [Salem, Oregon]:

"Dallas – Mike Patterson, 79, died Sunday [6 Jan 2002]. He was a chef with the Coast Guard and moved to Dallas in 1994 from Salem. He was a member of the Catholic Church and enjoyed training race horses. He is survived by his

sister, Joan Kopecko, and niece, Kathy Kopecko, both of California... Gethsemani Cemetery in Portland...."

No wife or children are mentioned in Norbert's obit.

Continuing with children of Norbert L. & Mabel C. (Leonard) Patterson:

3. Nancy Ann Patterson b. 21 Sept 1923 in Hillsboro, Washington Co, Oregon; m. [Girthi?] Massey by Apr 1944; d. 11 Mar 1993 in Clackamas Co., Oregon (All foregoing info comes from "U.S. Social Security Applications & Claims Index 1936-2007"; parents' names on this index: "Norburt" L. Patterson & "Mable" E. Leonard & "Oregon Death Index.") Note: Spouse of Nancy Ann Massey is listed on "Oregon Death Index" at ancestry.com as "Girthi." Per "U.S. Public Records," in 1985 Nancy A. Massey lived in Canby [Clackamas Co.], Oregon. As of this writing, no Nancy Massey who died 1993 is listed on findagrave in any cemetery. No further info.

1930 & 1940 Censuses - Nancy/Ann N. is in her father's Washington state/Oregon household.

4. Eleanor L. Patterson b. 24 Apr 1927 ("Oregon Death Index") in Oregon (1930 & 1940 censuses); d. 23 Jan 1990 in Clackamas Co., Oregon ("Oregon Death Index"). She is listed on the death index as "Eleanor L. Patterson" and no spouse is listed on this index—so Eleanor probably never married. As of this writing, no Eleanor Patterson b. 1927 who died 1990 in Oregon is listed on findagrave.com in any Oregon cemetery. No further info.

1930 & 1940 Censuses – Eleanor is in her father's Washington state/Oregon household.

Continuing with children of James Beatty & Sarah Jane (McCloskey) Patterson:

E. Josephine Margaret Patterson b. 19 Apr 1889 ("West Virginia Deaths Index 1852-1973" at ancestry.com; parents' names on this index: James "R." [error] Patterson & Sarah "McClasky" [error]; married at time of death; died in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA; spouse: Harry Flanagan; b. Apr 1889 per 1900 census; b. 1887 per "Mildred's Notes" [error]; b. at "Gravelick" [Clarion Co., PA] per "Mildred's Notes"; d. 22 Nov 1943 in Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA; buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery ("West Virginia Deaths Index; "Mildred's Notes" gives death date of 1943). Josephine m. Dr. Harry [Vincent] Flanagan, a dentist, "and they both lived in Grafton, W. Va." ("Mildred's Notes"). Harry's middle name was "Vincent," per findagrave info. They married in 1912, in Taylor Co., WVA ("West Virginia Marriages Index 1785-1971"). Husband Harry was b. 1885; d. 1964; buried in Mount Calvary Catholic Cemetery, Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA, with Josephine. Photo of matching gravestones posted on findagrave 6/3/17 by "Shannon" show inscriptions: "Dr. Harry V. Flanagan / 1885 – 1964" and "Josephine M. Flanagan / 1889 – 1943."

1900 & 1910 Censuses – Josephine is in her father's Randolph Co. / Taylor Co., WVA household.

Josephine married Harry Flanagan in 1912, in Taylor Co., WVA.

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<u>1920 Court House, Taylor Co., WVA</u> 19 & 20 Jan 1920 (p. 23 of 50)
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 Harry V. Flanagan
 34 [1886] WVA WVA WVA dentist, own office

 Josephine M. ", wife
 30 [1890] PA PA PA

 James V.[B.?] ", son
 6 [1914] WVA WVA PA

 Mildred J. ", dau
 5 [1915] WVA WVA PA

 Helen L. ", dau
 4 & 2/12 [1915] WVA WVA PA

 William F. ", son
 1 & 11/12 [1918] WVA WVA PA

1930 Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA 8 Apr 1920 (p. 11 of 33)

Harry V. Flanagan	44 [1886] WVA WVA WVA m. age 27 dentist
Josephine ", wife	40 [1890] PA PA PA m. age 23
James B. [V.?] ", son	16 [1914] WVA WVA PA
Mildred J. ", dau	15 [1915] WVA WVA PA
Helen L. ", dau	14 [1916] WVA WVA PA
W. Frederick ", son	12 [1918] WVA WVA PA
Richard A. ", son	8 [1922] WVA WVA PA
John J. ", son	5 [1925] WVA WVA PA
Paul ", son	3 [1927] WVA WVA PA
Harry T. [Thomas] ", son	1 [1929] WVA WVA PA

1940 Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA

(Incorrectly recorded with surname "Flannagin")

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Harry V. Flannagin	55 [1885] WVA lived	I same house in 1935 dentist	
Josephine ", wife	50 [1890] PA	"	
James ", son	27 [1913] WVA	" single dentist	
Richard ", son	18 [1922] WVA	"	
John ", son	15 [1925] WVA	"	
Paul ", son	13 [1927] WVA	"	
Thomas	11 [1929] WVA	"	

Josephine died 1943; husband Harry died 1964.

Per above census info, Harry V. & Josephine M. (Patterson) Flanagan had 8 children:

- 1. James [B.? V.?] Flanagan b. abt. 1914 in WVA (1920 & 1930 censuses)
- 2. Mildred J. Flanagan b. abt. 1915 in WVA (1920 & 1930 censuses)
- 3. Helen L. Flanagan b. 1915-1916 in WVA (1920 & 1930 censuses)
- 4. William Frederick Flanagan b. abt. 1918 in WVA (1920 & 1930 censuses)
- 5. Richard A. Flanagan b. abt. 1922 in WVA (1930 & 1940 censuses)
- **6. John J. Flanagan b. abt. 1924** in WVA (1930 & 1940 censuses)
- 7. **Paul Flanagan b. abt. 1927** in WVA (1930 & 1940 censuses)
- 8. Harry Thomas Flanagan b. abt. 1929 in WVA (1930 & 1940 censuses)

The above eight children and their descendants, if any, are not explored in this paper.

Continuing with children of James Beatty & Sarah Jane (McCloskey) Patterson:

F. [Mary] Genevieve Patterson b. Jan 1892 in PA [Clarion Co.] (1900 census); omitted from 1st list of children in "Mildred's Notes"; m. Lou Seibert [error: Alonzo "Lon" J. Sibert"] "and lived in Wheeling and El Paso, Texas. She later married a Mr. Carter after Lou's death" ("Mildred's Notes".) Per "West Virginia Marriages Index 1785-1971" at ancestry.com, Mary Genevieve Patterson m. 1st Alonzo

Jefferson Sibert in 1910, in Taylor Co., WVA ("West Virginia Marriages Index 1785-1971" at ancestry.com). Alonzo was b. 24 Dec 1884 in WVA, son of John Sibert; he d. 8 Nov 1832 in El Paso, TX; buried in Evergreen Catholic Cemtery. (All foregoing info about Genevieve's husband "Lon" comes from the original Texas death certificate #46276 for Lon J. Sibert, viewable in "Texas Death Certificates 1903-1982" at ancestry.com. Per this certificate he was married at time of death; wife's name: Genevieve Sibert). Genevieve m. 2nd James W. Carter (date unknown); no children with 2nd husband James.

1900 & 1910 Censuses – "Geneva"/ "Jeneveve" is in her father's Randolph/Taylor Co., WVA household.

Genevieve married Alonzo "Lon" Sibert in 1910.

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      1920 Wheeling Ward 3, Ohio Co., WVA
      22 Jan 1920 (p. 17 of 18)

      (incorrectly indexed with surname "Sebert")

      Lon J. Sebert
      39 [1881—error: b. 1884] WVA WVA WVA buyer for wholesale

      Genevive ", wife
      28 [1892] PA PA PA

      [Mageline?] ", dau
      8 [1912] WVA PA [error] WVA [error]

      John ", son
      6 [1914] WVA PA [error] WVA [error]

      William [R.?] ", son
      2 [1918] WVA PA [error] WVA [error]
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1930 Census – Cannot find Genevieve or any of her family on this census.

Husband Alonzo ("Lon") died 1932 in El Paso, TX.

Genevieve remarried, to James W. Carter, by 1935.

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1940 El Paso, El Paso Co., TX 8 Apr 1940 (p. 20 of 50)

James W. Carter
Genevieve ", wife 47 [1893] PA "

Bill Sibert, stepson 22 [1918] WVA " single clerk, Federal Reserve Board

Betty J. ", stepdau (plus 1 lodger)

17 [1923] PA " single
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Alonzo "Lon" V. & Genevieve (Patterson) Sibert had children:

- 1. Mageline? Madelin? Sibert b. abt. 1912 in WVA (1920 census)
- 2. John Sibert b. abt. 1914 in WVA (1920 census)
- 3. William "Bill" Sibert b. abt. 1918 in WVA (1920 & 1940 censuses)
- 4. Betty J. Sibert b. abt. 1923 (1940 census)

The above four children and their descendants, if any, are not explored in this paper.

Continuing with children of James Beatty & Sarah Jane (McCloskey) Patterson:

G. Benedict Giles Patterson b. 1 Sept 1895 in Clarion Co., PA (date of WWII Draft Registration card; 1895 birth date on gravestone; b. Sept 1896 per 1900 census, but this is an error; b. 1895 in "Voincle" per "Mildred's Notes"; b. Crown, Clarion Co., PA per findagrave info). Per "Mildred's Notes," Benedict died 1976, but this is an error. Per Benedict's gravestone, he d. 1972. Per "Mildred's Notes," Benedict m. Grace Moore of Parkersburg; "after living many years in Grafton & later

Parkersburg, WVA, both died in St. Petersburg, FL in 19__" ("Mildred's Notes"—no death date). On 5 Apr 1948 in Wood Co., WVA, J.B. Patterson m. Grace Lillian (Smith) Moore, age 45, daughter of Worth & Salena J. Smith. (Marriage info from "West Virginia Marriages Index 1785-1971" at ancestery.com.) Per info posted on findagrave 1/7/14 by Teresa Leaster Fordyce, Lillian had been previously married to Frank McKinley Moore, who died 1935. Photo of shared stone in Memorial Park Cemetery, Saint Petersburg, Pinellas Co., FL, posted on findagrave 5/26/13 by Vero DiSpirito, shows inscription: "PATTERSON / Benedict G. / 1895 – 1972 / Grace L. / 1898 – [BLANK]." Though there is no death date on this stone for Grace, her findagrave page gives death date of 3 Apr 1996 in Monterey Co., CA; she is listed as buried in Parkersburg Memorial Gardens, Parkersburg, Wood Co., WVA.

1900, 1910 & 1920 Censuses – Benedict is in his father's WVA household.

Benedict was still single at the time of the 1930 census, living in a boardinghouse: 1930 Grafton, Taylor Co., WVA 10 Apr 1930 (p. 13 of 31)

Benedict G. Patterson, boarder 34 [1896] PA PA PA single brakeman, steam railroad

When Benedict registered for the WWII draft in 1942, he was living in Parkersburg, Wood Co., WVA. On this card the "name and address of person who will always know your address" is: "Baltimore and Ohio R.R. Co..."

Benedict married Grace Lillian (Smith) Moore in 1948, when he was about 53 years old. Benedict died 1972.

Evidently Benedict had no children.

Continuing with children of Nathaniel and Susan (Garner) Patterson:

V. William Foster Patterson Sr. (Bob's great-grandfather) b. 19 Mar 1851 in Franklin Twp., Armstrong Co., PA; d. 31 Mar 1930 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. On 7 Apr 1877 William m. 1st Rachael Cecelia McCloskey (b. 23 Aug 1858 in Crown, Clarion Co., PA, dau of Robert & Elizabeth (Doughterty) McCloskey; d. 8 Mar 1886 in Crown, Clarion Co., PA. (All foregoing info comes from the "Robert Patterson Family Tree" at ancestry.com except for marriage date, which comes from record of his 2nd marriage see further.) William is buried in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery, Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. Photo of his gravestone posted on findagrave 5/21/16 by Cynthia Mullens shows inscription: "W. F. Patterson / 1851 - 1930 / May his soul rest in peace." On 9 Aug 1888, William m. 2nd Catharine Mary (Flynn) O'Connor. Original marriage certificate is viewable in "Pennsylvania County Marriage Records 1845-1963" at ancestry.com. Parents' names on this record: Nathaniel & Susan Patterson. On the page preceding the marriage certificate, on William and Catharine's application for marriage license, it is recorded that William was previously married, and the date of this previous marriage is given as 7 Apr 1877. Wife Catharine had also been previously married, on 18 Apr 1882. Date of death of William's previous wife is recorded as 8 Mar 1886; Catharine's husband died 18 July 1884. Second wife Catharine was b. 10 Dec 1852; d. 2 July 1911. Photo of her gravestone in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery posted on

findagrave 12/25/13 by Brenda P. shows inscription: "Catharine M. / Wife of W. F. Patterson / Dec. 10, 1852 – July 2, 1922."

See next 2 pages for a map and info about William's Clarion County mill.

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CURLL CAMPBELL AND COMPANY Gilfoyle, Pa.

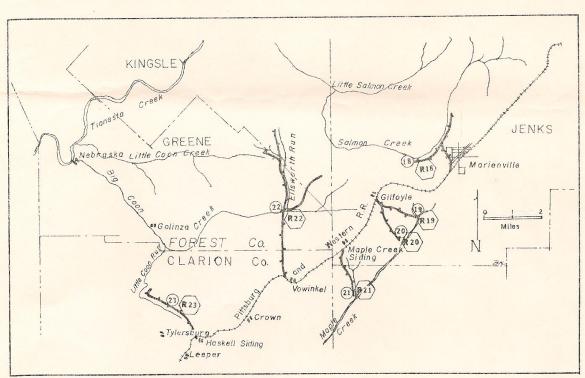
A large area of timber of about 8,000 acres extended from Marienville to Clarion County and south of the Pittsburgh and Western Railroad. It was located in Jenks and Barnett Townships and drained by Maple Creek. Several sizeable sawmills were located on this stream with Curll and Campbell being the first. This company built a mill on Maple Creek about a mile east of Gilfoyle in 1883, equipped with a circular saw having a capacity of 25,000 feet daily and cut mostly hemlock. A railroad spur was built from Gilfoyle to the mill to haul their lumber to the Pittsburgh and Western Railroad. They owned about 2,500 acres of timber and had a logging railroad to bring logs to the mill. A locomotive was used on the logging railroad but nothing is known about its type or origin. Some of the bark from the northern section of their land was hauled by teams to a siding at Roses because it was nearer than to team it to their own railroad and then have to take it to Gilfoyle

Whit Davis was the mill superintendent and Joseph

and George Gregory were the only other employees remembered today. The operation ran until after 1890 when the mill was closed and the remaining timber was sold. Following this, a factory was built to make lamp black from soot produced by burning natural gas. Mrs. Martin Nicklas, of Gilfoyle, remembered that her father who came from Sweden and worked in the lamp black factory.

J. A. LUTZ

This concern, also remembered as Lutz and Moors and Lutz and Smathers, had a mill farther down Maple Creek from the Curll and Campbell mill. They started a little before 1900 and ran perhaps about four years and also had a shingle mill. A newspaper mentioned that a fire destroyed 500,000 shingles at the Lutz mill in 1902. According to Henry Gregory, whose father worked for Lutz, they had a railroad from their mill which connected with the Pittsburgh and Western near Gilfoyle, but wasn't part of the former line used by Curll and Campbell. They had their own locomotive but he didn't know what type it was or where it came from, but it was probably a geared engine. He did remember that Bob Rodgers was the engineer who ran it.

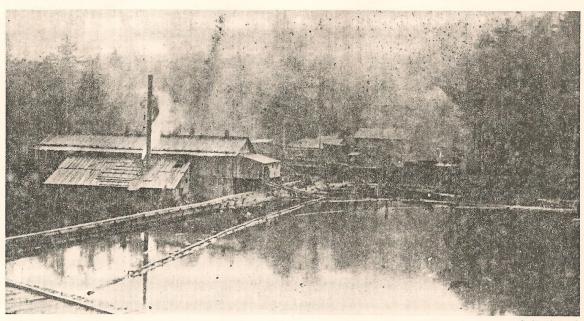


Mills identified by number in circle
. Baughman & Sutton
. Curll, Campbell & Co.
. J. A. Lutz
. Patterson & Giffilian
. Bownan Lumber Co.
. Baxter Lumber Co.

Railroads identified by number preceded by R R-18. Baughman & Sutton R-19. Curll, Campbell & Co. R-20. J. A. Lutz R-21. Patterson & Gilfilian R-22. Vowinckle & Crown R-23. Baxter Lumber Co.

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G. E. Sigworth

The Patterson and Gilfillan mill on Maple creek which later became Gilfillan and Neill's mill. The locomotive is probably a Pittsburgh and Western engine. But a track seen in the lower left corner beside the log pond appears to be for unloading logs into the pond from a log train. This company may have used a logging railroad, but today little is known about their operations.

PATTERSON AND GILFILLAN GILFILLAN AND NEILL FOREST LUMBER COMPANY Maple Creek Siding

This concern began during the 1880's when the Patterson Brothers, William F. and Martin V., bought several small timber tracts on Maple creek near the Clarion County boundary and set up a sawmill. Sometime before 1894 they sold a half interest to Archibald Gilfillan and built a large mill with 35,000 feet capacity, about a mile and a half from Maple Creek Siding on Maple creek. A railroad spur was built from the Pittsburgh and Western at Maple Creek siding to their mill. In 1894 they bought a large tract from the Maple Creek Lumber Company in Barnett Township which abutted the Clarion County line.

Previously, the Maple Creek Lumber Company had been formed in 1885 and purchased about 5,000 acres of timber lands. This company was composed of Thomas H. Marshall, L. M. Putney and Josiah Work. Later W. A. Crossman became a member of the firm and was noted for never having a regular pay day, but paid his help whenever he deemed it convenient. They built a mill near Redcliff and cut part of their timber and hauled the lumber to the Clarion River and rafted it to market. But a large portion of their timber was sold to others who cut and shipped the lumber to market on the Pittsburgh and Western Railroad.

In 1897, the Patterson's sold their half interest to A. D. Neill and Dr. A. E. Stonecipher of Marienville, and

the company was renamed the Forest Lumber Company. However, it was usually referred to a Gilfillan and Neill. Soon after this, more timber was purchased from the Maple Creek Lumber Company. Inasmuch as their mill was a mile and a half from the Pittsburgh and Western, and some of the timber was over three miles from the mill its quite possible they owned a locomotive. However, this is not ascertained. A. D. Neill was also a partner with C. S. Morris in a lumber operation at Garland, Pennsylvania.

The mill ran until about 1902 and probably had cut timber from two or three thousand acres. After that they went to West Virginia where they operated as the Gilfillan Neill and Company with a mill at May, in Pocahontas County. They also operated another mill at Clover Lick in the same county under the name, A. D. Neill and Company.

BOWMAN LUMBER COMPANY

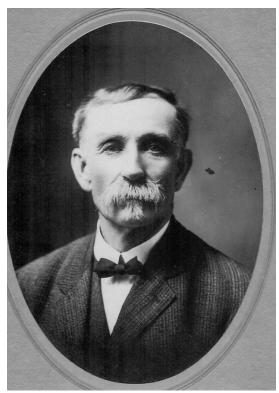
Bowmansville, Forest County Kane, McKean County

William W. Bowman, a son of Thomas J. Bowman and the senior partner of this firm, was born in Clarion County in 1851. His first venture in lumbering was as a jobber by which he gained a knowledge of the business. After a short time, he became associated with his father in the operation of a general store at Tylersburg, Pennsylvania. He continued in this occupation until 1877, when the urge to return to lumbering led him to build a stave mill which he ran until 1880. At this time he moved to Haskell Siding where he built both a saw and shingle mill which he operated until 1887. Following this,



Photo of William Foster Patterson received from Bob:

On the next page, see photos (dates unknown) of William and wife Rachel. William's photo was originally posted on the ancestry.com tree of Marcella Shreve. Rachel's photo was originally posted by ancestry.com user "timmcc48" (Tim McCloskey).



William Foster Patterson Sr.



First wife Rachel Cecilia (McCloskey) Patterson

 $\underline{1860 \& 1870 \ Censuses} - \text{"W.F."} \& \text{"William"} \text{ is in his father's / widowed mother's Armstrong Co., PA / Forest Co., PA household.}$

William married Rachael McCloskey in 1877.

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1880 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA 14 June 1880 (p. 19 of 45)
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William Patterson

Rachael ", wife

Minnie ", dau

Alice ", dau

Martin ", brother

29 [1851] PA Ireland PA laborer

22 [1858] PA Ireland Ireland

2 [1878] PA PA PA

1 [1879] PA PA PA

21 [1859] PA Ireland PA laborer

Martin ", brother 21 [1859] PA Ireland PA laborer Elisabeth McCloskey, cousin 16 [1864] PA Ireland PA laborer

(plus 2 boarders)

Rachel died 1886 in Clarion Co., PA, giving birth to twins Rachael and William ("Mildred's Notes").

William married (2nd) Catharine Mary (Flynn) O'Connor in 1888.

1900 Leadsville, Randolph Co., WVA 6 June 1900 (p. 15 of 49)

William Patterson 49 b. Mar 19, 1851PA Ireland German [?] m. 11 yrs lumberman Catherine M. ", wife 48 b. Dec 8, 1851PA Ireland Ireland m. 11 yrs 4 children, 4 living Julia ", dau 11 b. May [13? 15?], 1889 PA PA PA Francisca ", dau 7 b. Oct 27, 1892 PA PA PA Alice ", dau 20 b. Mar 30, 1880 PA PA PA single Margarett ", dau 17 b. Nov 5, 1882 PA PA PA single Rachael ", dau 14 b. Feb 26, 1886 PA PA PA single William ", son 14 b. Feb 26, 1886 PA PA PA single 17 b. Mar 18, 1882 PA PA PA single James M. O'Connor, stepson Eduarda O'Connor, stepdau 15 b. Sept 7, 1884 PA PA PA single

1910 Leadsville, Randolph Co., WVA 16 Apr 1910 (p. 5 of 56)

William F. Patterson
59 [1851] PA Ireland PA 2nd marriage; m. 21 yrs lumber dealer
Cathrine ", wife
58 [1852] PA Ireland Ireland 2nd marriage; m. 21 yrs 4 children, living

Julia ", dau 20 [1890] PA PA PA single teacher

DeSales ", dau 16 [1894] PA PA PA single

William R. ", son 24 [1886] PA PA PA single brakeman, railroad Rachel ", dau 24 [1886] PA PA PA single clerk, dry goods store

In 1920, William is living in the household of his married daughter, Margaret.

1920 Elkins Ward 1, Randolph Co., WVA 7 Jan 1920 (p. 11 of 33)

J. K. Parsons 42 [1878] WVA WVA WVA engineer, railroad

 Margaret ", wife
 37 [1883] PA PA PA

 Gertrude ", dau
 17 [1903] WVA WVA PA

 John F. ", son
 15 [1905] WVA WVA PA

 Raymond ", son
 11 [1909] WVA WVA PA

W. F. Patterson, father-in-law 68 [1852] PA Ireland PA married proprietor, sawmill

Note: W.F. Patterson has been incorrectly indexed by ancestry.com on this census as "H. F. Patterson." *Note:* The previous household on this census page is headed by his nephew Ernest Young (son of his sister Sarah).

Note: J. K. Parson's household is listed directly after the household of Ernest Young, who married Alice, sister of J.K. Parson's wife Margaret.

William's wife Catharine allegedly didn't die until 1922, but Catherine is not listed with William in daughter Margaret's household. At the time of the 1920 census, wife Catharine was living in the household of Warren and Varda Boher, in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. Varda must be a daughter of Catharine's first marriage, to ____ O'Connor. Were William and Catharine separated? Both are recorded on the 1920 census as "married," but they are recorded in separate households:

1920 Elkins Ward 4, Randolph Co., WVA 16 Jan 1920 (p. 27 of 29)

Warren C. Boher 42 [1878] PA PA PA train dispatcher, railroad

[Varda?] ", wife 32 [1888] PA Canada PA

Catharine "Paterson", moth-law 68 [1852] PA Ireland Ireland married

DeSales "Paterson", sis-law 23 [1897] PA PA PA single operator, telephone co.

Note: DeSales would be Varda's half-sister.

Catharine (allegedly) died 1922.

1930 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA 7 Apr 1930 (pp. 14-15 of 39)

Earnest L. Young 50 [1880] PA PA PA engineer, stationery

Alice S. ", wife 50 [1880] PA PA PA

Marie L. ", dau 29 [1901] WVA PA PA single nurse, hospital

Lawrence C. ", son 17 [1913] WVA PA PA single Cecilia ", dau 10 [1920] WVA PA PA Robert L. ", son 8 [1922] WVA PA PA

William F. Patterson, fath-in-law 79 [1851] PA PA [error] PA widower lumber dealer

William died 31 Mar 1930, so it's strange that he was included in the above census. The census was to include all persons "whose place of abode on April 1, 1930 was with this family."

On the next page, see a newspaper clipping of William's obituary (sent to me by Bob; newspaper and date not cited).

opposition group, Pregrave has been Ju Aboutd prosident since 1023. BB CXthe vigor-1 tlo 199 PROMINENT LUMBDEMAN PASS 11/14 SES AFTER BRIEF ILLNESS con wore MONDAY AFTERNOON ber Flin-William F. Patterson, 79, prominent Wh degate. lumberman of this city, died yesternuc ounty. day afternoon at 3:20 o'clock at the T be a home of his daughfer, Mrs. J. K. whi rour Parsons, with whom he had made Linita limit. In his home for several years. Mr. Patterson got up yestersing Ha merning, are a hearty breakfast and started on his usual morning walk. He was stricken, by illness shortly this room maafter, leaving the Pursons residence on Ward avenue, and compaed of sall! duct the perch of Bruce Caplinger on South Davis avenue. He was refor C day moved to bls daughter's home, where from his death resulted a few hours later. 11 The deceased was torn in Armcelve ning strong county, Pennsylvania, March eerti 10, 1851, a son of Nutlimnist and Sument san Garner Patterson. He was first unified in marriage to Miss Rachel "31 chide McClosker and to this union five child-Ing. the ren were horn, and are: Mrs. N. T. by ti and Downs, of Mul Creek; Mrs. Ernest to pro Young and Mrs. J. K. Parsons, of and i Rikins; Mrs. John Shrove, of Conlfore] ton, and the latter's twin brother bellev William, whose death occurred a few murt years ago. After the death of his Sen first wife, he married Mrs. Catherine ton, j to Flynn (Conner and to this union lag h two children were born. Julla, who in his is now Sister Praxedex, of South ther L Bend, Ind., and DeSales, decensed. DIII He is also survived by two step-childthe ed Die ren, James O'Connor, of Senttler Was In Wash., and Mrs. Warren Boher, of were ; this city, and one sister, Mrs. Barbara an the Emliger, of Gronn, Pa. ducted. Mr. Paterson was a devout member of St. Brendan's Catholic church, and a member of Elkins Connell 903, Knights of Columbus, Requiem high mass will be relebrated at B o'clock on Wednesday morning by Rev. J. H. Corcoran, -Interment will be made in St. Brendan's cometery by F. F. Runner, WIDON P DIE The de

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302 ie With 2 wives, William Foster Patterson had 7 children:

With 1st wife Rachael Cecelia McCloskey:

A. Philomena Gertrude [Gertrude Philomena?] "Minnie" Patterson b. 27 Feb 1878 in Cooksburg, Clarion Co., PA (birth date of "Gertrude Philomena" (Patterson) Downs in "Social Security Applications and Claims Index" at ancestry.com; parents' names on this record: "Wilman" [error] F. Patterson & Rachel McCloskey); d. 19 Sept 1969 Randolph, WVA (listed as "Philomena Gertrude" Downs in West Virginia Deaths Index 1853-1973" at ancestry.com, with this death date & death location). Per the "Ranck.2007" tree at ancestry.com, Philomena Patterson m. Newton Thomas **Downs.** "Mildred's Notes" lists her husband as "Newt Downs." A newspaper clipping containing an article on their 50th anniversary was posted on findagrave 7/4/16 by John Fazenbaker. Per this article they were married 14 June 1899 at Westernport, MD. Per the "Ranck.2007" tree, Newton was b. 26 Oct 1874 in Flintstone, MD; d. 6 June 1961. Two daughters & two sons are listed on this tree (all "private"—but see newspaper article further). Per info posted on findagrave, Philomena (Patterson) Downs is buried in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery, Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave shows inscription: "Philomena Patterson Downs / 1878 – 1969." Husband Newton is also buried in Saint Brendan Cemetery; photo of his matching gravestone shows inscription: "Newton Thomas Downs / 1874 – 1961." (All foregoing info & photos posted on findagrave 3/11/17 by Rachel Hayes.) Excerpt from the 50th anniversary article posted on findagrave (no newspaper cited):

"They are the parents of two sons and two daughters: Lt. Col. Walter Downs, now stationed in Tokyo; Henry Downs of Columbus, Ga.; and Mrs. Genevieve Blankley and Miss Julia Downs of Washington D.C. There are two grandchildren, Margaret Weis and Philomena Blankley."

1880 Census – "Minnie" is in her father's Clarion Co., PA household.

Philomena married Newton Downs in 1899.

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1900 Fairfax, Tucker Co., WVA 27 June 1900 (p. 57 of 80)

Newton T. Downs 25 b. Oct 1874 MD PA PA m. 1 yr railroad agent

Minnie P. ", wife 22 b. Feb 1878 PA PA PA m. 1 yr 1 child, 0 living
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1910 Huttonsville, Randolph Co., WVA 19 Apr 1910 (pp. 10-11 of 60)

Newton T. Downs 35 [1875] MD PA PA 1st marriage; m. 10 yrs agent, railroad depot Minnie [G.?] ", wife 32 [1878] PA PA PA 1st marriage; m. 10 yrs 4 children, 3 living Genevieve ", dau 6 [1904] WVA MD PA

Walter ", son 3 [1907] WVA MD PA No name, dau [Julia]0/12 [1910] WVA MD PA

1920 Mill Creek, Randolph Co., WVA 5 Jan 1920 (p. 6 of 17)

Newton T. Downs 45 [1875] MD PA PA agent, railroad station

Minnie ", wife Genevieve ", dau 42 [1878] PA PA PA 16 [1904] WVA MD PA Walter ", son 12 [1908] WVA MD PA Julia ", dau 9 [1911] WVA MD PA

1930 Mill Creek, Randolph Co., WVA 14 Apr 1930 (p. 10 of 15)

Newton T. Downs 55 [1875] PA [error?] PA PA m. age 24 agent, railway station

Philomena ", wife 52 [1878] PA PA PA m. age 21

Genevieve Blankley, dau 25 [1905] WVA PA [?] PA married age 21 saleslady, dept store

Philomena Blankley, gr- dau 3 [1927] OH PA WVA

Julia Weis, dau "absent" 20 [1910] WVA PA [?] PA married age 15

Margaret Weis, gr-dau 4 [1926] WVA WVA WVA Henry Downs, son 10 [1920] WVA PA [?] PA

1940 Huttonsville, Randolph Co., WVA 13 Apr 1940 (p. 17 of 21)

Newton T. Downs 65 [1875] MD lived same house 1935 depot agent

Philomena ", wife 62 [1878] PA " Margaret Jane Weis, gr-dau 14 [1926] WVA " Philomena Blankley, gr-dau 13 [1927] OH "

On the next page, see a newspaper clipping of Philomena's obituary sent to me by Bob (newspaper & date not cited).

Mrs. Downs Dies At 91 Widow Of Newton Downs

'Philomena Patterson Downs, 91, widow of Newton T. Downs, died at 6:52 p.m. Friday at her residence at 135 Buffalo St., Elkins after a year of Catholic Cemetery. failing health.

Mrs. Downs was a member of St. Brendan's Catholic Church and the Altar Society of the Church.

She was born Feb. 27, 1878 at Cooks Forrest, Pa., a daughter of the late William F. and Rachel McCloskey Patterson. After her marriage in 1899 to Western Maryland Railway employe Newton T. Downs, Mrs. Downs lived in Coketon and Thomas before moving to Mill Creek, where the Downs lived 41 years before moving to Elkins in 1944. Downs served three terms in the House of Delegates.

Surviving are four children. Genevieve Blankely, who has resided with her mother since ney College and the United The-Downs' death in 1961; Julia We- ological Seminary in Richmond, is of Arlington, Va., Henry Va., he is a native of Prince Downs of New York City, N.Y. Edward County, Va. in 1950, he and Walter Downs of Chicago, was honored with an award of

and Mrs. J.K. Parsons of Elk-byterian Church, in Lewisburg. ins and Sister Mary Praxedes of St. Mary's Academy, South through Sept. 28, the Rev. A. Bend. Ind.

One brother, William Foster Creek Patterson. Mrs. said. preceded

Downs in death.

Friends will be received at John B. Lohr Funeral Home in Elkins after 2 p.m. Sunday. The Rosary will be recited at the funeral chapel at 7:30 p.m. Sunday. Monday Mrs. Downs will be taken to St. Brendan's Catholic Church in Elkins for requiem mass at 9 a.m. with the Rev Father Mark Kraus, priest of St. Brendan's, as celebrant. Burial will be in St. Brendan's

Dr. Cunningham To Speak at Mill Creek

Dr. John B. Cunningham, a blind evangelist of Lewisburg, will make his second appearance to the Mill Creek Presbyterian Church for a series of evangelistic services beginning Sunday evening.

Dr. Cunningham has been blind since birth and in addition to being a minister, is a talented musician at the piano or organ.

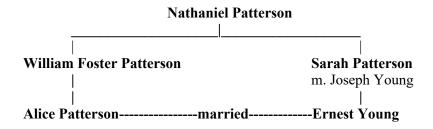
A graduate of Hampden-Syda doctor of divinity degree from Also surviving are three sis- Hampden- Sidney Collge. He ters, three grandchildren and was moderator of the Synod of three great- grandchildren. The Virginia in 1963 and is presentsisters are Mrs. J.B. Shreve ly pastor of the Cascade Pres-

> The meetings will continue E. Johnson, pastor of the Mill Presbyterian Church

de-Masught schears. The children of Philomena ("Minnie") & their descendants are not explored in this paper.

Continuing with children of William F. & 1st wife Rachael (McCloskey) Patterson:

B. Sarah "Alice" Patterson b. 30 Mar 1880 in PA (birth date & birthplace from 1900 census—see above). Alice m. Earnest/Ernest L. Young (deduced from censuses; in 1930 her widower father William was living with her and her husband). "Mildred's Notes" lists Sarah's husband as "____ Young." In the 1956 letter Mildred received from "Uncle Jim," Alice is listed as "dead" (no other info). Sarah Alice d. 26 Feb 1941 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA (death date posted on findagrave 4/18/17 by Rachel Hayes). Photo of Sarah Alice's gravestone in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery, Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA, posted on findagrave 4/18/17 by Rachel Hayes, shows inscription: "Sarah Alice Young / 1880 – 1941." "Ernest Young" is listed as her husband on her findagrave page, but as of this writing Ernest is not listed on findagrave as buried in St. Brendan Catholic Cemetery with his wife. Note: Sarah Alice's father is listed incorrectly on her findagrave page as W. "T." Patterson. Her mother is listed incorrectly as "Racheal McCluskey." Her husband is listed (correctly) as "Ernest Young." NOTE: Sarah's husband, Ernest Young, was her first cousin. Their first-cousin relationship is shown on this brief tree:



1880 & 1900 Censuses – Alice is in her father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

Alice married Earnest L. Young abt. 1900, sometime after the June 1900 census.

1910 Beverly, Randolph Co., WVA 25 Apr 1910 (p. 18 of 33) 30 [1880] PA PA PA m. 10 yrs conductor, railroad Earnest L. Young Alice S. ", wife 30 [1880] PA PA PA m. 10 yrs 3 children, 3 living Marie L. ", dau 9 [1901] WVA PA PA Francis J. ", son 5 [1905] WVA PA PA Leroy W. ", son 2 [1908] WVA PA PA 1920 Elkins Ward 1, Randolph Co., WVA 7 Jan 1920 (p. 11 of 33) Ernest L. Young 39 [1881] PA PA PA stationary engineer, logging Alice P. ", wife 39 [1881] PA PA PA Marie ", dau 19 [1901] WVA PA PA single sales lady, retail store Francis ", son 15 [1905] WVA PA PA LeRoy ", son 12 [1908] WVA PA PA Lawrence ", son 8 [1912] WVA PA PA 1 & 6/12 [1918] WVA PA PA Cecelia ", dau

1930 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA 7 Apr 1930 (pp. 14-15 of 39)

Earnest L. Young 50 [1880] PA PA PA stationary engineer

Alice S. ", wife 50 [1880] PA PA PA

Marie L. ", dau 29 [1901] WVA PA PA single nurse, hospital

Lawrence C. ", son 17 [1913] WVA PA PA single Cecilia ", dau 10 [1920] WVA PA PA Robert L. ", son 8 [1922] WVA PA PA

William F. Patterson, fath-in-law 79 [1851] PA PA [error] PA widower lumber dealer

1940 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA 23 Apr 1940 (p. 35 of 53)

Ernest L. Young 60 [1880] PA lived same place 1935 coal mine

Alice ", wife 60 [1880] PA

Marie ", dau 38 [1902] WVA " single registered nurse

Lawrence ", son 28 [1912] WVA " single laborer

Cecilia ", dau 21 [1919] WVA " single

Robert ", son "absent" 18 [1922] WVA " single [no occupation listed]

Sarah died 1941.

For info about Sarah's known descendants, see the section in this paper on Sarah, daughter of Nathaniel, who married Joseph Young.

Continuing with children of William F. & 1st wife Rachael (McCloskey) Patterson:

C. Margaret Mary Patterson b. 5 Nov 1882 in PA (1900 census). Per "Mildred's Notes," Margaret m. Jasper Parsons. Per 1910 census info (see below) they married about 1901. Note: Margaret's father and several of her siblings are buried in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. So undoubtedly the Margaret Parsons, wife of Jasper Parsons, buried in this cemetery, is William's daughter. Per her gravestone, she was born 1882 and died 1970. Photo of her gravestone posted on findagrave 5/21/16 by Cynthia Mullens shows inscription: "Mother / Margaret M. Parsons / 1882 – 1970." Photo of husband Jasper's matching gravestone in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery, posted on findagrave 5/21/16 by Cynthia Mullens, shows inscription: "Father / Jasper K. Parsons / 1877 – 1959." On his findagrave page, he is listed as Jasper Kalar Parsons.

1900 Census – Margaret is in her father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

Margaret married Jasper Parsons abt. 1901 (per 1910 census).

1910 Leadsville, Randolph Co., WVA 18 Apr 1910 (p. 7 of 56)

J. K. Parsons 33 [1877] WVA WVA WVA 1st marriage; m. 9 yrs fireman, locomotive

Margaret A. ", wife 26 [1884] PA PA PA 1st marriage; m. 9 yrs 4 children, 3 living

Gertrude ", dau 7 [1903] WVA WVA PA
John [R.?]. ", son 6 [1904] WVA WVA PA
Ramond J. [sic] ", son 1 & 10/12 [1908] WVA WVA PA

1920 Elkins Ward 1, Randolph Co., WVA 7 Jan 1920 (p. 11 of 33)

J. K. Parsons 42 [1878] WVA WVA WVA engineer, railroad

Margaret ", wife 37 [1883] PA PA PA
Gertrude ", dau 17 [1903] WVA WVA PA
John F. ", son 15 [1905] WVA WVA PA

Raymond ", son 11 [1909] WVA WVA PA Margaret ", dau 1 & 5/12[1918] WVA WVA PA

W. F. Patterson, fath-law 68 [1852] PA Ireland PA married proprietor, sawmill

1930 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA 5 Apr 1930 (p. 14 of 39)

Jasper K. Parsons 52 [1878] WVA WVA m. age 24 laborer, tannery

Margaret M. ", wife 48 [1882] PA PA PA m. age 20

John F. ", son 26 [1904] WVA WVA PA single chief bookkeeper, tannery

Margaret K. ", dau 11 [1919] WVA WVA PA

1940 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA 23 Apr 1940 (p. 35 of 53)

Jasper K. Parsons 63 [1877] WVA lived same house 1935 supt. WPA construction job

Margaret M. ", wife 57 [1883] PA

On the next page, see a newspaper clipping sent to me by Bob, containing Margaret's obituary.

Surviving are two daughters and one son: Gertrude, wife of Francis Stalnaker with whom Mrs. Parsons had been residing at 1008 S. Kerens Ave. for the past seven years; Margaret, wife of Gustave Zader of Oklahoma City, Okla.; and Raymond J. Parsons Chambersburg, Pa. Two sons are deceased, William Parsons, an infant, died in 1908, and John F. Parsons, a well known public accountant of Elkins, died June 16, 1965. Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. John B. Shreve of Elkins. and Sister Mary Praxedes of St. Marys Academy, South Bend, Ind. Three sisters, Mrs. Newton T. Downs who died Sept. 19, 1969, Mrs. Alice Young, and Mrs. Warren Boher, and brother, William Foster Patterson are deceased. One step brother, James O'Connor, is also deceased. Ten grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren survive.

Friends will be received at the John W. Lohr Funeral Home after 10 a.m. Sunday. The Rosary will be recited from the Lohr Funeral Home at 7:30 p.m. Sunday. The funeral mass will be celebrated from St. Brendan's Catholic Church at 9 a.m. Monday. In the absence of the Rev. Father Mark Kraus, priest of St. Brendans Catholic Church, the Rev. Father Charles B. Teufel, will be the 1 celebrant, and interment will follow in St. Brendan's Catholic Cemetery.

Mrs. Parsons Dies at 88; Rites Monday

Mrs. Margaret M. (Patterson) Parsons, 88, a former resident of 94 Ward Ave. who lived most of her lifetime in Elkins, died at 12:30 p.m. Thursday in the Memorial General Hospital where she had been a patient since Nov. 2. Mrs. Parsons had been in ill health for the past two years. Her condition had been considered critical for the past month.

Mrs. Parsons was born Nov. 25, 1882 in Crown, Pa., a daughter of the late William F. and Rachael Cecelia (Mc-Closkey) Patterson. The Patterson family moved to Elkins when Mrs. Parsons was quite young. She attended e Elkins schools. She married to Jasper Kalar Parsons who preceded her in death Sept. 14, 1959.

Mrs. Parsons was a member of St. Brendans Catholic Church, St. Anthony's Guild of the church, and was also a member of the Altar Socity.

Margaret's children, and their descendants, are not explored in this paper.

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Continuing with children of William F. & 1st wife Rachael (McCloskey) Patterson:

D. Rachael Loretta "Cecilia" Patterson (William's twin) b. 26 Feb 1886 (birthdate on gravestone) in Crown, Clarion Co., PA; d. 15 Oct 1971 in Randolph Co., WVA (death date on gravestone). Per "Mildred's Notes," Rachel m. ____ Shreve. Per inscription on gravestone Rachel shares with her husband, she m. John B. Shreve. Per "West Virginia Marriages Index 1785-1971" at ancestry.com, John B. Shreve married "Rachel C." Patterson in 1913, in Randolph Co., WVA. Photo of shared gravestone in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery, Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA, posted on findagrave 8/27/16 by Heidi Crupe, shows inscription: "SHREVE / Rachael C. / Feb. 26, 1886 – Oct 15, 1971 / John B. / Sept. 18, 1892 – Dec. 23, 1978."

Photo of Rachel posted by Marcella Shreve on ancestry.com:



Rachel Loretta "Cecilia" (Patterson) Shreve

1900 & 1910 Censuses – Rachael is in her father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

Rachael married John Shreve 1913.

1920 Womelsdorf, Randolph Co., WVA 12 Jan 1920 (p. 3 of 17)

John B. "Shreeves" 27 [1893] WVA WVA WVA manager, construction

Rachel ", wife 26 [1894—age error] PA PA PA James W. ", son 4 [1916] WVA WVA PA

1930 Womelsdorf, Randolph Co., WVA 8 Apr 1930 (p. 5 of 8)

NOTE: Ancestry.com incorrectly indexed with surname "Shues." Then someone "corrected" this to "Shemo."

John B. Shreve 37 [1893] WVA PA PA m. age 21 store manager, general store

Rachel ", wife 38 [1892—age error] PA PA PA m. age 22 [error]

William ", son 14 [1916] WVA PA [error] PA DeSales ", dau 10 [1920] WVA PA [error] PA

1940 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA 10 Apr 1940 (p. 15 of 38)

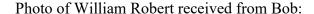
John Shreve 52 [1888-age error] WVA lived same place 1935 merchant, meats & groceries

Rachel ", wife 52 [1888- age error] PA "
William ", son "absent" 24 [1916] WVA single "

Rachael's children, and their descendants, are not explored in this paper.

Continuing with children of William F. & 1st wife Rachael (McCloskey) Patterson:

E. William Robert Patterson (Rachel's twin) (Bob's grandfather) The following info comes from the "Robert Patterson Family Tree" at ancestry.com, unless otherwise noted: William Robert Patterson, son of William Foster Sr. & Rachael Cecelia (McCloskey) Patterson, was b. 26 Feb 1886 in Crown, Clarion Co., PA (agrees with birth date on 1900 census & date on gravestone); d. 4 Dec 1920 (agrees with date on gravestone) in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA; buried in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery, Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. Per "Mildred's Notes," William was "killed by a sawmill accident in 1920." Photo of William's gravestone posted on findagrave 5/20/16 by Cynthia Mullens shows inscription: "William R. Patterson / Feb 26, 1886 – Dec. 4, 1920." William married Emma May Moss in 1910, in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. (No documentation for marriage date, but first child born abt. 1902, so this is probably correct; no marriage record found; maiden name "Moss" verified in daughter Rachel's application for Social Security—see further; & in son James' obituary—see further). Per this tree Emma was b. 26 May 1894 (Social Security Death Index) in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA, dau of Charles Lee & Mary Elizabeth (Stevens) Moss; d. 28 June 1985 (death date is "June 1985" in Social Security Death *Index*) in Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD. As of this writing, no Emma Patterson born 1894 who died 1985 is listed at findagrave.com in any cemetery. Emma survived 65 years after William's death. It appears that she did not remarry. Her son James' 1974 obituary (see below) names his surviving mother as "Emma Moss Patterson of Hagerstown." See photos of William Robert & wife Emma (dates unknown) on the next page.





William Robert Patterson

Wife Emma's photo posted on ancestry.com by "Bryder3920"



William Robert's wife, Emma May (Moss) Patterson

On the next page, see a very difficult-to-read newspaper clipping describing how William was killed. Bob sent this to me, with his transcription.

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From Elkins WV Newspaper December 1920

TWO FATAL ACCIDENTS

William R. Patterson, aged 34 years 9 months 8 days was instantly killed at a saw mill near the Stone House over on Cheat River last Saturday morning. He and his father, William T. Patterson have been operating a saw mill and the boxing became hot the young man went to see about it and slipped and fell on the end of the drifting shaft and was caught by the shaft crank and drawn into the machine and frightfully mutilated. The Kendall Undertaking Company was sent for and brought the body to Elkins Saturday afternoon where it was prepared for burial and the funeral held Monday morning at the Catholic Church and the burial in the new Catholic cemetery. The unfortunate man used to live in Elkins on Lavellette Avenue and recently moved his family over to Cheat to be near his work. He leaves a wife, Miss Emma Moss before her marriage, and five children.

1900 & 1910 Censuses – William is in his father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

(Allegedly) William married Emma May Moss in 1910.

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      1920 Elkins Ward 1, Randolph Co., WVA 3 Jan 1920 (p. 4 of 33)

      Wm. R. Patterson
      32 [1888] PA PA PA laborer, saw mill

      Emma ", wife
      25 [1895] WVA VA MD

      Mary ", dau
      8 [1912] WVA PA WVA

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      6 [1914] WVA PA WVA

      Howard ", son 4 & 4/12 [1915] WVA PA WVA

      Clarence ", son 2 & 2/12 [1917] WVA PA WVA

      Julia ", dau
      2/12 [1919] WVA PA WVA
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William died 1920.

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1930 Martinsburg, Berkeley Co., WVA 4 Apr 1930 (p. 9 of 18)

Emma M. Patterson 37 [1893] WVA VA MD age 15 at 1st marriage widow [no occupation]

Mary [D.?] ", dau 19 [1911] WVA PA WVA single inspector, hosiery factory

Rachel C. ", dau 16 [1914] WVA PA WVA single waitress

Howard [C.?] ", son 14 [1916] WVA PA WVA

Clarence [S.?] ", son 12 [1918] WVA PA WVA

Beatrice J. ", dau 10 [1920] WVA PA WVA

William R. ", son 8 [1922] WVA PA WVA
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1940 Census

Cannot find Emma with certainty on the 1940 census. She could be the Emma Patterson, widow, age 46 (so b. abt. 1894), born in West Virginia, pastry cook in a hotel, heading a household in Chambersburg, PA in 1940, with one lodger. This Emma is of the right age, and is listed with the right birthplace to be William's widow.

The censuses above list 7 children of William R. & Emma Patterson. The "Robert Patterson Family Tree" lists just 6 children, omitting daughter Beatrice J. / Julie Beatrice (born abt. 1920). Info about the following children (excepting Julie Beatrice) comes from the "Robert Patterson Family Tree," unless otherwise noted.

Children of William Robert & Emma (Moss) Patterson:

Mary DeSales Patterson b. 7 Mar 1911 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA (no documentation on the "Robert Patterson Family Tree"); d. 24 Jan 1967 in Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD; d. 24 Jan 1967 (obit—see further). Mary m. (1st) Charles E. Ryder (deduced from 1940 census which lists Charles, wife Mary D., and James H. Patterson, bro-in-law). Mary m. 2nd ____ Henry (deduced from her obit; see further). Per her obit, Mary was buried in Rest Haven Cemetery, Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD. Per this writing, however, findagrave does not list Mary Henry in this cemetery. Mary's obit was published in the Wednesday, 25 July 1967 issue of the Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]:

"Mrs. Mary D. Henry, 55, 373 Woodpoint Ave., died at her home Tuesday [24 Jan 1967] after an illness of several months. She was employed by L'Aiglon Apparel for the last 17 years... Surviving are a daughter, Mary B.

Sprecker, Hagerstown; sons: John E. Ryder, Funkstown; and James C. Ryder, at home; mother, Mrs. Emma Patterson, Chambersburg; sisters: Mrs. Rachel Forrest, York, Pa.; and Mrs. Beatrice Rhodes, Hagerstown; brothers: James H. Patterson, Hagerstown; Clarence Patterson, Son, Rockville; four grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews...burial in Rest Haven Cemetery...."

1920 & 1930 Censuses – Mary is in her father's/widowed mother's Randolph Co./Berkeley Co., WVA household.

Mary m. Charles E. Ryder, probably abt. 1934 (son James b. abt. 1935).

1940 Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD 10 Apr 1940 (p. 15 of 50)

Charles E. Ryder 34 [1906] MD lived same place 1935 truck driver, produce co.

Mary D. ", wife 29 [1911] WVA "

James ", son 5 [1935] MD "

James H. Patterson, bro-law 25 [1915] WVA " married

Note: Per "Social Security Applications & Claims Index" at ancestry.com, daughter Mary Delores

Ryder was b. 4 months after this census, on 22 Aug 1940, in Hagerstown, MD. Per this record daughter Mary m. 1st ___ Sprecher; m. 2nd ___ Dalson.

Mary's children, and their descendants, are not explored in this paper.

Continuing with children of William Robert & Emma (Moss) Patterson:

- 2. William Patterson b. 10 June 1912 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA; d. at birth (no documentation).
- 3. Rachael Cecilia Patterson b. 4 June 1913 in Randolph Co., WVA; d. 7 Feb **1999.** (All foregoing info from "Social Security Applications & Claims Index 1936-2007" at ancestry.com; Rachael Cecilia Forrest is listed with parents' names: William R. Patterson & Emma Moss; same birth & death dates on gravestone—see further.) Note: Listed as "Rachel" in "West Virginia Births Index 1804-1938" at ancestry.com & on marriage announcement, "Rachael" on gravestone (see further). Rachael is buried in Saint Paschal Catholic Cemetery, West Monroe, Ouachita Parish, Louisiana. (In brother Clarence's 1976 obit she was named as a surviving sister, living in Louisiana.) Photo of her gravestone posted on findagrave 4/25/12 by Henry Osborne shows inscription: "Mother / Rachael Patterson Forrest / June 4, 1913 – Feb. 7, 1999." Note: Rachael's daughter, Emma (Forrest) Bagent, is also buried in this cemetery. On 29 Oct 1933 Rachel Cecilia Patterson m. Elmer Leo Forrest (marriage announcement in 31 Oct 1933 issue of the Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]. In the marriage announcement Rachel's parents are listed as "Mrs. Emma Patterson and Mr. Elmer Leo Forrest of Cumberland. Per this announcement, Elmer was an employee of the Baltimore & Ohio Railway "in Cumberland where the couple will make their home." Elmer was b. 23 Dec 1899 & he died 31 July 1960; buried in Saint Mary's Cemetery, Petersville, Frederick Co., MD. Photo of husband Elmer's gravestone posted on findagrave 4/27/15 by DRMarsh21 shows inscription: "Elmer L. Forrest

/ Dec. 23, 1899 – July 31, 1960." Elmer's obit was published in the Monday, August 1st, 1960 issue of *The Frederick Post [Frederick, MD]:*

"Elmer L. Forest, 60, husband of Rachel Patterson Forrest, died at his home...in Brunswick Sunday morning [July 31, 1960]. He was a son of the late George and Winona Gaver Forrest. Survivors, in addition to his wife, include two daughters: Mrs. Mary Patricia Andrews of York, PA.; and Mrs. Emma Lou Bagent of Brunswick; and one son, Robert T. Forrest of Austin, Texas. Also surviving are four grandchildren, two brothers...three sisters...two half sisters...and one half brother. He was B & O railroad conductor... Interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery in Petersville."

<u>1920 & 1930 Censuses</u> – Rachael is in her father's / widowed mother's Randolph Co. / Berkeley Co., WVA household.

Rachael married Elmer L. Forrest sometime 1930-1935 (dau Patricia b. abt. 1935).

1940 Brunswick, Frederick Co., MD13 Apr 1940 (p. 21 of 36)Elmer Forrest34 [1906—age error] MDlived in Hagerstown 1935 brakeman, railroadRachel ", wife26 [1914] WVA"[Mary] Patricia ", dau5 [1935] MDEmma Lou ", dau4 [1936] MDRobert ", son2 [1938] MD

Per the 1967 obit of Rachel's sister, Mary D. (Patterson) Henry, in 1967 Rachel lived in Forrest, York Co., PA.

Rachael's children, and their descendants, are not explored in this paper.

Continuing with children of William Robert & Emma (Moss) Patterson:

4. James "Howard" Patterson b. 17 Aug 1915 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA (birth date & birthplace from 1940 WWII Draft Registration card, at which time James was living in Williamsport, Washington Co., MD, listing next of kin "Emma May Patterson [mother]); d. 3 May 1974 in Baltimore, MD (obituary—see below). Per James' obituary, he was buried in Rest Haven Cemetery, Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD. However, as of this writing he is not listed in this cemetery at findagrave.com. James m. Betty Lee Mason. Betty was b. 17 Nov 1920 in Martinsburg, WVA, dau of Kelly & Georgianna (Thompson) Mason; d. 14 Nov 2000 ("Social Security Applications & Claims Index" at ancestry.com; listed in July 1938 as Betty Lee Mason; listed in Sept 1948 as Betty Lee Patterson; listed 19 Apr 2001 as Betty L. Gosma). James & Betty Lee divorced. After they divorced, Betty Lee married ____ Gosma. Published in the 11 Sept 1956 issue of The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]:

"Betty Lee Mason Patterson filed suit for divorce yesterday from James Howard Patterson."

James' obituary was published in the Saturday, 4 May 1974 issue of the *Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]:*

"James H. Patterson Sr. – Williamsport – James Howard Patterson Sr., 58, of Rt. 1, died Friday [May 3, 1974] at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. Born in Elkins, W. Va., he was the son of Emma Moss Patterson of Hagerstown and the late William R. Patterson. He was employed by Fairchild Industries in Hagerstown as a supervisor. He was a member of the Pagas Club and St. Mary's Catholic Church of Hagerstown. Besides his mother, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Nancy Miller of Boonsboro; three sons: James H. Patterson Jr. of Richmond, VA; Russell H. Patterson of Williamsport; and Steven Patterson of Chesapeake, VA; one sister, Mrs. Rachel Forrest of Wa[unreadable], La.; two brothers: Clarence Patterson of Hagerstown and William Patterson of Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.; and two grandchildren... Burial will be in Rest Haven Cemetery...."

My Note: James & Betty Lee (Mason) Patterson had one son who predeceased his father, who was not named in James' obit: son Frank Lee Patterson b. abt. 1945 in Hagerstown, MD; d. 3 Dec 1957 in Hagerstown, MD. Son Frank's obit was published in the 4 Dec 1957 issue of The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD. Per this obit he died 3 Dec 1957 at age 12 (so b. abt. 1945), after being ill for 10 years. His obit names parents James Howard and Betty Lee (Mason) Patterson, and names sister Nancy and brothers James H. Jr., Russell H. & Steven T, all "at home." He was buried in Rest Haven Cemetery. Son Frank Lee is listed below.

1920 & 1930 Censuses – "Howard" is in his father's / widowed mother's household in Randolph Co. / Berkeley Co., WVA.

James married Betty Lee (Mason).

James is listed on the 1940 census as married, so UNLESS he were married before he married Betty Lee, he and wife Betty Lee were not listed in the same household on the 1940 census. At the time of the 1940 census, James was living in the household of his married sister Mary. Wife Betty is not listed with him.

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Charles E. Ryder 34 [1906] MD lived same place 1935 truck driver, produce co.

Mary D. ", wife 29 [1911] WVA "
James ", son 5 [1935] MD "

James H. Patterson, bro-law 25 [1915] WVA " married [where is his wife?]

James & Betty Lee (Mason) divorced 1974.

James Howard Patterson had 5 children (apparently, all with wife Betty Lee Mason):

a. Nancy Ann Patterson b. 13 Oct 1940; d. 28 May 2009 (birth & death dates from gravestone); (named as daughter "Nancy" Miller of Boonsboro in father's obit; middle name "Ann" comes from 1954 newspaper article—see further). On 27 Dec 1959 in Williamsport, MD, Nancy m. Chester Wayne Miller, son of Mr. & Mrs. Chester F. Muler [sic—typo?] of Sharpsburg, MD.

(See wedding announcement below.) Photo of shared gravestone posted on findagrave 11/5/12 by Sanebee shows inscription: "MILLER / C. Wayne / July 19, 1938 – [BLANK] / Nancy Ann / Oct. 13, 1940 – 28 May 2009." Article published in the 14 Dec 1954 issue of the *Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]*:

"A 14-year-old Vermont Avenue girl told her mother she was going to bed, then packed her clothes and left home by way of her bedroom window last night. Mrs. Betty Patterson...reported the incident. She said her daughter is Nancy Ann Patterson, aged 14, blonde hair....City, state and county officers were last night on the lookout for the young girl."

Wedding announcement published in the 5 Jan 1959 issue of the *Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]*:

"Miss Nancy Ann Patterson and Mr. Chester Wayne Miller exchanged their marriage vows in a lovely Christmas ceremony on Saturday, the twenty-seventh of December, in St. Augustine's Catholic Church in Williamsport.... Daughter of Mrs. Betty Lee Patterson, 424 Vermont Avenue, this city, and Mr. James H. Patterson of Shawnee, Oklahoma [married] son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester F. Muler, Route One, Sharpsburg.... Given in marriage by her father.... Ushers were Mr. James Patterson Jr., brother of the bride, of Shawnee, Oklahoma.... The couple will make their home at 424 Vermont Avenue, this city... Mrs. Miller...is employed at the Holly Shop. Mr. Miller...is presently employed at Brandt Cabinet Works."

An article found on-line at journal-news.net tells us that husband Chester Wayne Miller was dead by 31 Dec 2018. Per this article, an antique chest from the "estate of Chester Wayne Miller of Boonsboro, Maryland" was to be sold at Hurley Auctions in Greencastle, PA. Some biographical info about Chester in this article: "Miller grew up in Winchester, Virginia, and moved to Boonsboro with his family at age 12. As a child, he was always running the hills and streams fishing, trapping and hunting. He was a true Huck Finn. He was a self-taught antique expert that didn't graduate from high school. He was an avid reader and spent hours and hours reading and studying about antiques."

Could find no info on-line about Nancy Ann's children.

Continuing with children of James H. & Betty Lee (Mason) Patterson:

b. James Howard Patterson Jr. – lived in Richmond VA in 1974 (father's obit). James Jr. was **b. 25 Dec 1943** (birth date on marriage certificate to Mildred Waldrop—see further; "James H. Patterson Jr." described as age 7 in an 18 Aug 1951 article in The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD] about how he was bitten by a dog & was treated in the emergency room; age 21 when he married in 1965—see marriage record further); b. in Hagerstown,

MD (marriage record—see further). James Howard Patterson, age 21, single, son of James Howard Patterson Sr. & Betty Lee Mason, of Virginia Beach, VA, m. 1st Bridgett Ann Edwards on 24 Feb 1965 in Oceana Naval Air Station, Virginia Beach, VA. Betty was age 18, single, dau of William Burnace & Hilda (Baxter) Edwards of Virginia Beach, VA. They were married by Catholic priest George T. Wolf. (Original marriage certificate viewable in "Virginia Marriage Records 1936-2014" at ancestry.com). James & Bridgett separated on 21 Oct 1971, and divorced on 9 May 1973. (Original report of divorce viewable in "Virginia Divorce Records 1918-2014" at ancestry.com; Bridgett initiated divorce, based on "cruelty.") Per this divorce record, James & Bridgett had two children. On 30 June 1973 James Howard Patterson, age 29, b. 25 Dec 1943, son of James Howard & Betty Lee (Mason) Patterson, m. 2nd Mildred Ann Waldrop on 30 June 1973 in Manakin-Sabot, Goochland Co., VA. Mildred was b. 12 Sept 1951 in VA, dau of Herbert & Gladys (Duncan) Waldrop. It was James' 2nd marriage, and Mildred's 1st marriage. They were married by United Methodist Church minister Rev. Harmon. (Original marriage certificate viewable in "Virginia Marriage" Records 1936-2014" at ancestry.com.) Did James marry again? Or are these marriage records for a different James Howard Patterson?: "Virginia Marriages 1936-2014" at ancestry.com lists 2 other marriages of a James Howard Patterson: 8 Apr 1993 in King George Co., VA to Audrey Jean Wigel; and 12 Nov 1996 in King George Co., VA to Faye Lucille Rayburn. James Howard Patterson b. abt. 1944 is listed on spokeo.com in Mechanicsville, MD; a/k/a "J. H. Patterson deceased"; relatives: Faye Patterson, Audrey Patterson. Faye Patterson is listed as age 71, living in Mechanicsville, MD.

James Howard Patterson Jr. is *most probably* the father of James Howard Patterson III who married Lindsey Michelle Rowe 18 Sept 2010 in Richmond, VA ("Virginia Marriage Records 1936-2012" index at ancestry.com).

Of great interest is the James H. Patterson a/k/a James H. Patterson Jr., age "mid-70's," listed on peoplesmart.com as living in Louisa, VA & Apopka, FL. Relatives: Bridget M. Boken, Ashlee W. Patterson, James Howard Patterson III, James H. Patterson Jr. & Lorraine S. Patterson.

Per fastpeoplesearch.com James H. Patterson Jr. lives in Muskegon, MI; used to lived in Muskegon, MI; Louisa, VA; Crozet, VA; Apopka, Orange Pk., FL, Mechanicsville, VA, Richmond, VA; a/k/a James H. Patterson 3rd, James Howard Patterson 3rd; relatives: Ashlee W. Patterson, Barbara A. York, Bridget M. Patterson, James H. Patterson, Mildred A. Patterson. Per this website this James H. Patterson Jr. is age 38 (so b. abt. 1981); lives at 2425 Marlette St., Muskegon, MI 49442; landline: 434-823-2429; wireless #'s: 804-239-6402 & 804-874-6207.

There are several James Howard Pattersons, all born about the same time.

Names of the children of the James Howard Patterson who concerns us here are not known with certainty.

Continuing with children of James H. & Betty Lee (Mason) Patterson:

- c. Frank Lee Patterson b. abt. 1945 (age 12 in his 1957 obit); d. 3 Dec 1957 (obit published in 4 Dec 1957 issue of The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]. Survivors named in this obit: parents James Howard & Betty Lee (Mason) Patterson; sister Nancy; brothers James H. Jr., Russell H. & Steven T; grandmother Mrs. Emma Patterson of St. Thomas, Pa. Interment in Rest Haven Cemetery.
- d. Russell Harmon Patterson b. 16 Sept 1950 (specific birth date on mylife.com; graduated from high school in 1967—see further); lived in Williamsport, MD in 1974 (father's obit). Russell m. Linda Kay Davis on 10 Sept 1972 in Williamsport, MD (article in 20 Sept 1971 issue of The Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]. Per this article Russell Harmon Patterson was son of Mrs. Betty Gosma of Virginia Beach, VA and James H. Patterson of Williamsport. Article published in 26 July 1971 issue of The Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD] announced the engagement of Russell H. Patterson, son of Mrs. Betty L. Gosma of Virginia Beach, VA & James H. Patterson Sr. of Williamsport. Per this engagement article Russell graduated from Boonsboro High School in 1967 (so b. abt. 1949); he was employed by a masonry contractor. However, per the marriage article, Russell graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School in Staunton, VA in 1968. No further info.

Continuing with children of James H. & Betty Lee (Mason) Patterson:

e. **Steven F. Patterson b. abt. 1953** – lived in Chesapeake, VA in 1974 (father's obit). Article in 30 Jan 1956 issue of *The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]* gives estimated birth date: ""Steven F. Patterson, three-year-old son of James H. Patterson, jammed his finger in a washing machine. Three stiches closed the laceration." No further info.

Continuing with children of William Robert & Emma (Moss) Patterson:

5. Clarence Thomas Patterson b. 28 Oct 1917 in Elkinsville, Randolph Co., WVA (birth date & birth location on WWII draft registration card, at which time in lived in Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD); d. 4 May 1976 in the VA Hospital in Martinsburg, WVA (obit—see further). Per Clarence's obit, he was buried in Rest Haven Cemetery in Hagerstown, MD—though as of this writing he is not listed there on findagrave.com. When Clarence registered for the WWII draft he was living in Hagerstown, MD; he was unemployed; next of kin was "C. E. Rider." Per the 1967 obit of Clarence's sister, Mary (Patterson) Henry, in 1967 Clarence lived in Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD. Clarence m. (1st) Louise Irene Swope, dau of Roy & Edna (Hovis) Swope. Louise was b. 11 Oct 1920 in

Boonsboro, MD; d. 10 May 2004 in Washington Co., MD hospital. (Maiden name, birth date, death date comes from her obit—see further.) Clarence & Louise divorced in 1948. Divorce notice published in the 30 Nov 1948 issue of The Morning Herald: "Clarence T. Patterson has been granted an absolute divorce in local Circuit Court from Louise I. Patterson." Clarence and first wife Louise had three children: Rachel, William Robert & Clarence Thomas. The obit of Louise Irene Swope (she reverted to her maiden name after divorcing Clarence Patterson) was posted on the Minnich Funeral Home website (www.minnichfh.com):

"Louise Irene Swope, 83, of Hagerstown, Maryland, died on Monday, May 10, 2004 at the Washington County Hospital. Born October 11, 1920 in Boonsboro, Maryland, she was the daughter of the late Roy and Edna Hovis Swope. She was employed with Maryland Ribbon for twenty-one and a half years, retiring in 1988... She is survived by one daughter, Rachel Moore of Hagerstown; two sons: William Robert Patterson of Martinsburg, West Virginia; and Clarence Thomas Patterson of Delaware... Burial will be in Beaver Creek Cemetery."

On 6 January 1951, in Hagerstown, MD, Clarence m. (2nd) Miss Doris M. Watt. Marriage announcement published in the 10 Jan 1951 issue of *The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]*:

"An announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Doris M. Watt, formerly of Baltimore, and Mr. Clarence T. Patterson, of Hagerstown. The Rev. Gerald D. Kauffman performed the single ring ceremony in the parsonage of St. Paul's EUB Church on Saturday, January 6... Howard Patterson, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man. Mr. Patterson is employed by Better Homes, Inc."

1920 & 1930 Censuses – Clarence is in his father's / widowed mother's Randolph Co., WVA / Berkeley Co., WVA household.

Sometime before the 1940 census, Clarence m. Louise Irene Swope. They divorced 1948.

1940 Twp./city not specified, Washington Co., MD 7 June 1940 (p. 13 of 18)

Clarence T. Patterson 22 [1918] MD lived same place 1935 laborer, W.P.A.

Louise I. ", wife 19 [1921] MD "

After Clarence and Louise divorced, Louise remarried, to Phillip Skatzer of Hagerstown, MD. Published in the 28 Oct 1959 issue of *The Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]*:

Mrs. Mildred Lushbaugh...announces the engagement of her daughter, Gloria Jean, to Mr. Clarence Thomas Patterson Jr., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Skatzer... Mr. Patterson is now serving in the United States Army at Fort Benning, Georgia. No wedding date has been set."

Clarence's obit was published in the Thursday, 6 May 1976 issue of *The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]:*

"Clarence T. Patterson, 57 [age error?], of 22 Elizabeth St., died Tuesday [4 May 1976] at VA Hospital in Martinsburg, W. Va. Born in Elkins, W. Va., he was a son of Mrs. Emma M. Moss Patterson of Ft. Walton Beach, Fla., and the late William R. Patterson. He had been employed by Colonial Fair Food Store in Waynesboro, Pa., prior to his retirement. He was a veteran in World War II, serving in the U.S. Army, and a member of the Catholic Church. Besides his mother, he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Doris M. Walt Patterson; a daughter, Mrs. Rachel C. Michael of Hagerstown; sons: Thomas A. Patterson, Warren L. Patterson, and Paul W. Patterson, all of Hagerstown; and Clarence T. Patterson Jr. of Elkton; William R. Patterson of Martinsburg, W. Va.,; and Charles F. Patterson, serving with the U.S. Navy, stationed in New York; a sister, Mrs. Rachel Forrest of Louisiana; a brother, William R. Patterson of Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.; and five grandchildren.... Burial in Rest Haven Cemetery."

Clarence's obit names 7 children—1 daughter and 6 sons. They were not named in their birth order in this obit.

- Rachel C. Patterson m. ___ Michael & lived in Hagerstown, MD in 1976 (father's obit)
- Thomas A. Patterson lived in Hagerstown, MD in 1976 *(father's obit)*
- Warren L. Patterson lived in Hagerstown, MD in 1976 (father's obit)
- Paul W. Patterson lived in Hagerstown, MD in 1976 (father's obit)
- Clarence T. Patterson Jr. lived in Elkton, MD in 1976 (father's obit)
- William R. Patterson lived in Martinsburg, WVA in 1976 *(father's obit)*
- Charles F. Patterson in U.S. Navy, stationed in New York in 1976 (father's obit)

Children of Clarence T. & 1st wife Louise Irene (Swope) Patterson:

a. Clarence Thomas Patterson Jr. b. abt. 1940 (listed as a senior in high school in Washington Co., MD in 5 May 1958 issue of The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]. Note: Several articles in 1963 issues of various Hagerstown, MD newspapers report arrest & conviction, for 5 charges of breaking & entering, of Clarence Thomas Patterson Jr., age 22. Clarence Jr. was engaged to, and probably m. (1st?) Gloria Jean Lushbaugh 1959-1960. Published in the 28 Oct 1959 issue of The Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]:

"Mrs. Mildred Lushbaugh...announces the engagement of her daughter, Gloria Jean, to Mr. Clarence Thomas Patterson Jr., the son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Skatzer... Mr. Patterson is now serving in the United States Army at Fort Benning, Georgia. No wedding date has been set."

Did Clarence divorce Gloria? Clarence m. (2nd?) Tawanna M. Nutter? In the 28 Dec 1964 issue of *The Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]*: [Marriage

license applications] "Clarence T. Patterson Jr., 24, Hagerstown, and Tawanna M. [Marie] Nutter, 19 [so b. abt. 1945], Fairplay." *Note:* Tawanna's middle name "Marie" comes from an article about a fire in the 4 Mar 1966 issue; among the plaintiffs were "Clarence T. and Tawanna Marie Patterson." And in the 19 June 1970 issue of *The Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]:* "Deeds...Clarence T. Patterson Jr. and Tawanna M. Patterson to Lowell C. Michael and Leon L. Michael, land on South Mountain near Tub Springs." Clarence Thomas Patterson is probably still living. Per his sister Rachel's 2009 obit (see below), Clarence was living in Newark, Delaware.

It is not known with certainty how many children Clarence Thomas Jr. had, and with which wife. But surely Clarence Thomas & Tawanna (Nutter) Patterson had son:

Clarence Thomas Patterson III

No further info at this time about the children of Clarence Thomas Jr.

Continuing with children of Clarence T. & 1st wife Louise Irene (Swope) Patterson:

b. Rachel Cecilia Patterson b. 2 Aug 1942 in Petersburg, VA (birth date & birthplace in obit—see further); father's 1976 obit names daughter Rachel C. Michael of Hagerstown, MD. Per "U.S. Public Records," Rachel Michael was still living in Hagerstown, MD in 1989. Rachel m. 1st Lowell Conroy Michael Sr., with whom she had son Lowell C. Michael Jr. who predeceased her, and daughter Sheree L. Michael (obit). Rachel and Lowell Michael divorced (deduced from Lowell Michael Sr.'s obit, posted on-line at heraldmailmedia.com; he died 26 Feb 2017, and his obit names daughter Sheree Michael & deceased son Lowell C. Michael Jr.). About 1994 Rachel m. 2nd Terry Ragan Moore, with whom she had no children.. Rachel d. 8 Apr 2009 in Hagerstown, MD; buried in Rest Haven Cemetery, Hagerstown, MD. Rachel's obit was published in the 10 Apr 2009 issue of the Herald Mail [Hagerstown, MD]; transcribed & posted on her findagrave page 5/15/17 by Sanebee:

"Rachel Cecelia Moore, 66, of Hagerstown, died Wednesday, April 8, 2009 at her home. Born Aug. 2, 1942, in Petersburg, Va., she was the daughter of the late Clarence Thomas and Louise Irene Swope Patterson. She worked as a homemaker. She was a member of The Good Shepherd Ministries in Hagerstown. She is survived by her husband of 15 years, Terry Ragan Moore; one daughter, Sheree L. Michael; two stepdaughters, Michele Moore and Lisa Chaney; one stepson, Terry Moore; two brothers, Clarence T Patterson of Newark, Del., and William R. Patterson of Martinsburg, WV; and five step-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by one son, Lowell C. Michael... Burial followed in Rest Haven Cemetery."

No further info in this paper about Rachel's 2 children.

Continuing with children of Clarence T. & 1st wife Louise Irene (Swope) Patterson:

c. William Robert Patterson b. 26 Dec 1943 (birth date of a William R. Patterson living in Martinsburg, WVA, per "U.S. Public Records"); lived in Martinsburg, WVA in 1976 per father's obit; still living in Martinsburg in 2009 per his sister Rachel's obit (see above). Per spokeo.com, William Robert Patterson, age 75, lives in Falling Waters, WVA; previously lived in Martinsburg, WVA; related to: Linda Patterson, David Patterson. Can find no death record for William Robert Patterson. No further info.

Children of Clarence T. & 2nd wife Doris M. (Watt) Patterson:

- d. Warren L. Patterson possibly b. 21 Nov 1951 (A Warren Patterson with this birth date is listed in "U.S. Public Records" living in Elkton, MD; and Elkton, MD is where Clarence's son Clarence Jr. was living in 1976); per father Clarence's obit, son Warren was living in Hagerstown, MD in 1976. Can find no info on-line about Warren.
- e. Thomas Andrew Patterson b. 7 July 1954 (birth announcement in the 9 July 1954 issue of The Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]; mother said to be "the former Miss Doris Watt, of Baltimore"). Per his father's obit, Thomas lived in Hagerstown in 1976. No further info.
- f. Charles F. Patterson b. 29 Feb 1956 (unnamed in birth announcement of "leap year" babies published in the 29 Feb 1956 issue of The Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]. Note: This "leap year" baby was not named, but Charles F. Patterson is named as son in Clarence's 1976 obit; Charles was serving in the Navy, stationed in New York, in 1976. No further info.
- g. Paul Wayne Patterson b. 14 Oct 1959 in Hagerstown, MD; d. 8 Aug 2005 in Youngstown, Mahoning Co., OH (birth date, birthplace & death date from "Social Security Applications & Claims Index 1936-2007" at ancestry.com; death location from SSDI). Per his father's obit, Paul lived in Hagerstown in 1976. As of this writing, no Paul Patterson who died 2005 is listed in any cemetery at findagrave.com. No further info.

Continuing with children of William Robert & Emma (Moss) Patterson:

6. Julie "Beatrice" Patterson b. abt. 1920 in WVA (birth date & birthplace from 1930 & 1940 census info; listed as "Beatrice J." on the 1930 census; listed as "Beatrice" on 1940 census; listed as "Julie Beatrice" in her obit); listed as "Julia B. Patterson" born 1919 in Randolph Co., WVA per "West Virginia Birth Index" at ancestry.com. Not named as a surviving sister in the 1976 obit of brother Clarence; d. 23 May 1968 (obit in 24 May 1968 newspaper gives no specific

death date; she died 23 May 1968 per undocumented trees); buried in Rest Haven Cemetery, Hagerstown, MD (obit); m. Joseph E. [Edgar] Rhodes, who predeceased her (Julie's obit). Husband Joseph d. 14 Nov 1963 in St. Augustine, FL (Joseph's obit—see further.) They probably married 1938-1940 (1st child, dau Julia, b. 1940). Joseph Edgar Rhodes was b. abt. 1918 in PA (1940 census); listed on findagrave without birth date; d. d. 14 Nov 1963; buried in Rest Haven Cemetery, Hagerstown, MD (no gravestone photo posted). As of this writing, Julie is not listed in this cemetery.

Husband Joseph Edgar's obit was published in the Saturday, 16 Nov 1963 issue of *The Daily Mail [Hagerstown, MD]:*

"Joseph Edgar Rhodes, formerly of Hagerstown, died at St. Augustine, Fla., Thursday at 6 p.m., aged 45 years. He resided in St. Augustine, Fla. For the past nine months where he served as director of operations of Fairchild Stratos Corporation. Mr. Rhodes was born in Chambersburg, Pa., son of the late Harry F. Rhodes...Mr. Rhodes was a veteran of World War II. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Julia Beatrice (Patterson) Rhodes; mother, Mrs. Nelle (Wilson) Rhodes, Hagerstown; daughters: Mrs. Julia Lowman [Lohman], Sharpsburg; Mrs. Mary Jo Kretzer, St. Augustine, Fla.; sons: Harry, Joseph, David and Edward Rhodes [?], all at home; sister: Mrs. Ruth Caskey, Cherry Hill, NJ; brothers: Harry W. Rhodes, Kansas City; Robert D. Rhoses, Sysset, Long Island, NY; three grandchildren and a number of nieces and nephews... Rest Haven Cemetery...."

Julie's obit was published in the 24 May 1968 issue of the *Morning Herald [Hagerstown, MD]:*

"Mrs. Julie Beatrice Rhodes, 48, widow of Joseph E. Rhodes...died at Washington County Hospital following an illness of three days. She was the daughter of Emma Moss Patterson and the late William Robert Patterson and was a member of Trinity Lutheran Church and Loyal Order of Moose. Besides her mother she is survived by daughters: Mrs. Julie Lohman of Sharpsburg and Mrs. Mary Jo Kretzer of Hagerstown; sons: Harry S., David P. and Edward W. [?] all at home; sister: Mrs. Rachael Forrest of York, Pa.; brothers: Howard Patterson of Williamsport, Clarence Patterson of Waynesboro, William Patterson of Rockville; eight grandchildren...Burial will be at Rest Haven Cemetery...."

NOTE: See Daughter Mary Jo's section below, where the obit of Mary Jo's husband names "Edward W. Rhodes" as his son!

In 1940 Julie and her husband Joseph were living with his parents:

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1940 Hagerstown, Washington Co., MD 2 Apr 1940 (p. 1 of 30)
Harry H. Rhodes
                         58 [1882] PA lived same house 1935 supt., disposal plant
Nell G. ", wife
                         52 [1888] PA
Robert D. ", son
                         28 [1912] PA
                                          " married? delivery man
Ruth M. ", dau
                         25 [1915] PA
                                          " single supervisor, telephone co.
Joseph E. ", son
                         22 [1918] PA
                                          " married "out-side decorator"
Beatrice ", dau-in-law
                         20 [1920] WVA " married
Julia G. ", gr-dau
                       3/12 [1940] MD
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Continuing with children of William Robert & Emma (Moss) Patterson:

7. William Robert Patterson (Bob's father) b. 24 June 1921 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA (WWII Draft Registration card); d. 29 May 2012; buried in Lakeside Memory Gardens, Eustis, Lake Co., FL (findagrave info). Note: In Jan 2019, when searching for William's grave in Florida, a findagrave message came up saying that his memorial "has been removed." Then, in Feb 2019, after conducting the same search on findagrave, no results (or message) whatsoever came up; and William Robert is no longer listed in Lakeside Memory Gardens. William m. Marie Rita Tonneman. Marie was b. 7 May 1921 in Washington, D.C., dau of Harry Irvine & Bertha Marie (Andresky) Tonneman; d. 5 Feb 1973 in Silver Spring, Montgomery Co., MD; buried in Gate of Heaven Cemetery, Silver Spring, Montgomery Co., MD. (All foregoing info about Marie comes from son Bob Patterson, for whom this paper is written.) Photo of Marie's gravestone posted on findagrave 8/23/14 by Betty Frain shows inscription: "PATTERSON / BLANK [evidently her husband's name was to be inscribed here, but as of 2014 it was not] / Marie R. / 1921 – 1973." Per the "Robert Patterson Family Tree," William and Marie had 4 sons (all "private" on this tree).

Photos on the next page were supplied by Bob Patterson (dates unknown).



William Robert Patterson



Marie Rita (Tonneman) Patterson

1930 Census – William R. is in his widowed mother's Berkeley Co., WVA household

At the time of the 1940 census, William was a solider in the U.S. Army, stationed at Fort Myer in Arlington Co., VA. He was age 18; in 1935 he was a resident of Hagerstown, MD. Per the 1967 obit of William's sister, Mary D. (Patterson) Henry, in 1967 William lived in Rockville [Montgomery Co.], MD. Info from his son Bob: "He served in the 3rd Cavalry until1942, and in the 738th Medium Tank Battalion (Special) until 1945. He was a veteran of the Battle of the Bulge. He served in the Air Force Reserve until 1951 and worked for the U.S. Army until 1973. He was a VFW Post Commander and Grand Knight in the Knights of Columbus."

Continuing with children of William Foster Patterson:

Children of William Foster & 2nd wife Catharine Mary (Flynn-O'Connor) Patterson:

F. Julia Patterson b. _ May 1889 in PA; d. 20 Jan 1978 in Notre Dame, St. Joseph Co., IN. (All foregoing info from the "Robert Patterson Family Tree.") Julia became a nun and her name on her death certificate (Indiana death certificate #78-007154) is "Sister Mary Praxedes." Parents' names on her death certificate: William F. Patterson & Catherine Flynn. She is described as "a Holy Cross Nun" in "Mildred's Notes." Info from Bob Patterson: "Julia was a music teacher at St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, IN." No further info.

See next page for a photo of Julia received from Bob.



Bob supplied the following newspaper clipping containing Sister Mary Praxedes' obituary (no newspaper or date cited):

SISTER MARY PRAXEDES

Sister Mary Praxedes — the former Julia Patterson, died at Saint Mary's Convent, Notre Dame, Ind., on January 20. Sister Praxedes' was 89 years of age and in the 67th year of

her profession.

Julia Patterson was born on May 13, 1889 to William and Catherine Patterson in Clarion County, Pa. Her parents later moved to Elkins where her father was a well known lumberman. She received her early education in the local schools. In 1909 on Sept. 3, she entered the congregation of the Sisters of the Holy Cross. On Dec. 10, 1909, she received the Holy Habit and the name of Sister Mary Praxedes. She made her first profession on Dec. 10, 1911 and her final profession on Aug. 15, 1915.

She received her bachelor's degree in music and music theory from the American Conervatory of Music in Chicago in 1927 and her master's degree from the same school in 1935.

Sister Praxedes was a skilled teacher of music. Except for three years at Saint Mary's Academy in Austin, Texas and five years at Saint Mary's Academy in Alexandria, Va., Sister's 52 years of teaching were spent in the mid-west. She taught at Saint Mary's Academy, Notre Dame, Saint Theodore's School in Chicago, Saint Joseph's Academy in South Bend and at Saint Mary's College, Notre Dame.

Sister was the last surviving member of her immediate family. She was proceded in death by six sisters, Mrs. N.T. Downs, Mrs. Earnest Young, Mrs. Warren Boher, Mrs. J.K. Parsons, Mrs. John B. Shreve, Miss De Sales Patterson and two brothers, William Patterson and William O'Connor. She is survived by John Shreve, a brother-in-law and several nieces, nephews and cousins.

Final rites were conducted on Jan. 23, 1978 at Saint Mary's Notre Dame.

Continuing w/children of William F. & 2nd wife Catharine (Flynn-O'Connor) Patterson:

G. [Katherine?] Francis DeSales Patterson [female] b. 27 Oct 1893 in PA; d. 11 Nov 1922 in Randolph Co., WVA; buried in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery, Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. Photo of her gravestone posted on findagrave 12/25/13 by Brenda P. shows inscription: "Francis DeSales / Dau of W. F. & C. M. Patterson / Oct. 27, 1893 – Nov. 11, 1922." She is listed incorrectly on her findagrave page as having the maiden name "DeSales," though her parents' names on this page are "William F. Patterson" "Catherine M. Patterson." *Note:* She is listed as "Katherine DeSales of Elkins" in "Mildred's Notes." She was single at the time of the 1920 census, and died in 1922. **She never married.** No further info.

Continuing with children of Nathaniel & Susan (Garner) Patterson:

VI. Sarah E. "Sadie"Patterson b. abt. 1853 in Franklin, Armstrong Co., PA (1860 & 1870 censuses). Note: Per son Ernest's listing in "West Virginia Deaths Index" at ancestry.com, he was the son of Joseph Young & "Sadie" Patterson. Sarah m. Joseph Young ("Mildred's Notes") Per "Mildred's Notes," Joseph & Sarah had children: Robert, Ernest, John & Effie; there is a note that there are "no records" for these children. The 4 children named agrees in part with census info found; in 1880 Joseph & Sarah Young have 2 sons: Robert and Ernest. (Joseph & his family have not been located on the 1900 & subsequent censuses.) The "Vasileff Family Tree" at ancestry.com currently lists Sarah with an 1853 birth date, but no death date; and lists her husband Joseph Young with an undocumented death date of 12 Oct 1924 (no death location). It is not known when, or where, Sarah died. Did Sarah die before Joseph, and did Joseph then marry a woman named Josephine? See notes below for Joseph Young's son John.

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1860 Census – Sarah E. is in her father's Armstrong Co., PA household.
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<u>1870 Census</u> – Sarah is in her widowed mother's Forest Co., PA household.

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      1880 Farmington, Clarion Co., PA
      22 June 1880 (p. 33 of 45)

      Joseph Young
      31 [1849] PA [blank] [blank] farmer

      Sarah ", wife
      29 [1851] PA " "

      Robert ", son
      2 [1878] PA " "

      Ernest L. ", son 4/12 [b. "Jan" 1880] " "
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1900 & subsequent Census – Cannot find Joseph or wife Sarah (or "Sadie") on these censuses.

Caution: A Joseph Young who died 1917 in Danville, Montour Co., PA was born 1849 in PA—as was the Joseph Young who married Sarah Patterson, per 1880 census info. The obit of this Joseph who died 1917 in Montour Co., PA, published in the 7 Mar 1917

issue of *The Danville Daily News*, states that his wife had died "nine months ago." However, per 1900 census info, this Joseph's wife was named Mary.) One son and three daughters named: Mrs. John Reeser, Earl Young, Mrs. Ralph Smith & Mrs. Warren Harpster of Milton. So this is a *DIFFERENT* Joseph. And there was a Joseph Alexander Young born 1849 in PA, son of Joseph A. (born in Ireland) & Annie (Ralston)Young (b. in Ireland), who died 26 Apr 1914 in Montgomery Co., PA; buried in [Ornila?] Evangelical Cemetery *(death certificate #37307);* he was married at time of death; occupation: harness maker; informant: James H. Young of Frankford, PA. This is also probably a *DIFFERENT* Joseph.

Per "Mildred's Notes" & census info, Joseph & Sarah E. (Patterson) Young had 4 children:

a. Robert R. Young b. 26 Nov 1877 in Shippenville, Clarion Co., PA (WWI & WWII Draft Registration cards; "person who will always know your address" on both cards: Mrs. Martha L. Young"; registered 1917-18 in Beverly, WVA; registered 1942 in Allegheny Co., PA though his residence was listed as Coolspring Twp., Mercer Co., PA). In 1900, Robert m. Martha L. Canfield, in Tucker Co., WVA ("West Virginia Marriages Index 1785-1971" at ancestry.com). Per undocumented trees, Robert d. 7 May 1952 in Ashtabula, Ashtabula Co., OH. Wife Martha died 25 Aug 1961 in Ashtabula, OH ("Ohio Death Records" index at ancestry.com; listed as "widowed"). Note: Posted on the "Vasileff Family Tree" at ancestry.com is a 1940 photo of Robert "with Billy on his lap,", wife Martha and "Kathleen, Violet, Effie, Pearl, Agatha." As of this writing, findagrave lists no Robert Young born 26 Nov 1877 in any cemetery.

35 [1875] PA PA PA m. 9 yrs conductor, freight

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<u>1880 Census</u> – Robert, age 2, is in his father's Clarion Co., PA household.
<u>1900 Census</u> – Cannot find Robert or his parents on this census.
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Robert married Martha L. Canfield in 1900, in West Virginia.

1910 Leadsville, Randolph Co., WVA 18 Apr 1910 (p. 7 of 56)

Robert R. Young

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25 [1885] WVA WVA WVA m. 9 yrs 5 children, 5 living
Martha L. ", wife
Joseph M. ", son
                    8 [1902] WVA PA WVA
M. Violet ", dau
                    6 [1904] WVA PA WVA
Oscar ", son
                    4 [1906] WVA PA WVA
                    2 [1908] WVA PA WVA
Herbert ", son
                 5/12 [1909] WVA PA WVA
Luvenia ", dau
1920 Elkins Ward 3, Randolph Co., WVA 10 Jan 1920 (p. 23 of 31)
Robert R. Young
                   43 [1877] PA PA PA transfer, own business
Martha L. ", wife
                   38 [1882] WVA WVA WVA
Joseph M. ", son
                   18 [1902] WVA PA WVA
Violet M. ", dau
                   16 [1904] WVA PA WVA
Oscar F. ", son
                   14 [1906] WVA PA WVA
Herbert R. ", son
                   12 [1908] WVA PA WVA
Luvena S. ", dau
                   10 [1910] WVA PA WVA
Effie May ", dau
                    8 [1912] WVA PA WVA (named after Robert's sister)
Luther O. [A.?] ", son 5 [1915] WVA PA WVA
Pearl Irene ", dau 3 & 3/12 [1916] WVA PA WVA
Agatha B. ", dau
                  4/12 [1919] WVA PA WVA
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1930 Fairmont, Marion Co., WVA 8 Apr 1930 (p. 21 of 33)
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Robert R. Young 53 [1877] PA PA PA m. age 22 truck driver, wholesale house
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Martha L. ", wife 49 [1881] WVA WVA WVA m. age 19

Effie M. ", dau
Pearl I. ", dau
Agatha B. ", dau
Kathleen B. ", dau

16 [1914] WVA PA WVA
14 [1916] WVA PA WVA
10 [1920] WVA PA WVA
7 [1923] WVA PA WVA

1940 Coolspring, Mercer Co., PA 10 Apr 1940 (p. 9 of 23)

Robert R. Young 62 [1878] PA lived same house 1935 farm work

Martha L. ", wife 59 [1881] WVA " Kathleen ", dau 18 [1922] WVA " single

Roy F. Wimer, son-law 22 [1918] PA " married [no occupation]

Agatha B. ", dau 20 [1920] WVA " married

Herbert J. ", grandson 2 [1938] PA Geraldine J. Wimer, gr-dau 1/12 [1940] PA William L. Haag, gr-son 8 [1932] WVA

Allegedly, Robert died 1952 in Ashtabula Co., OH. Wife Martha died there in 1961.

The 10 known children of Robert & Martha L. (Canfield) Young, and their descendants, are not explored in this paper.

Continuing with the children of Joseph & Sarah E. (Patterson) Young:

b. Ernest L. Young b. Jan 1880 in PA (1880 census); d. 3 Oct 1955 in Randolph Co., WVA ("West Virginia Deaths Index 1853-1973" at ancestry.com; parents' names on this index: Joseph Young & "Sadie" Patterson). Ernest m. his first cousin Sarah Alice ("Alice S." on censuses) Patterson. (That they were first cousins was deduced from 1930 census info—see below). Note: Ernest's wife is recorded on all censuses as "Alice S." but on daughter Marie's death certificate (see further), Marie's mother is listed as "Sarah Alice Patterson," and "Sarah Alice" is engraved on her gravestone. Wife Sarah was b. 30 Mary 1880 in PA; d. 26 Feb 1941 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA; buried in Saint Brendan Catholic Cemetery, Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA. (All foregoing info posted on findagrave 4/18/17 by Rachel Hayes, with the note that she was "husband of Ernest Young," and daughter of "W. T. [F.] Patterson" and "Racheal McCluskey of Pennsylvania.") Photo of Sarah's gravestone posted on findagrave 4/18/17 by Rachel Hayes shows inscription: "Sarah Alice Young / 1880 – 1941." As of this writing, Sarah's husband Ernest Young is not listed in this cemetery. Sarah is the only person of the surname "Young" listed on findagrave in this cemetery.

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<u>1880 Census</u> – Ernest is in his father's Clarion Co., PA household.
<u>1900 Census</u> – Cannot locate Ernest's parents, or Ernest, on this census.
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About 1900, Ernest married his first cousin, Alice Patterson.

1910 Beverly, Randolph Co., WVA 25 Apr 1910 (p. 18 of 33)

Ernest L. Young 30 [1880] PA PA PA m. 10 yrs [1900] conductor, r.r. train

Alice S. ", wife 30 [1880] PA PA PA m. 10 yrs 3 children, 3 living

Marie L. ", dau 9 [1901] WVA PA PA
Francis J. ", son 5 [1905] WVA PA PA
Leroy W. Young 2 [1908] WVA PA PA

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      1920 Elkins Ward 1, Randolph Co., WVA
      7 Jan 1920 (p. 11 of 33)

      Ernest L. Young
      39 [1881] PA PA PA stationary engineer, logging

      Alice P. ", wife
      39 [1881] PA PA PA

      Marie ", dau
      19 [1901] WVA PA PA

      Francis ", son
      15 [1905] WVA PA PA

      LeRoy ", son
      12 [1908] WVA PA PA

      Lawrence ", son
      8 [1912] WVA PA PA

      Cecelia ", dau
      1 & 6/12 [1918] WVA PA PA
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      1930 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA

      5 Apr 1930 (pp. 14-15 of 39)

      Earnest L. Young

      50 [1880] PA PA PA engineer, stationary

      Alice S. ", wife
      50 [1880] PA PA PA

      Marie L. ", dau
      29 [1901] WVA PA PA

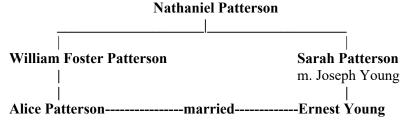
      Lawrence C. ", son
      17 [1913] WVA PA PA

      Cecilia ", dau
      10 [1920] WVA PA PA

      Robert L. ", son
      8 [1922] WVA PA PA

      William F. Patterson, fath-law 79 [1851] PA PA PA lumber dealer
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Note: It is deduced from the above census on which William F. Patterson is recorded as Earnest Young's "father-in-law" that Earnest married his first cousin, Alice Patterson, daughter of William F. Patterson. Their first-cousin relationship is as follows:



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1940 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA 23 Apr 1940 (p. 35 of 53)

Ernest L. Young 60 [1880] PA lived same place 1935 coal mine Alice ", wife 60 [1880] PA "

Marie ", dau 38 [1902] WVA " single registered nurse Lawrence ", son 28 [1912] WVA " single laborer, planing mill Cecelia ", dau 21 [1919] WVA " single Robert ", son "absent" 18 [1922] WVA " single
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Per census info, Ernest L. & Sarah "Alice" (Patterson) Young had 6 children:

- Marie L. Young b. abt. 1901 in Randolph Co., WVA (censuses; d. 1974 age 73 per death certificate); d. 23 July 1974 in Falls Church, Fairfax, VA; buried in Calvary Cemetery, Fairfax Co., VA; died unmarried. (All foregoing info comes from original Virginia death certificate #74-02242 viewable in "Virginia Death Records 1912-2014" at ancestry.com; parents' names on certificate: Ernest Lee & Sarah Alice Patterson; informant: brother Robert L. Young).

1910, 1920, 1930 & 1940 Censuses - Marie is in her father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

- James Francis a/k/a "Francis J." Young b. 31 Aug 1904 in Elkins Co., WVA (WWII Draft Card of James Francis Young; registered 1945 in Elkins Co., WVA; next of kin on this card: "Mrs. Daisy Young"). In 1927, in Randolph Co., WVA,

James Francis Young m. Virginia Daisy ["Daisy V."] Hogan ("West Virginia Marriages Index 1785-1971" at ancestry.com; wife's name on censuses: "Daisy V."). Per "WWII Army Enlistment Records" at ancestry.com, James F. Young enlisted 6 Jan 1941 as sergeant in the National Guard, in Elkins, West VA. Can find no death or burial record for James or wife Daisy.

1910 & 1920 Censuses – "Francis J." is in his father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

Francis married Daisy V. Hogan abt. 1928.

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      1930 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA
      11 Apr 1930 (p. 30 of 39)

      Francis J. Young
      26 [1904] WVA WVA WVA m. age 24 [1928] laborer, tannery

      Daisy V. ", wife
      22 [1908] WVA WVA WVA m. age 20 [1928]

      James L. ", son
      1 & 6/12 [1928] WVA WVA WVA

      Naomi M. Hogan,moth-law 56 [1874] WVA WVA WVA widow
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1940 Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA 14 Apr 1940 (p. 27 of 40)

James F. Young
Daisy V. ", wife
James Lee ", son

45 [age error] WVA lived same house 1935 laborer, leather co.
32 [1908] WVA "

11 [1929] WVA "

James Francis & Daisy V. (Hogan) Young had at least 1 child:

• James Lee Young b. 18 Sept 1928 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA ((WWII Draft Registration card; registered 18 Sept 1946 in Randolph Co., WVA; father James Francis Young listed as person who "will always know your address"). James possibly d. 18 Apr 2006 in Montgomery, Lycoming Co., PA (SSDI lists James L. Young b. 18 Sept 1928 with this birth date; surely this is the James who concerns us here????) Per "U.S. Public Records Index 1950-1993," a James L. Young b. 18 Sept 1928 lived in Earleville, MD (year not stated); per same source a James L. Young b. 18 Sept 1928 lived in Cheltenham, PA (year not stated); per same source James L. Young b. 18 Sept 1928 lived in Folcroft [Delaware Co.], PA in 1993; per same source a James L. Young b. 1928 lived in Frostproof [Polk Co.], FL (year not stated). Caution: A DIFFERENT James Young b. 18 Sept 1928 was born in Lycoming Co., PA; he was son of Preston Young & 18 Apr 2006. Can find no reliable info on-line about James' wife or children, if any.

Continuing with children of Ernest L. & Sarah "Alice" (Patterson) Young:

- William Leroy "Leroy W." Young b. abt. 1908 in Randolph Co., WVA (censuses). Note: No birth record found for William Leroy / Leroy W. Young. He is probably the "William Leroy Young" b. 1908 in WVA, son of Ernest Lee & Sarah Alice Adelaide (Patterson) Young, listed on the "Headrick, Wyant, Taylor..." tree at ancestry.com with death date of 2 Mar 1980 in Columbus, Franklin Co., OH; no wife listed. Per "Ohio Death Records" index at ancestry.com, this William L. Young who died 2 Mar 1980 in Columbus, OH, was b. 1908 in WVA; he was married at time of death. Can find no marriage record or burial record for the William Leroy who concerns us here.

1910 & 1920 Censuses – "Leroy W." is in his father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

There are many "William" Youngs and "William L." Youngs, and several different "William Leroy" Youngs, all born abt. 1908 in WVA, listed on the 1930 census. Just one is recorded with both parents born in PA (as were the parents of the William Leroy who concerns us here):

Did the William who concerns us here marry Pearl about 1926 in West Virginia? And then move to Ohio 1931-1933? (See birth locations of children below.)

POSSIBLE:

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      1930 Columbus, Franklin Co., OH 8 Apr 1930 (p. 22 of 64)

      William Young
      22 [1908] WVA PA PA m. age 18 [1926] motorman, street railway

      Pearl G. ", wife
      23 [1907] WVA KA PA m. age 18

      Aileen E. ", dau
      3 & 9/12 [1926] WVA WVA WVA

      Colleen G. ", dau
      3 & 9/12 [1926] WVA WVA WVA
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POSSIBLE:

1940 Columbus, Franklin (<u>50., OH</u> 18 Apr 19	940 (p. 51 of 62)	
William Young	32 [1908] WVA	lived same place 1935	trolley bus operator
Pearl ", wife	32 [1908] WVA	"	
Aileen ", dau	13 [1927] WVA	"	
Colleen ", dau	13 [1927] WVA	"	
Alice J. ", dau	9 [1931] WVA	"	
William ", son	7 [1933] OH	"	
Ronald ", son	2 [1938] OH	"	
Thomas ", son	1 [1939] OH	"	

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The William on the above censuses (William Leroy?) died 1980 in Columbus, OH.

Since it is not certain that the William Young on above censuses, who married Pearl G. , is the William we seek, his children have not been investigated.

Continuing with children of Ernest L. & Sarah "Alice" (Patterson) Young:

- Charles Lawrence / "C. Lawrence" / "Lawrence C." Young 8 May 1911 in "Bemis Rand C.", Randolph Co., WVA ("U.S. Social Security Applications & Claims Index 1936-2007" lists Charles Lawrence Young; parents' names on this index: Ernest L. Young & "Sara" A. Patterson). Charles Lawrence Young d. _ [20] Sept 1966 (ibid). Note: Listed on the "Headrick, Wyant, Taylor..." tree at ancestry.com as Charles Lawrence Young b. 8 May 1911 in West Virginia, son of Ernest Lee & Sarah Alice Adelaide (Patterson) Young; d. Sept. 1966; no death location; no spouse listed on this tree. "Lawrence C." Young b. 8 May 1911; d. 20 Sept 1966; is listed on findagrave; buried in Golden Oaks Memorial Gardens in Ashland, Boyd Co., KY. Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 11/4/15 by Emily Kelley shows inscription: "YOUNG / Lawrence C. / 1911 – 1966 / Together Forever / Myrtle 1918 – 1994." He m. Myrtle ____ who died 1994. (deduced from gravestone inscription). Per "Kentucky Death Index" at ancestry.com, Myrtle Young died 9 Dec 1994 in Boyd Co., KY. Per SSDI Myrtle was b. 1 Nov 1918; d. 9 Dec 1994 in Ashland, Boyd Co., KY.

1920, 1930 & 1940 Censuses – Lawrence / Lawrence C. is in his father's Randolph Co., WVA household. (In 1940 "Lawrence" was still single: occupation: laborer, planing mill

In 1943 "Lawrence C." young, b. 8 May 1911 in WVA is listed in the National Guard ("U.S. Select Military Registers..." at ancestry.com). On this list it is noted" pvt pfc cpl sgt Inf 6 Jan 41 AUS 1 lt 15 June 42."

Death notice of "C. Lawrence Young" published in the Thursday, 22 Sept 1966 issue of *The Courier-Journal (Louisville, KY)*:

"C. Lawrence Young, 55, Ashland, a Chesapeake & Ohio Railway conductor, died Tuesday [20 Sept 1966] at his residence. The body is at Miller Funeral Home, Ashland.

Note: Miller Funeral home in Ashland, KY is still in operation. I searched their website (mfhfuneralhome.com) for "Young" obituaries, and there were no results.

Can find no reliable info on-line about children of Charles Lawrence / Lawrence C. Young & wife Myrtle.

Continuing with children of Ernest L. & Sarah "Alice" (Patterson) Young:

Cecelia Evelyn Young b. 18 June 1918 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA; d. 22 Oct 1996; sometime before Sept 1962, Cecelia m. ___ Carver. (All foregoing info from "U.S. Social Security Applications & Claims Index"; parents' names on this index: Ernest L. Young & Sarah A. Patterson.) Note: She is listed as "Celia" on "West Virginia Birth Index" at ancestry.com. Photo of gravestone in Brevard Memorial Park, Cocoa, Brevard Co., FL posted on findagrave 11/19/07 by "GBern.O" shows inscription: "Cecelia E. Carver / 1918 – 1996." No man of the surname "Carver," of the age to be Cecelia's husband, is currently listed on findagrave in this cemetery. Cecelia m. Corlis Carver (obit).

1920, 1930 & 1940 Censuses – Cecelia is in her father's Randolph Co., WVA household.

Cecelia's obit was published in the 24 Oct 1996 issue of *The Orlando [Florida] Sentinel*:

"Cecelia E. Carver, 78...died Tuesday, Oct. 22. She worked for Weight Watchers in Titusville. Born in Elkins, W. VA., she moved to Central Florida in 1965. She was a member of St. Theresa Catholic Church. Survivors: husband Corlis; stepdaughters: Cathy Winetz, Apopka; Gwen Ramsey, Christmas; Brenda Hadwin, Titusville; Thelma Melton, Scottsmoor...North Brevard Funeral Home, Titusville."

Cecelia married, but had no children.

Continuing with children of Ernest L. & Sarah "Alice" (Patterson) Young:

- Robert Leo Young b. 30 June 1921 in Elkins, Randolph Co., WVA; d. 12 Feb 1994 ("U.S. Social Security Applications & Claims Index; parents' names on this index: "Ernst" L. Young & Sarah A. Patterson). Robert Leo Young "Sr." is listed on findagrave with above birth & death dates; buried in Fairfax Memorial Park, Fairfax Co., VA, Sect. 4. Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 9/28/13 by Stan Jett shows inscription: "YOUNG / Robert Lee / June 30, 1921 – Feb. 12, 1994." Photo of matching gravestone shows inscription: "YOUNG / Jane Ann / April 16, 1921 – Dec. 16, 2004." When Robert enlisted, on 17 Apr 1943, in Clarksburg, WVA, he was still single ("WW II Army Enlistment Records..." at ancestry.com). We can deduce from gravestone info that sometime after 16 Apr 1943, Robert m. Jane Ann ___ (Payne?). Per the undocumented "Ryder Family Tree" at ancestry.com, Robert m. Jane Ann Payne (1921-2004). One daughter ("private") is listed on this tree. No further info in this paper.

1930 & 1940 Censuses – Robert is listed in his father's Randolph Co., WVA household. (Listed as "absent" in 1940.)

Continuing with the children of Joseph & Sarah E. (Patterson) Young:

c. John Young b. aft. the 1880 census—probably 1881-1883, probably in Clarion Co. PA (where his parents were living in 1880). *Note:* The last census listing found for John's father, Joseph, is the 1880 census. (Father Joseph has not been located on the 1900 census.) John's birth date of 1881-1883 is estimated based on the fact that we have a documented birth date for his brother Ernest (1880); and a documented birth date for his sister Effie (1884). Remember: the children of Joseph & Sarah E. (Patterson) Young were listed in "Mildred's Notes" in this order: Robert, Ernest, John, Effie. Mildred had "no records" for these children.

NOTE: The John H. Young born 3 May 1881 in Clarion Co., PA (WWII Draft registration card), whose wife's name was Myrtle, and who lived in Warren Co., PA in 1930 & 1940, is NOT the John we seek. Per the marriage license of this John H. Young and Myrtle M. Bunting, John was the son of Robt. and Josephine Young. So: **Caution!** There were two different John Youngs born about the same time in Clarion Co., PA.

Can find no reliable info on-line about Joseph & Sarah's son John.

d. Effie May Young b. 11 May 1884 in Forest Co., PA; d. 20 May 1957 in Greenville Hospital, Mercer Co., PA, while a resident of Hempfield Twp., Mercer Co., PA; buried in Shenango Valley Cemetery, Greenville, Mercer Co., PA. (All foregoing info from PA death certificate #44608 for Effie Young Uber; informant: Mrs. Ed Pickins of Greenville, PA.) Effie m. 1st ___ [Howard David?] Kalar (original marriage license for Effie's second marriage, granted 18 Jan 1906, viewable in "Pennsylvania Marriages 1852-1968" at ancestry.com records, records the Butler Co., PA license to marry of Norman B. Uber & "Effie M. Kalar; her parents on this record: "Joseph and

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Sarah Young"; per this record Sarah's previous husband died 25 Oct 1904; Norman Uber's previous wife died 25 Oct 1904; he was a conductor on the railroad; at time of application Sarah was a resident of Clarion Co., PA; Norman was a resident of Armstrong Co., PA). Per undocumented trees, the name of Effie's first husband was Howard David Kalar, with whom she had daughter Hazel Kalar b. 1903. In 1906, Effie m. 2nd Norman B. Uber who survived her. Per undocumented trees, with 2nd husband Norman Burdett Uber, Effie had children: Ethel Irene (b. 1906); Joseph Bernard (b. 1909); Olive May (b. 1910); Myrtle (b. 1912) and Shirley (b. 1924 [sic]. No further info in this paper.

Continuing with children of Nathaniel & Susan (Garner) Patterson:

VII. Rachael Adams ("Adda Rachel" on some trees) Patterson b. 10 Mar 1854 ("Kelp Family Tree"—see further); b. in Franklin, Armstrong Co., PA (1860 & 1870 censuses); m. David Wyant ("Mildred's Notes" lists her as "Rachel Adams (Addie)," who married David Wyant, and it is noted that "not much known about this family.") Per the "Kelp Family Tree," Rachel Adda Patterson was b. 10 Mar 1854, dau of "Nathan" and Susan (Gardner [error: Garner]) Patterson; no info about "Nathan" or Susan on this tree. Rachel d. 21 Apr 1933 in Sandy, Clearfield Co., PA. Pennsylvania Death certificate #35667 (original viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com) for "Mrs. Ida [sic] Wiant [sic], dau of Nathaniel Patterson b. Ireland and Sarah Gardner b. PA, gives death date of 21 Apr 1933; died in Sandy, Clearfield Co., PA, age 79 yrs, 1 month, 11 days; widow of David "Wiant"; buried in Luthersburg [Clearfield Co.], PA; informant: Mrs. Forest Radaker of DuBois, PA.

About 1883 (see 1900 census below), Rachel m. David Wiant. Per the "Kelp Family Tree," David was b. 19 Apr 1847 in Porter Twp., Clarion Co., PA, son of Jacob & Hanna (Mays) Wyant; d. 10 July 1917 in Tionesta, Forest Co., PA. The "Kelp Family Tree" at ancestry.com, authored by "bean010166," contains just 373 persons. It is not well documented, but I suspect the author is a direct descendant, based on this note posted 3/11/12 by the author, titled "Notes from Auntie Francee":

"Notes for Rachel Adda Patterson – Grandma Wiant [sic]—very good person. She was very quiet, and very nice. Died in 1933. She was a very thin woman and lived with Ruth Radaker in Sandy for quite a while during her winters because it was warmer. She lived in Oil City in summers. Her house was destroyed by fire, in which she was badly burned. She survived. She died in the house in Sandy. Mom remembers taking trips to Dayton, Oil City and Greenville. In Greenville they visited Anna and Sarah Wiant at their house. After Anna died, Sarah built a house near the retirement home and had a friend come over to keep her company. As she got older and couldn't take care of herself, she moved into that home. There are Pattersons of this family buried in Greeley, CO as discovered by Marnee and her friend 'Flash' during a casual afternoon outing in college days."

"Adda Patterson Wiant" is buried in Luthersburg Union Cemetery, Luthersburg, Clearfield Co., PA. Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 11/19/09 by Carol Laughlin show inscription: "Mother / Adda Patterson Wiant / 1854 – 1933." Husband "David Wiant is buried in Mount Collins Cemetery, Tionesta, Forest Co., PA. Photo of his gravestone

posted on findagrave 10/13/12 by "Oscar" shows inscription: "David Wiant / 1847 – 1917." Per info posted on findagrave, "Adda" was his second wife.

<u>1860 & 1870 Censuses</u> – "Rachel" is in her father's Armstrong Co., PA household & in her widowed mother's Forest Co., PA household.

1880 Census – Both of Rachel's / Adda's parents were deceased at the time of the 1880 census.

Where was she living?

Husband David's first wife, Nancy Jane, died 1880.

David m. 2nd Rachel "Addie" about 1883 (per 1900 census).

1900 Green, Forest Co., PA 8 June 1900 (pp. 12-13 of 24)

David Wiant	53 b. Apr 1847 PA PA PA m. 17 yrs [1883] [no occupation listed]
Addie P. ", wife	41 b. Mar 1859 [error] PA Ireland PA m. 17 yrs 6 children, 6 living
Almeda ", dau	15 b. Sep 1884 PA PA PA single
John Martin ", son	12 b. Aug 1887 PA PA PA [error? born 5 months before his brother?]
Joe Forest ", son	12 b. Jan 1888 PA PA PA [error? born 5 months after his brother?]
Russel ", son	9 b. Feb 1891 PA PA PA
Ruth May ", dau	7 b. Feb 1893 PA PA PA
Harold Vance ", son	4 b. Mar 1896 PA PA PA

Husband David didn't die until 1917. Why isn't he listed with "Adda" on the 1910 census?

<u>1910 Green, Forest Co., PA</u> 26 Apr 1920 (p. 9 of 15)				
Adda Wiant, head	57 [1853] PA Ireland PA cook, own family			
Martin ", son	23 [1887] PA PA PA single baggage master, passenger train			
Russel ", son	19 [1891] PA PA PA single laborer, odd jobs			
Ruth ", dau	17 [1893] PA PA PA single house work, private family			
Vance ", son	14 [1896] PA PA AP single choir boy, private famliles			

Note: Bob wrote 1/20/19 that Rachel is the "ancestor of Richard Headrick and his niece Leslie."

Per above censuses," David & Rachel Adda (Patterson) Wyant had 6 children:

- **A. Barbara Almeda Wyant b. Sept 1884** in PA (1900 census); b. 18 Sept 1884 in Tylersburg, Clarion Co., PA per the "Kelp" tree (no documentation).
- **B.** John Martin Wyant b. Aug 1887 [error? 1886?] in PA (1900 census); b. 25 Aug 1886; d. 23 July 1974 in Meadville, Crawford Co., PA per the "Kelp" tree (no documentation; no wife or children listed on this tree)
- C. Joseph Forest Wyant b. Jan 1888 in PA (1900 census); b. 17 Jan 1888 in Tylersburg, Clarion Co., PA per the "Kelp" tree (no documentation). Per "Mildred's Notes," "Forest lived on the Emminger far. After the death of the son, Bert, of Barbara Patterson and Chris Emminger, Aunt Barbara took Forest Wyant and raised him." Note: "Aunt Barbara was his mother Rachel's sister.
- **D.** Russel Wyant b. Feb 1891 in PA (1900 census); b. 20 Feb 1892 in Tylersburg, Clarion Co., PA per the "Kelp" tree (no documentation)

E. Ruth Mae Wyant b. Feb 1893 in Forest Co., PA (1900 census); listed on the "Kelp tree with birth date of "about 1887," which does not agree with census info. Per this tree Ruth Mae m. Forest [Forrest?] Eugene Radaker (1887-1962) & had children: Frances Ellen (1918-1998; m. Harrison Finch); William (1921-2005; m. Jean Shaffer); and Dorothy Almeda (1924-2000; m. "private"). *Note:* Posted on the "Kelp" tree is an obit for Dorothy "Dotty" Radaker Kelp, who married Harold W. Kelp. Obit of Dorothy (Radaker) Kelp, daughter of Ruth Mae (Wyant) Radaker:

"Delmar – Dorothy (Dotty) Rakaker Kelp, 76, died Wednesday, March 29, 2000 at the Childs Nursing Home, Albany, after a long illness.... Dotty was born in DuBois, PA, the daughter of Forrest and Ruth Wiant [sic] Radaker... Dotty is survived by her husband, Harold W. Kelp and their three children: Lisa K. Morton and her husband, Thomas J., of Delmar; Mark E. Kelp and his wife, Barbara, of Wynantskill; and Nancy B. Heffelfinger of Glenmont. Beloved grandmother of Katie Lynne and Jeffrey T. Morton; Samantha A. and D. Michael Heffelfinger Jr.; and sister of William E. Radaker of Rutland, VT; and the late Frances R. Finch..."

The children of For[r]est Eugene & Ruth Mae (Wyant/Wiant) Radaker are not explored in this paper.

Continuing with children of David & Rachel Adda (Patterson) Wyant:

F. Harold Vance Wyant b. Mar 1896 in PA (1900 census); listed on the "Kelp" tree with as b. 1 Mar 1896 in Tylersburg, Clarion Co., PA; d. 1936 (no documentation).

No further info in this paper on the children of David & Rachel Adda (Patterson) Wyant.

Continuing with children of Nathaniel and Susan (Garner) Patterson:

Martin Van Buren Patterson b. Dec 1858 (1900 census; b. 1858 per gravestone) in VIII. Franklin, Armstrong Co., PA (1860 & 1870 censuses). Martin d. 14 June 1904; buried in Linn Grove Cemetery, Greeley, Weld Co., CO, Blk R., lot 58, spc 2 (info posted on findagrave 2/5/11 by "ProgBase"; gravestone inscribed simply "1904"). Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 7/21/14 by Cindy (Seifert) Cooper Abelson shows inscription: "PATTERSON / M.V.P. / 1858-1904." Note: Despite the birth year of "1858" inscribed on Martin's stone, his birthdate is listed as "1859" on his findagrave page—an unfortunate typo. About 1882 (per 1900 census) Martin m. Genevieve ["Jennie"] Burns ("Mildred's Notes"). Genevieve is recorded as "Jennie" on son Wayne Burns Patterson's baptism record ("Presbyterian Church Records 1701-1970 – Clarion Co., PA First Presbyterian Church" at ancestry.com & also on censuses & also on her gravestone). Per the death certificate of "Mrs. Jennie Burns Patterson" (PA certificate #105714, viewable in "Pennsylvania Death Certificates 1906-1966" at ancestry.com), Jennie was b. 15 Dec 1857 [1856 per gravestone] in Clarion Co., PA, dau of James T. & Juliet (Smith) Burns. Jennie died 4 Nov 1914 in Clarion Co., PA. At time of death she was a widow. She was buried in "Clarion Cemetery." Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 7/21/11 by LSmith shows inscription: "Jennie B. Patterson / 1856– 1914." Per "Mildred's Notes,": "Martin moved to Greely Colorado on account of T.B.

and died in 1904. Except for Ethel [daughter] and Howard [son] most of the family died after they arrived in Colorado." Bob wrote to me 1/9/18: "I found out Nathaniel's son Martin Van Buren Patterson came down with TB and moved his family to Colorado because they thought the mountain air was cure but he, his wife and some of the children died there of TB. One son went to Oregon and there are relatives there today." Jennie's obituary was published in "Obituaries from the Clarion Democrat, 1913-1915" by Sally Jordan Reed, and transcribed & posted on findagrave 7/21/11 by LSmith:

"...November 4th, 1914...Mrs. Jennie Patterson, of Clarion... died suddenly, about noon of that day.... Mrs. Patterson, who made her home with Dr. S.A. Wilhelm, her brother-in-law, was afflicted with heart trouble... Miss Jennie Burns was the daughter of the late James T. and Juliet C. Burns, and was born in Clarion township in 1857 [1856 per her gravestone]. About 1886 she was united in marriage with M.V. Patterson following which she made her home at North Pine Grove, this county. Upwards of ten years ago she lost by death from tuberculosis her husband and two of their children, but she is survived by one daughter, Miss Ethel, at home; and two sons, Howard, at home; and Wayne Patterson of Chicago... interment will be made in the Clarion cemetery."

1860 Census – Martin is in his father's Armstrong Co., PA household.

1870 Census – Martin is in his widowed mother's Forest Co., PA household.

Martin married Jennie Burns about 1882 (1900 census).

1900 Jenks, Forest Co., PA 12 June 1900 (p. 16 of 50)

 Martin V. Patterson
 41 b. Dec 1858 PA Ireland PA m. 18 yrs [1882] lumberman

 Jennie A. [R.?] ", wife
 42 b. Dec 1858 PA PA PA

 Juliet K. ", dau
 16 b. Oct 1883 PA PA PA

 Wayne B. ", son
 14 b. Aug 1885 PA PA PA

 Bertha M. ", dau
 12 b. Mar 1888 PA PA PA

 Ethel G. ", dau
 10 b. Apr 1890 PA PA

 Howard V. ", son
 7 b. Nov 1892 PA PA

Martin died 1904, in Colorado.

1910 Greeley, Weld Co., CO 30 Apr 1910 (p. 32 of 64)

Jennie Patterson 53 [1857] PA PA PA widow 6 children, 3 living [no occupation]

Ethel G. ", dau 20 [1890] PA PA PA single [no occupation] Howard V. ", son 17 [1893] PA PA PA single [no occupation]

Jennie died 1914, in Clarion Co., PA.

Per "Mildred's Notes," Martin Van Buren & Genevieve (Burns) Patterson had the following 6 children. But Jennie's obit mentions only 5 children. Mildred's 1914 obit mentions two children who died of TB about 1904 (as did her husband); and daughter Ethel who was "at home" in 1914; and son Howard who was "at home" in 1914; and son Wayne who in 1914 was living in Chicago.

A. Juliet Katherine Patterson b. 4 Oct 1883 ("Mildred's Notes"). Juliet d. 4 July 1902; buried in Linn Grove Cemetery, Greely, Weld Co., CO (where her father is buried).

Photo of her gravestone posted on findagrave 7/21/14 by Cindy (Seifert) Cooper Abelson shows inscription: "PATTERSON / Juliet / 1882 – 1902." *Note:* The name engraved on this stone is clearly "Juliet," but for some reason, on her findagrave page, she is listed as "Julia" K. Patterson. Juliet is probably 1 of the 2 children who, per her mother's obit, died of tuberculosis.

1900 Census – Juliet K. is listed in her father's Forest Co., PA household.

B. Wayne Burns Patterson b. 17 Oct 1885 ("Mildred's Notes"; same birth date in Wayne's SAR membership application; he was applying for membership based on the service of his mother's relative); b. in Forest Co., PA (Wayne's SAR application). On 4 June 1909 Wayne B. Patterson m. Helen G. Johnson, in Denver, CO; they were married by Rev. H. E. Brundage ("Colorado County Marriage Records..." at ancestry.com). In 1908 Wayne was living in Greely, Co., CO & this is when he applied for SAR membership; at that time his occupation was architect. In 1914, Wayne was living in Chicago, IL (mother's obit). As of this writing, no Wayne Patterson b. 1885 is listed on findagrave in any cemetery. Wayne is not named in "Mildred's Notes" as one of the "two surviving children." Per info posted on findagrave 2/5/11 by "ProgBase," Wayne B. Patterson was b. 1886 [probable error]; d. 16 Mar 1918; buried in Linn Grove Cemetery, Greeley, Weld Co., CO (where his father is buried). After Wayne died, wife Helen remarried, to William Cannon (original AZ death certificate #3855 of Helen Gladys Cannon; per this certificate she was b. 8 Apr 1891 in KY, dau of John Smith & Susan (Wiggington) Johnson; she d. 13 May 1960 in Phoenix, Maricopa Co., AZ).

1900 Census – Wayne B. is in his father's Forest Co., PA household.

Wayne married Helen G. Johnson in 1909, in Denver, Colorado.

1910 Greely, Weld Co., CO 9 May 1910 (p. 44 of 64) **Wayne B. Patterson** 25 [1885] PA PA PA m. 10 yrs architect Gladis [sic] J. ", wife 19 [1891] IL KY KY m. 10 yrs

Wayne died 1918.

Per the "Headrick, Wyant, Taylor..." tree at ancestry.com, Wayne Burns & Helen Gladys (Johnson) Patterson had one child:

1. Sue Patterson b. 29 June 1910 in Greeley, CO; m. Lovejoy; d. 5 Feb 1991 ("Social Security Applications & Claims Index: listed on this index as of 1937 as "Sue Patterson Cannon"—though her parents are listed on this index as Wayne B. Patterson & Helen G. Johnson; listed as of 1943 as "Sue Patterson Lovejoy"). No further info in this paper.

Continuing with children of Martin Van Buren & Genevieve (Burns) Patterson:

C. Bertha May Patterson b. 2 Mar 1888 ("Mildred's Notes"); b. in PA per censuses. Bertha d. 14 June 1904 and was buried in Linn Grove Cemetery, Greely, Weld Co.,

CO (where her father is buried). Photo of her gravestone posted on findagrave 7/21/14 by Cindy (Seifert) Cooper Abelson shows inscription: "PATTERSON / Bertha / 1888 – 1904."

D. Ethel Gertrude Patterson b. 8 Apr 1890 ("Mildred's Notes"); b. in PA per censuses. Per "Mildred's Notes," Ethel was one of the 2 surviving children. In 1914, Ethel was living "at home," in Clarion Co., PA (mother's obit). Per the "Headrick, Wyant, Taylor..." tree at ancestry.com, Ethel m. Gil Ogden Sr. Gil was b. 21 Jan 1886 in Keokub, IA; d. 23 Nov 1948 in Marion Co., OR (no marriage record supplied). Per this tree, Ethel d. 25 Feb 1923 in Marion Co., OR. "Oregon Death Index" at ancestry.com lists Ethel Gertrude Ogden with this death date. Ethel G. Ogden is buried in IOOF Cemetery, Dayton, Yamhill Co., OR. Photo of gravestone posted on findagrave 6/12/09 by Bill Myers shows inscription: "Ethel G. Ogden / 1891 – 1923." Note: Is birth year on gravestone an error? Per "Mildred's Notes" she was b. 1890; and this agrees with 1900 census info. More confusion: The death notice of "Mrs. Ethel Ogden" was published in the 26 Feb 1923 issue of The Capital Journal (Salem, Oregon), and this Ethel Ogden was born abt. 1892, per this death notice:

Could this be a <u>different</u> Ethel Ogden who died in Feb 1923 in Oregon?: "Mrs. Ethel Ogden, 30, whose home is in McMinnville, died at a local hospital. She is survived by a husband and four children who live at McMinnville...."

1900 Census – Ethel G. is in her father's Forest Co., PA household. (Birth date: "Apr 1890.")

1910 Census – Ethel G. is in her widowed mother's Weld Co., CO household.

1914 – Ethel was living "at home" in Clarion Co., PA (per her mother's obit).

Ethel (allegedly) married Gil Odgen (no documentation).

Ethel G. Ogden died 1923 in Oregon. (Is this the Ethel who concerns us here?)

No further info about Ethel in this paper.

Continuing with children of Martin Van Buren & Genevieve (Burns) Patterson:

E. Howard Vance Patterson b. 9 Nov 1892 ("Mildred's Notes"); b. in Marionville, Forest Co., PA per WWII draft registration. Per "Mildred's Notes," Howard was one of the "two surviving children." In 1914 Howard was living "at home," in Clarion Co., PA (mother's obit). On 21 Mar 1921 in Oklahoma Co., OK, Howard Vance Patterson m. Neva Mary Gillette ("Oklahoma County, Oklahoma Marriage Index" at ancestry.com). When Howard registered for the WWII draft, he was living in Macon, Macon Co., MO; he was married; occupation salesman for Swallow Airplane Co. Howard d. 27 July 1960 in Cole Co., MO (MO death certificate #26286 indexed at "Missouri Digital Heritage, s1.sos.mo.gov; spouse named in index: Neva "Gillett"; father: "Mark" Patterson; mother: "Jennie Burns"). Wife Neva d. 9 Nov 1972, in Kokomo, Howard Co., IN (original IN death certificate #72-041376 viewable in "Indiana Death Certificates" at ancestry.com). Per Neva's death certificate, she was b. 4 July 1900 in Oklahoma, dau of Guy & Myrtle (Finley) Gillett; she was a widow

at time of death; buried in Forest Hill Cemetery in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO; informant: G. V. Patterson, "son," of Greentown, IN. Photos of matching gravestones posted on findagrave 10/12/16 by Fred Gunwald show inscriptions: "Beloved Father / Howard V. Patterson / 1892 – 1960" and "Beloved Mother / Neva G. Patterson / 1900 – 1972."

1900 Census – Howard V. is in his father's Forest Co., PA household.

1910 Census – Howard V. is in his widowed mother's Weld Co., CO household.

1920 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Co., OK 7 Feb 1920 (p. 52 of 58)

Howard V. Patterson 27 [1893] PA PA PA single salesman, automobile (lodger in boardinghouse)

Howard married Neva Mary Gillette in 1921, in Oklahoma.

1930 Waterford, Oakland Co., MI 2 Apr 1930 (p. 1 of 52)

Howard V. Patterson 37 [1893] PA PA PA m. age 28 salesman, automobile

Neva M. ", wife 29 [1901] OK KS PA m. age 20

Pat [Gilett] V. ", son 8 [1922] OK PA OK

(plus 1 servant)

Sometime between 1931 and 1940, Howard & family moved to Missouri.

1940 Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO 17 Apr 1940 (p. 26 of 38)

Howard Patterson 47 [1893] PA lived same place in 1935 refrigerators, own business

 Neva ", wife
 39 [1901] OK "

 Gillett ", son
 18 [1922] OK "

 Robert ", son
 9 [1931] OK "

Howard died 1960 in Missouri. Wife Neva died 1972 in Indiana.

The above censuses tell us that Howard V. & Neva (Gillette) Patterson had at least 2 children:

1. Gillette Vance Patterson b. 18 Mar 1922 in Oklahoma City, OK; d. 22 July 1996 (birth date, birthplace & death date on "Social Security Applications & Claims Index"; parents' name son this index: Howard V. Patterson & Neva M. Gillett); d. in Columbia, Richland Co., SC (SSDI). Gillette m. Martha Martin. Martha was b. 3 Aug 1923 in Jefferson City, MO, dau of Mose & Audrey Martin; she d. 26 Oct 2015 in Columbia, Richland Co., SC. (All info about Martha comes from her obit—see further.) Gillette and wife Martha are interred in Greenlawn Memorial Park, Columbia, Richland Co., SC (info posted on findagrave 10/26/15 by Laurie Davis Hannah; no gravestone photos posted). Martha's obituary was transcribed & posted on her findagrave page (no newspaper cited):

"Martha Patterson, 92, of Columbia, entered into rest Monday, October 26, 2015 at Providence Hospital, Forest Drive. Born August 3, 1912 in Jefferson City, MO she was the daughter of the late Mose and Audrey Martin. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Gillette V. Patterson. She will be missed by her children: Mary Gill Unger (Don); Vance Martin Patterson (Mary Jo); and Janette Lee Haas (Eric); ten grandchildren: Cody (Sami);

Matt; and Devin (Crystal) Patterson; Megan Patterson Hammond (JJ); Ashley Lansing (Gilbert); Kimberly and Brian Unger; Lan (Katie) and Ryan (Kate) Haas; and Erin Haas Eckstein (Kraig); 13 great grandchildren: Jacob Alyscia, Ryleigh, Claire, Sean, Skyler, Emma, Charlotte, Ethyn, Tripp, Mason, Benjamin and Madison. A Celebration of Life for Mrs. Patterson will be held at...Greenlawn Memorial Park Mausoleum Chapel...."

Continuing with children of Howard Vance & Neva (Gillette) Patterson:

2. Robert Wayne Patterson b. 13 Aug 1930 in Oklahoma City, OK ("Social Security Applications & Claims Index"; parents' names on this index: Howard V. Patterson & Neva M. Gillette); still living 1972, in Greentown [Howard Co.], IN (he was informant for his mother's death certificate); d. 21 Mar 2000 in Fort Worth, Tarrant Co., TX (SSDI). Robert m. Sharon E. Wilson on 30 Aug 1952, in Clay Co., MO; they were married by Methodist minister Roland A. Boone. (Original marriage certificate viewable in "Missouri Marriage Records" at ancestry.com.) Wife Sharon was b. 20 June 1930 in Braymer, MO, dau of Ernie Nathan & Ruby J. (Belshe) Wilson; she d. 14 Mar 2010 at her home in Columbia, MO. (All foregoing info about wife Sharon comes from her obit—see below.)

1940 Census – Robert is in his father's Kansas City, MO household.

Robert married Sharon Wilson in 1852, in Missouri.

The obituary of wife Sharon is posted at millardfamilychapels.com:

"Sharon Wilson Patterson, 79, of Columbia, Missouri, passed away Monday, March 15, 2010, at her residence. She was born on June 20, 1930, in Braymer, Missouri, to Ernie Nathan and Ruby J. Belshe Wilson...She is survived by her five children: Katherine Patterson Munoz and her husband Lee of Denver, Colorado; William Vance Patterson and his wife Jane of Fort Worth, Texas; Michael Wayne Patterson of Columbia, Missouri; Scott Wilson Patterson and his wife Sabine of Lodi, New York; and Heather Patterson Jones and her husband Randy of Columbia, Missouri; one brother, Christopher A. Wilson and his wife Leslie of Kansas City, MO; and two grandchildren: Blake Patrick Munoz of Orlando Florida; and Zachary Lee Jones of Columbia, Missouri... Graveside services... Wheeling Cemetery near Chillicothe, Missouri." *My note:* It seems strange that Robert & Sharon had 3 sons, but Sharon's obit names NO Patterson grandchildren! *Note:* Son Scott Wilson Patterson died just 4 days after his mother (see Scott's section below).

Continuing with children of Martin Van Buren & Genevieve (Burns) Patterson:

F. Frederic Reynolds Patterson b. 2 Mar 1901 ("Mildred's Notes"). If, per "Mildred's Notes," Martin & Jennie truly did have a son named Frederic, he d. before 1910 (not listed on the 1910 census; not named in his mother's 1914 obit).

1910 Census - no son Frederic or Frederick is listed in widow Jennie's household in Weld Co., CO.

CHAPTER III Copies of important records cited

1956 Letter, James Harrison Patterson to Mildred Gerber (cited as "Mildred's Letter")

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"Mildred's Notes"

Note: These "Notes" were typed by Bob Patterson.

Mildred Gerber's notes from family members, primarily James Harrison Patterson "Nathaniel Patterson – born County Armagh Ireland possibly 1795? approx. died Dec 12 1867 [*My note:* error: see letter above where death date is "Nov <u>21,</u> 1867] *He was only one of his family to migrate to ____. How he arrived in Clarion County Penna needs developed. Not much is known.

A known fact is he married Susan Carney of Easton, Penna on May 25, 1843.

He was previously married in Ireland to a young girl named Miss Beatty and there were no children born to this union.

In Clarion County a tale is told that Grandfather Nate outsmarted the darn British by hiding his carpentry tools is the ship's ballast when he was entout to America. The Limies had a law prohibiting mechanics from leaving the British Isles.

*Nathaniel and Susan (last name?) moved west and lived in Armstrong County for awhile. He taught his sons his trade and this is why we know just a little about his life. All sons were lumbermen.

Children born to Nathaniel and Susan:

James Beatty P. m. Sarah Jane McCloskey

Will Foster P. m. Rachael McCloskey (1st wife)

Martin P. m. Genevieve Burns

Alexander P. died young, single

Barbara Ellen P. m. Chris Eminger see p.

Elizabeth P. m. Shields Herron

Rachael Adams m. David Wyant

Sarah P. m. Joseph Young

Will F. Patterson Family

#1 Will married Rachael McCloskey 5 children 4 girls 1 son

Minnie m. Newt Downs

Alice m. Young

Margaret m. Jasper Parsons

- *Rachael Shreve
- *William was killed in sawmill accident in 1920
- *Twins Rachael died giving birth to these children

#2 Will married Katherine Flynn O'Connor who already had

- -Advarde, Boher Wash
- James O'Connor (Seattle, Wash)

Impt. Will and Katharine's children were:

- -Julia a Holy Cross Nun, Notre Dame, Indiana
- Katherine DeSales of Elkins

Martin Patterson's Family

Juliet Katherine b. Oct. 4, 1883

Wayne Burns "17, 1885
Bertha May Mar 2, 1888
Ethel Gertrude Apr. 8, 1890
Howard Vance Nov. 9 1892*
Frederic Reynolds Mar 2, 1901

Martin moved to Greely Colorado on account of T.B. and died in 1904. Except for Ethel and Howard most of the family died after they arrived in Colorado.

Barbara Patterson & Chris Emminger had one child Bert, an only child who died at 16 years of age.

Elizabeth Patterson and Shields 's Family – no records on this family

Addie, Susan, William, Minnie

Sarah Patterson and Joseph Young's Family

#1 b. Ernest, a. Robert, c. John, d. Effie no records

#2 family Bertha, Maud, Edna, Charles no records.

Rachael Adams (Addie) and Wyant (spelling?) Family - Not much known about this family Barbara*, Martin, Forest**, Russell, Ruth, Howard Vance

- * Forest lived on the Emminger farm. After the death of the son, Bert, of Barbara Patterson and Chris Emminger, Aunt Barbara took Forest Wyant and raised him.
- * Forest lived at Leeper, Pa. Mrs. Forest Wyant was a descendant of the Archibald Black & Peggy Hagarty family (these Blacks came from Donegal Ireland in 1797. Records at the time show a March 3, 1839 purchase of 164 acres of "additional land" by James Black son of Archibald & Peggy.

James Black's son married Susan Graham who has 10 children. John Black, a son, was given a piece of land along Maple Creek which was sold to my Grandfather and Uncle James and William Patterson.

James Beatty [maiden name of Nathaniel's (his father's) first wife] was born in Armstrong County Pa. according to my Uncle Jim (my mother's brother). He was living at Slaters Landing, Pa. when he took Sarah Jane McCloskey as his wife on May 18, 1880. He being Protestant and Sarah a Catholic they were married by a priest in Clarion, Pa. They went to Slaters Landing to live. He was a lumberman and until he moved to W. V. was engaged in the business near the Clarion River. He worked the forest of this area and (claims by relatives) worked closely with Anthony Wayne Cook of Cooksville. James is shown in a glass (colored) window in the burial mausoleum (near the Cook mansions) as a logger on Clarion River.

James was approximately 30 years old and Sarah Jane was 26 years old. Their first child Robert Micharl (1881-1952) was born at Slater's Landing (a place where his father was living at the time of marriage).

Nathaniel Joseph 1883-1940 was born Taylor Job River

James Harrison 1884-1961 was born at Alsbach Place

Norbert Lee 1886-19 was born at Gravelick

Josephine Margaret 1887-1943 was born in Gravelick

Benedict Giles 1895-1976 was born in Voincle

[most of these relatives gave Crown, Pa as place of birth but Jim Patterson records them as shown above] [I add there was a difference of 1 to 2 years in records I have from other sources]

The Patterson family moved to Grafton West Virginia in 1897 after death of Sarah's mother in Clarion that same year.

A deed filed in Taylor County Courthouse reveals this date as purchasing an undeveloped lot on 247 Grand Street where they eventually built a home. In the meantime James was engaged in business (lumber) at Irontown and was a partner in the firm known as the Clarion Lumber Company.

In 1899 they moved to Mill Creek WVa (Randolph Co.) where he went into business with his brother William. They returned to Grafton in 1903 where he lived until 1921 when he died. In 1904 he took his two sons Jim and Norbert and some equipment and went to Nova Scotia where they did logging on the La Have River for the Davidson Lumber Company. After they returned to Grafton their children started to marry after attending local schools. "JB" continued to lumber until he became too old and tired to take care of his big barn and horses. The 1st World War was over and his sons (some were married by this time in 1918) and their wives went to the west coast to live and continue lumbering.

Sarah Jane returned to Crown and took up residence near her parents' home. In 1934 after the great depression of 1929 and the hardships of unemployment, she and her son Benedict returned to Grafton and took up residence at 24 East Washington Street near her daughter Josephine Flanagan. Her daughter Genevieve and granddaughter Betty who was born in Crown had returned to Grafton with her.

Sarah died on April 6, 1934 and is buried in Mt. Calvary Cemetery in the Fahey plot. Her son Nathan's wife was Stella Fahey a niece of Mrs. Thomas Joyce. It is in this family plot that she is buried.

[All the people listed below are deceased]

Robert married Jamie Belle Graw and stayed in Grafton all his life.

James Harrison married Isabel Casey and moved to Portland, Oregon.

Norbert married married Mabel Leonard and joined Jim in Portland

Nathan married Stella Fahey and lived his years in Harrisburg, Pa

Genevieve married Lou Seibert and lived in Wheeing and El Paso, Texas. She later married a Mr. Carter after Lou's death.

Josephine married Dr. Harry Flanagan (a dentist) and they both lived in Grafton W. Va. Benedict Giles (was in W War I to France) married Grace Moore of Parkersburg. After living many years in Grafton & later Parkersburg, WVa, both died in St. Petersburg, Fl. in 19___ Each of these children of James and Sarah had families. I do not know exact dates of all but carry on.

Robert Michael & Jamie Belle Graw had Annabell became Mrs. Rex Satterfield Mary Jo became Mrs. Roy Slaton Francis became Joseph V. Gamsjager Robert M., Jr. married Charles Alfred married

Betty Jane remained single

I need to develop these cousins and name their offsprings because the sons children bear Patterson names. I am in touch with Frances and she'll send them to me.

"Jim Patterson Notes" (1 page, dated 2007, titled, "Nathaniel Patterson and Family")

Nathaniel Patterson and Family

Nathaniel was our initial immigrant from Ireland. Believed to have been married to a Ms. Beatty (no evidence yet found) prior to emigration. Believed 1st wife passed on with no children to the union. Traveled from Belfast Ire arriving at the Port of Phila 8 Dec 1818 (Brig "Charlotte Lawrence") as per copy of ship manifest. Although there were other "Pattersons" on this voyage, it is believed that Nathaniel was the only one of his immediate family in this arrival group (although no evidence yet proves this out).

Other Patterson's on the emigration voyage included Alexander and Mary (Jameson) Patterson and their two children, Jane and David (Jameseon) who were emigrating from their home in Poyntz Pas, County Armagh (As per Biography of David J Patterson). That family remained in Philadelphia with the parents passing on in 1824 (Alexander) and 1842 (Mary Jameson). Jane married Wm Brown abt 1839 in Philadelphia. David attended and graduated from the Univ of Pennsylvania, subsequently teaching Classical studies in the College prep school for another 10 years. After a few years traveling through the mid-west, he later moved to Brooklyn NY where he remained for the rest of his life. He founded a new Presbyterian congregation there in 1848. Married Susannah Cumming in 1853 and had three children. David passed on in 1899 in Brooklyn and is buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Brooklyn NY. Susannah passed on in Brooklyn in 1905 and is buried with David in Greenwood Cemetery.

Nathaniel's whereabouts Dec 1818 to 1820 not evidenced as yet.

He lived 1820 til 1867 (year of his death) in Sugarcreek Twp (Now West Franklin Twp), Armstrong Cty, PA

First shows in 1820 Sugarcreek Twp, Armstrong Cty Federal census continues in subsequent censuses through 1860.

- 1. Nathaniel files *Declaration of Intention* to become US citizen 19 Dec 1820, Armstrong Cty Court, PA.(wherein he states that he arrived in US in November or December 1818 and has resided in the State of PA since that time (Brig Charlotte Lawrence arrived 8 Dec 1818)
- 2. Naturalized as citizen 20 Sep 1825, Armstrong Cty Court, PA.
- 3. Cited in Armstrong Cty early history accounts as an early settler in Sugarcreek Twp in 1820 (Shows in Twp census for that year as well)
- 4. Nathaniel's 1st land purchase -8 Sep 1828 50 acres in Sugarcreek Twp (later became West Franklin Twp) , Armstrong Cty PA, bought from Enead and Bridget McBride (of Buffalo Twp, Armstrong Cty).
- 5. Nathaniel's 2nd land purchase 193 acres bought under PA state patent, situated in Franklin (changed to West Franklin Twp in 1868) and Sugarcreek Townships, Armstrong Cty, PA. Parcel adjoined 1st land purchase (See # 4) on the North.
- 6. Property description for Nathaniel's Homestead (As per deed papers dtd Mar 6, 1867), described as "250 acres of land, more or less, situated in Franklin Twp (later becoming West Frankin Twp), Armstrong County About thirty five acres of which are cleared and under fence, eight acres of which are meadow with one grist mill, one saw mill, one farm dwelling house, one log dwelling house, one log stable and other out buildings thereon erected."
- 6. Nathaniel sells 250 acres (acquisitions in #4 & #5) for \$2,650 to Philip Templeton (lately) at a Sheriff's sale on 6 Mar 1867 to settle debt of \$425. (Judgement Armstrong Cty Court on 13 Oct 1862 (Judgement record no longer available from Ct).
- 7. 9 Sep 1867 Nathaniel (said of Franklin Twp, Armstrong Cty) buys one-half interest in 152 acres straddling Barnett Twp, Forest Cty and Farmington Twp, Clarion Cty from Slyvester Black (said of Sugarcreek Twp.) (This parcel was part of PA Patent # 3318).

For early history and life in Armstrong Cty, PA see "Beer's History of Armstrong County Pa, Her People, Past and Present" which covers the 1800's in detail at the time Nathaniel and his family lived there. (On Web).

J. D. Patterson, Jr.

Saturday, June 9, 2007

CHAPTER IV Genetic Test Results

Three men who participated in Y-DNA testing at familytreedna.com have closely-matching Y-DNA: Robert William "Bob" Patterson (for whom this paper was written); Dr. Richard J. Patterson; and George O. Patterson.

ROBERT WILLIAM "BOB" PATTERSON – Kit #N63882 (111 markers)

13, 24, 14, 10, 11, 14, 12, 12, 12, 13, 13, 30

18, 9, 10, 11, 11, 25, 14, 19, 30, 15, 15, 17, 17

11, 12, 19, 24, 16, 15, 18, 17, 35, 37, 12, 12

12, 9, 15, 16, 8, 10, 10, 8, 10, 10

12, 22, 23, 16, 10, 12, 12, 15, 8, 12, 22, 20, 13

12, 11, 13, 11, 11, 12, 12

33, 15, 9, 16, 11, 26, 26, 22

12, 11, 13, 12, 11, 9, 13, 12, 10, 11

11, 30, 12, 12, 24, 13, 10, 11

21, 15, 18, 13, 24, 17, 12, 16, 24

12, 24, 19, 10, 14, 17, 9, 11, 11

Dr. RICHARD J. PATTERSON – Kit #491025 (111 markers)

Numbers in red below are different that Robert William's numbers

13, 24, 14, 10, 11, 14, 12, 12, 12, 13, 13, 30

18, 9, 10, 11, 11, 25, **15**, 19, 30, 15, 15, 17, 17

11, 12, 19, 24, 16, 15, 18, 17, **36**, 37, 12, 12,

12, 9, 15, 16, 8, 10, 10, 8, 10, 10

12, 22, 23, 16, 10, 12, 12, 15, 8, 12, 22, 20, 13

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33, 15, 9, 16, 11, 26, 26, 22

12, 11, 13, 12, 11, 9, 13, 12, 10, 11

11, 30, 12, 12, 24, 13, 10, 11

21, 15, 18, 13, 24, 17, 12, 16, 24

12, 24, 19, 10, 14, 17, 9, 11, 11

GEORGE O. PATTERSON – Kit #378314 (67 markers)

Numbers in red below are different than Robert William's numbers

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18, 9, 10, 11, 11, 25, **15**, 19, **29**, 15, 15, 17, 17

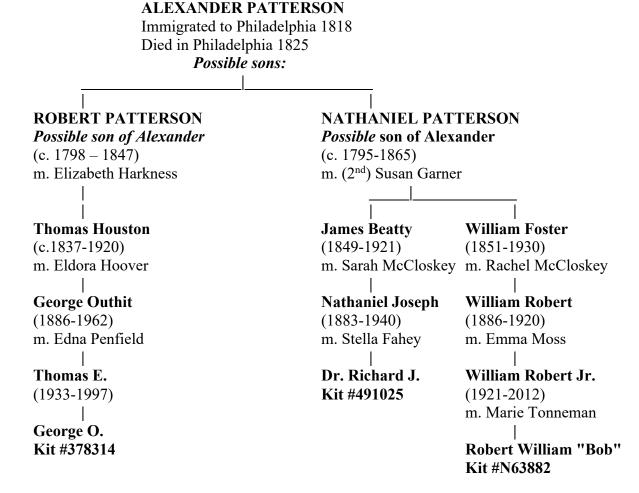
11, 12, 19, 24, 16, 15, 18, 17, **36**, 37, 12, 12

12, 9, 15, 16, 8, 10, 10, 8, 10, 10

12, 22, 23, 16, 10, 12, 12, 15, 8, 12, 22, 20, 13

12, 11, 13, 11, 11, 12, 12

See trees on the next page showing how each of these men descend from their oldest proven Patterson ancestor.



Info received from Bob Patterson about autosomal matches:

As of February, 2019 Bob Patterson had 20 autosomal DNA matches (18 at Ancestry.com and 2 at FTDNA) with people who have Crothers (and variant spellings of Crothers) listed as ancestors. Bob wrote 2/26/19: "There are no Crothers in the maternal line or the paternal grandmother's line. The maternal great grandparents immigrated from Germany, Poland and Bohemia about 1870 and their ancestry is known to about 1800. The ancestry of the paternal grandmother is known to early colonial times and no Crothers have been found."

See my separate paper on "Alexander Patterson...and his descendants" posted on this website to understand how autosomal matches with persons of the Crothers surname supports the conjecture that Nathaniel, the subject of this paper, was Alexander's son.