

CHAPTER VIII

*He lives with his ancestry, and he lives with his posterity;
to both does he consider himself involved in deep responsibility.*

—Washington Irving.

Wesley Middleton, 1813-1885, the sixth child of John Middleton and Elizabeth Downing-Middleton, was born in Franklin County, Ohio, May 22, 1813. He was married Oct. 31, 1835, by Richard S. Robison, preacher of the gospel, to his cousin, Lovina Downing, who was born Aug. 4, 1819, in Franklin County, Ohio. She died near Elkhart, Ind., Mar. 15, 1870, and is buried in Rowe Cemetery. Lovina was the daughter of David Downing and Polly Middleton, who died in the spring of 1830 on the journey from Ohio to Indiana. Lovina was even tempered and an excellent mother for she was sweet and kind to all who came within her reach.

Uncle Wesley was a farmer living most of his life at Sugar Grove, Ind., six miles east of Elkhart. He was kind and liberal and of the Methodist creed. A large physique enhanced by very broad shoulders and his ability to talk well and debate earned for him the position of neighborhood councillor and advisor. He was rather well educated and was a "peti-fogie" lawyer for he settled community disputes when the occasion arose and at times even filled neighboring pulpits. Family relationship was always very dear to him. At one time he traveled to Bristol, Ind., to see if he could establish some relationship with a Joel Middleton living there, but they could find no family connections. Wesley was married a second time in 1875 to Sarah DePew who died three years later and was buried at Orland, Ind. He died Feb. 11, 1885, at the home of his youngest child and is buried beside his wife, Lovina, in the Rowe Cemetery.

Issue:

- I. DeWeese Middleton, died in infancy.
- II. Edward D. Middleton, died in infancy.
- III. Francis M. Middleton, died in infancy.
- IV. Phidelia Ann Middleton, died in infancy.
- V. Winfield S. Middleton, died in infancy.

The above children are all buried in the Middleton Cemetery, one-fourth mile east of Elkhart, Ind., on the Bristol Road.

- VI. Lovina Elizabeth Middleton b. near Elkhart, Ind., Apr. 1, 1847, d. in Kansas, m. Sept. 19, 1869, in Elkhart County, Ind., by B. Wansbrough, U. B. minister, to Hiram Rush b. May 30, 1840.

Issue:

- A. (Lyttle) Little A. b. Dec. 10, 1875. 1017 N. 9th St., Independence, Kan.
- B. Archie Ebenezer b. July 16, 1878, m. Oct. 13, 1907, to Margaret E. Harkins b. Mar. 13, 1878. 6520 Marbrisa Ave., Huntington Park, Calif.

Issue:

1. Harold E. b. Mar. 16, 1909, d. Apr. 22, 1909.
 2. Ora Juanita b. May 16, 1911.
 3. Wendell M. b. Mar. 10, 1914.
- C. Roxy b. Aug. 26, 1882, m. Dec. 25, 1905, to William S. Koyl. 2668 Zoe Ave., Huntington Park, Calif.
1. Ceecil b. Nov. 19, 1906, d. June 29, 1919.
 2. Archie C. b. Dec. 17, 1911, m. Apr. 9, 1932, to Fountain A. Baker.
- D. Corda G. b. July 14, 1881, d. Sept. 22, 1882.
- E. Chloe B. b. May 8, 1885, m. Mar. 9, 1910, to Glen E. Adair. 1017 N. 9th St., Independence, Kan.

Issue:

1. Russel R. b. June 13, 1911.
2. Louise I. b. Sept. 25, 1914.

VII. Henrietta E. Middleton, died in infancy.

VIII. Sarah Melissa Middleton b. Apr. 2, 1842, d. Apr. 21, 1883, m. Apr. 18, 1869, to her cousin, John W. Middleton, son of William.

Issue:

A. Mary b. Mar. 10, 1870, d. Apr. 22, 1913.

IX. Elizabeth Middleton, m. Horace Maxon. Further unknown.

Issue:

- A. Flora-Drake. Further unknown.
- B. Lew. Further unknown.
- C. Laura. Further unknown.

X. Mary J. Middleton b. 1840, d. Sept. 20, 1868, m. Dec. 11, 1859, to Simon True, who died in Decatur, Mich., in 1929.

Issue:

- A. Charles, m. Myra Hellman.
- B. John Henry.

XI. William D. Middleton, died in infancy.

XII. Martha A. Middleton b. Elkhart Co., Mar. 3, 1858, d. Stockton, Calif., May 8, 1926, m. Mar. 12, 1878, to David Garl b. Mar. 13, 1847, d. July, 1917, son of Benjamin Garl and Caroline Diffendorfer. Both buried at Elkhart.

Issue:

- A. Zena M. b. Dec. 7, 1879, m. Dec. 19, 1906, to Orren Gifford Kibbe b. Mar. 20, 1873, son of Edward and Mary Kibbe of Elkhart. 129 W. Flora St., Stockton, Calif.

Issue:

1. Gifford Garl Kibbe b. Apr. 6, 1917, at Escalon, Calif.

XIII. John Wesley, now known as John C. Middleton, b. Mar. 9, 1860, m. Dec. 23, 1879, to Chloe Morehouse b. Nov. 5, 1862, dau. of Nathaniel Morehouse and Mary Williams. Elkhart, Ind. John C. gave his Grandfather Middleton's bill fold to the reunion and the secretary is custodian of it.

- A. Hattie May b. Oct. 12, 1880, m. June 8, 1897, to Samuel Albert Kegerreis b. Nov. 26, 1871, son of David Kegerreis and Sarah Swinehart. Hornmaker, C. G. Conn Co., Elkhart, Ind. 1123 North, Elkhart, Ind.

Issue:

1. Russel Arthur b. Sept. 27, 1902, m. June 18, 1922, to Ruth C. Doty b. Mar. 12, 1901, dau. of Judson and Jennie Doty. Foreman, C. G. Conn Co., Elkhart, Ind. 619 James, Elkhart, Ind.

Issue:

- a. Richard Ellis b. Nov. 22, 1923.

- B. Charles Arthur b. Mar. 24, 1882, at Sugar Grove, Elkhart Co., Ind., m. Aug. 27, 1908, to Susan Elmira App b. Oct. 2, 1883, at Selions Grove, Penn., dau. of Samuel Leonard App and Gertrude Irene Hughes. 917 Middlebury St., Elkhart, Ind. No issue.
- C. Fred Grant b. Feb. 16, 1885, at Sugar Grove, Ind., m. Sept. 19, 1906, in Elkhart to Anna Laura Bickle b. Sept. 11, 1885, Elkhart County, dau. of Ephriam Bickle and Annie Garl. Auditor. 916 Becker, Hammond, Ind.

Issue:

1. Erma Lois b. July 2, 1909. Graduate of DePauw Univ., Greencastle, Ind. Music Supervisor.
2. John Arthur b. Sept. 14, 1925.

CHAPTER IX

*Hers is a spirit deep, and crystal-clear;
Calmly beneath her earnest face it lies,
Free without boldness, meek without a fear,
Quicker to look than speak its sympathies.*
—Lowell.

Sarah Howard Middleton, 1815-1899, the seventh child of John Middleton and Elizabeth Downing-Middleton, was born Apr. 28, 1815, in Franklin County, Ohio. Her outstanding physical characteristic was her beautiful brown hair which was such a contrast to her four sisters' black hair. Aunt Sally was married Dec. 10, 1838, by George M. Boyd, a Methodist minister, to Manasiah Minear, born Nov. 30, 1788, who was always called Uncle Charley by his nieces and nephews. The name Minear is of an old family, dating from the first John Minear who came over from Germany in 1750. Uncle Charley died Jan. 11, 1852, and is buried beside Jonathan Middleton, his brother-in-law, in the Middleton Cemetery at Elkhart, Ind.

Aunt Sally lived near Elkhart until the spring of 1866 when she with her daughters Jane and Eliza Ann Zieber, Frederick Zieber and their four children migrated to Putnam County, Mo., in a covered wagon and settled where the town of Livonia now stands. The purpose of the trip was to obtain land which, at that time, was very cheap in Missouri. The remainder of her life was lived in Missouri and she died of pneumonia at her home in Livonia on March 4, 1899, where her married daughter, Jane Sorrell, lived with her. She is buried there.

Issue:

- I. Eliza Ann Minear b. Elkhart, Ind., Sept. 26, 1839, m. Oct. 12, 1850, to Frederick Zieber. She died April 6, 1927.

Issue:

- A. Sarah, Elizabeth b. Elkhart, Ind., on Sept. 7, 1857, m. Mar. 22, 1874, at Livonia, Mo., to Scott Newkirk.

Issue:

1. Cora Alice b. Jan. 2, 1877, at Livonia, Mo., m. to John Davis.

Issue.

a. Daisy Dean.

2. William Allen b. July 3, 1822, at Livonia Mo., died Apr. 11, 1919.

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3. Leddra A. b. Nov. 15, 1890, at Livonia, Mo. 29 Broadway, Des Moines, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Virginia.

4. Jesse A. b. June 29, 1896, at Unionville, Mo.

Issue:

- a. Ruby.

5. Corda A. b. Apr. 5, 1899, at Unionville, Mo., m. a Mr. Johnson.

Issue:

- a. A son.

- B. Phebe Jane b. Dec. 8, 1860, in Elkhart, Ind., m. Nov. 6, 1894, to Clarence Davis b. July 21, 1858, d. Nov. 9, 1921. She lives at Livonia, Mo.

Issue:

1. Guernsey E. b. Mar. 31, 1899, m. June 4, 1924, to Herbert Furgason. Farmer at Livonia, Mo. No issue.

- C. William Harvey b. Apr. 23, 1862, in Elkhart, Ind., m. Sept. 12, 1900, to Alpha Mae Brenizer whose parents came from Ohio to Missouri in 1863. From the country school he went to Lancaster, Mo., and then to the State Normal at Kirksville, Mo. He received his M. D. Degree from Keokuk College of physicians and surgeons on Feb. 27, 1890. His diploma gives his residence as in Van Wert, Iowa. He moved from Queen City, Mo., to Palo Alto, Calif., in July, 1921, so the children could attend school. He passed the Medical Board of Calif. on Oct. 20, 1922. He was a member of the M. E. Church, in politics a Republican; was in perfect health and active until the middle of Sept., 1930. On Oct. 21st he called on his patients, went home and took to his bed. An operation for brain tumor on Nov. 5th at Stanford Hospital, San Francisco, caused him to rest easier, but in a few days he lost consciousness and passed away Nov. 15, 1930, at Stanford Hospital, San Francisco; funeral service in First M. E. Church, Palo Alto; remains taken to Cypress Lawn Crematory, San Francisco. At his death his friends and patients remarked how innately kind and good he was. Mrs. A. Mae Zieber lives 635 Bryant St., Palo Alto, Calif.

Issue:

1. Lola Ferris b. June 17, 1901, d. Jan. 31, 1904.
 2. Dr. Roscoe Lee b. Sept. 19, 1902, graduate of Leland Stanford University. Bakersfield, Calif.
 3. Fred Harvey b. Mar. 20, 1905, m. in San Francisco May 31, 1930, to Jennie Good b. May 25, 1907, dau. of Lloyd Good and Marie Nigro. Honolulu, T. H.

4. William Harvey Jr. b. July 4, 1910. Senior at San Jose State College, Calif.
 5. Robert Glenn b. Sept. 4, 1913. Freshman at San Jose State College, Calif.
- D. Carrie Alice b. Aug. 7, 1864, in Elkhart, Ind., d. Nov. 5, 1909, buried in St. John Cem. near Livonia, Mo., m. on Aug. 27, 1882, to James S. Davis b. Oct. 11, 1854, d. Jan. 5, 1932, son of Jacob Davis.

Issue:

1. Maude Ethel b. Aug. 23, 1883, m. Dec. 25, 1901, to Albert Neagle. 3019 E. Walnut St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Neta Bernice b. Nov. 8, 1902, m. to Sanford Underwood. Grinnell, Iowa.

Issue:

(1). May b. Oct. 28, 1922.

- b. Eva Yula b. July 23, 1905, m. to Charley Marvin, Decatur, Iowa.

Issue:

(1). Thelma Louise b. July 6, 1922.

- c. Letha Murl b. Sept. 17, 1908, m. to Mr. Torode. Des Moines, Iowa.

- d. Cecil Lavern b. Oct. 14, 1910. 3019 E. Walnut St., Des Moines, Iowa.

- e. Valeta Marie, b. Jan. 13, 1921. 3019 E. Walnut St., Des Moines, Iowa.

2. Uclair b. Apr. 19, 1885, m. Mar. 1, 1915. Barber at Denver, Colo. No issue.

3. Fred b. Apr. 10, 1887, m. Mar. 1, 1909. R. R. Brakeman. 1010 So. 2nd St., Marshall Town, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Anna Ventura.

- b. Frederick Lavern.

4. Ira Irl b. Nov. 27, 1889, d. Jan. 26, 1917, unm.

5. Ora Zetella b. Dec. 12, 1891. Primary Grade Teacher. m. Nov. 4, 1911, to Leonard Johnson b. Feb. 6, 1888, son of Arron Johnson and Anna Hoyt. Farmer. Livonia, Mo.

Issue:

- a. Alice Naomi b. Aug. 19, 1928.

6. George William b. Mar. 15, 1894, m. Oct. 22, 1914, to Minnie Raney b. Aug. 1, 1895, dau. of John R. Raney and Eliza Jane Pickering. High school teacher at Unionville, Mo.

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Issue:

- a. Mildred Juanita b. Dec. 20, 1914.
 - b. William Stanley b. Jan. 11, 1923.
 7. Ruth b. Mar. 16, 1898, d. Apr. 28, 1898.
- E. Charles Alpha b. Nov. 28, 1867, in Livonia, Mo., m. Oct. 15, 1892, to Dora A. Centers who died Dec. 16, 1893. He then m. July, 1895, to Emma Berry, Livonia, Mo.

Issue:

1. Ruby b. Dec. 16, 1893.
- F. Alonzo Omega b. May 6, 1869, m. Aug. 26, 1890, to Olive Hunt. Glenwood, Mo.

Issue:

1. Zula b. July 10, 1891, m. Aug. 26, 1909, to William Franklin Sears.

Issue:

- a. Mildred Leona b. June 4, 1910.
 - b. Cleta May b. July 23, 1912.
 - c. Orville Lesley b. Mar. 12, 1914.
 2. Nellie May b. Sept. 3, 1894, d. Oct. 18, 1913.
 3. William Chester b. Nov. 28, 1896, d. Aug. 25, 1920, in Alaska.
 4. Joseph Walter b. Apr. 19, 1899.
 5. Floyd b. May 28, 1902, d. May 25, 1919.
 6. Bessie Marie b. Oct. 9, 1904.
- G. Dillie Evalena b. in Livonia, Mo., Feb. 25, 1871, m. Oct. 27, 1895, at Lancaster, Mo., to William T. Smith b. Feb. 10, 1868, son of William G. Smith and Catherine Logan. Farmer. Livonia, Mo.

Issue:

1. Everett Ambrose b. Mar. 5, 1897, m. Aug. 25, 1920, to Wanda Dolon in Seattle, Wash. He served during the World War and for nearly a year afterward in the U. S. Navy as a member of Sousa's Band. During this time, he visited over three-fourths of the states and three other continents. He was on the U. S. S. Missouri and made three trips to France bringing the wounded soldiers home; later transferred to the U. S. S. Idaho; discharged in Seattle. He died July 2, 1923.

Issue:

- a. Amber Rae b. Oct. 5, 1922.
2. Emma Faye b. Oct. 5, 1900. Livonia, Mo.
3. Fern Naomi b. Aug. 25, 1903, m. June 23, 1928, to William Gerry Magruder: Livonia, Mo.
4. M. Lucille b. Apr. 18, 1906. Livonia, Mo.
5. Freeda Jewel b. Apr. 18, 1906, m. May 9, 1928, to Percy

Mikels b. Apr. 2, 1906, son of William Henry Mikels and Augusta Shively. Farmer. Exline, Iowa.

Issue:

a. Carol Carleta b. Apr. 8, 1929.

b. Geral Eugene b. Mar. 2, 1931.

6. Harry Osborne b. Feb. 18, 1898, d. Mar. 8, 1898.

7. Opal and Okal b. Oct. 8, 1899, d. Oct. 9, 1899.

8. Loren b. June 10, 1907, d. Aug. 22, 1907.

H. Robert Bunyan b. Mar. 5, 1877, in Livonia, Mo., m. Feb. 11, 1903, to Myrtle May Keeseecker. Santa Cruz, Calif.

Issue:

1. Floyd J. b. Nov. 28, 1903, m. Aug. 3, 1921.

Issue:

a. Amelia.

I. Jessie Agnes b. Nov. 26, 1881, d. Mar. 1, 1888.

II. Charles Wesley Minear b. Elkhart, Ind., on May 22, 1841, d. in Council Bluffs, Iowa, Feb. 6, 1920, m. about 1859 to Catherine Miller, lived for years in Kirksville, Mo.

Issue:

A. Nathan Ozias b. Feb. 13, 1861, m. Oct. 18, 1882, to Georgia Victoria Dornes, dau. of Thomas and Margaret Dornes. She died Nov. 21, 1929. Osteopathic physician, office 405 M. & M. Bldg. Res. 9 W. Liberty St., Springfield, Ohio.

Issue:

1. Nollie Omar b. July 30, 1883, d. Dec. 31, 1914.

2. Lloyd Vesper b. Jan. 10, 1886, m. June 12, 1923. Jupiter, Fla., in care of Pennock Plantation.

3. James Ford b. Nov. 6, 1887, m. June 10, 1913, to Martha Burton Rodgers, dau. of James Denny Rodgers and Elizazeth Morris. 30 Roosevelt Drive, Springfield Ohio. Osteopathic Physician, Office 405 M. & M. Bldg.

Issue:

a. James Rodgers b. Mar. 21, 1914.

b. Martha Jane b. May 21, 1917.

4. Norman Wesley b. July 3, 1890, m. Oct. 18, 1919, to Nola Margaret Garst, dau. of Harry E. and Margaret B. Garst.

5. Mabel Clair b. May 23, 1892, m. July 30, 1912, to Harry Callis Copenhaver, son of William Eggleston Copenhaver and Maud Smith. Publisher. Wharton, Texas.

Issue:

a. Harry William b. Jan. 26, 1915.

b. Marjorie Steele b. Oct. 12, 1916.

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6. Myrtle Cordelia b. May 23, 1892, m. Apr. 13, 1927, to Benjamin Ellis Seibert, son of George Todd Seybert and Alice. Atty.-at-law. Urbana, Ohio.
- B. James Franklin Minear b. Elkhart, Ind., Aug. 29, 1862, lived early part of life in Kirksville, Mo., and attended the public schools and State Normal school and the American School of Osteopathy, where he graduated in 1889 and has lived and practiced his profession in Council Bluffs, Iowa, for over thirty years. Married to Martha Loella Riley b. 1863 in Sullivan Co., Ind., dau. of Alonzo F. Riley b. 1818 in Kentucky and Lavina Jane Davis b. 1827 in Virginia, dau. of Judge Davis. 229 Wickham Blk., Council Bluffs, Iowa.
- Issue:
1. Anna Pearl b. Nov. 3, 1888, m. to Dr. Ralph F. Luse. Low Moor, Iowa.
Issue:
a. Helen Lynette b. Mar. 31, 1915.
 2. Earle b. 1892 in Kirksville, Mo., m. to Josephine Passick b. 1895, dau. of Joseph and Katherine Passick of Yankton, S. D. Salesman. 4809 Burt St., Omaha, Neb.
Issue:
a. Yvonne b. 1920.
b. Lorraine b. 1920.
 3. Edith Irene b. Oct. 4, 1893, d. Nov. 28, 1897, buried Kirksville, Mo.
 4. Charles Wesley Jr. b. Dec. 13, 1896, in Marshall, Mo., m. Feb. 10, 1925, at Council Bluffs, Iowa, to May Robinson b. Mar. 15, 1895, at Bassett, Neb., dau. of Stanford M. Robinson and Amanda Isabell May, both b. in Lucas Co., Iowa. Farmer. Council Bluffs, Iowa, R. 1.
Issue:
a. Charles Wesley.
b. Ida Louelle b. Dec. 6, 1930.
c. Mary Jane b. May 12, 1932.
 5. Gilbert Eugene b. Oct. 10, 1903, m. June 28, 1921, to Josephine McCafferty, dau. of Thomas Henry McCafferty and Clista Elizabeth Phillips. Farmer. Council Bluffs, Iowa, R. 1.
Issue:
a. Thomas Franklin b. Dec. 2, 1921.
b. Pearl May b. Aug. 8, 1923.
c. Richard Eugene b. July 12, 1928.
- C. David Minear b. 1864, d. age one and one-half years, buried Pella, Iowa.

III. Margaret Jane (Janie) Minear b. Elkhart, Ind., July 18, 1848, m. about 1885, to Wilson Sorrel. She died in Livonia, Mo., Oct. 22, 1903, and is buried there with her mother.

Issue:

A. One child, died in infancy.

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Francis Settle, ancestor of Meriman Settle in 1787 Mary Dell of
From West Riding Culpepper Co. Va. Son James b. 1806 Va.
Yorkshire, England. lived Washington Twp. Elkhart Co. Ind.
To Richmond, Va.
1656. Will probated
there 1708.

CHAPTER X

*Most gentle is she; her large charity
Not freer is to give than meek to bear,
And, though herself not unacquainted with care,
Hath in her heart wide room for all that be.*

—Lowell.

Eliza Henry Middleton, 1816-1902, the eighth child of John Middleton and Elizabeth Downing-Middleton, was born in Franklin Co., Ohio, on Dec. 15, 1816. She shared all of the deprivations of pioneer life in Ohio and Indiana with her parents, brothers, and sisters. She was the sister who came with her brothers and sister-in-law in the spring of 1829 to Elkhart Co., Ind., when only thirteen years old to choose location for the Middleton homestead, to build a one-room log cabin, to put in the crop and harvest it before returning to Franklin Co., Ohio, that fall. On April 23, 1838, she was married in Elkhart Co., Ind., by G. Rumsy, Justice of the Peace, to James Settle of an old Virginia family from Culpeper Co., Va., as Gaston Settle died there in 1707.

Uncle Jim Settle was a large man, loosely built, a typical Southerner, sometimes wore whiskers on his chin, was a very kind hearted gentleman and lived to be old. In 1854, he moved his family to near Red Rock, Marion Co., Iowa. When the Civil War began, he moved his family back to Elkhart where they stayed during the war, as the sons John, Merriman and James had enlisted in the army in Iowa. After the war, the Settle family returned to Marion Co., Iowa, and Uncle Jim died near Red Rock 1870 and is buried in the Teeter Cemetery there.

Aunt Eliza's hair was shiny black as was all her sisters except Sarah. Before her marriage she worked in the Downing Tavern at Elkhart, Ind., and later when the Tavern contents were sold she bought some of the articles. Among them was a candle stick which she gave to her youngest sister, Elizabeth Ann Mitchel, who gave it to her second daughter Rhoda who sent it by Edna Middleton Kendall Aug. 4, 1929, to her daughter Hazel May Middleton Kendall, who now possesses the cherished brass candle stick.

At one time, Aunt Eliza visited and stayed with some Downing relatives in Clinton, ~~Ind.~~ The relationship is unknown but the following copy of a letter written by the relative to Eliza's father is of much interest:

"To John Middleton, Senr.

"Elkhart or Pulaski, Ind.

"Clinton, ^{Indiana} ~~Ind.~~

"Feb. 7, 1834.

"Dear friends,

"It was with pleasure that I improve this opportunity to inform you that we are tolerable healthy at present. Hoping these few lines may find you in good health. We received a letter from Sarah Friday last requesting me to remember my promise to bring Eliza home. I would just say that I am ready at any moment to fulfill my part of the engagement. You will recollect that I told you whenever you wrote that Katherin's money was ready, I would come immediately out after it and bring Eliza home. As I do not wish to make two trips now, as soon as you will write me that Katherin's money is ready, I will come out immediately and bring Eliza home. Eliza would be very glad to see you all, but is not so homesick but that she might get married and settle in this country too. Sarah thought that if she gets married and moved to Pennsylvania that she has my best wishes for her prosperity. Eliza says you need not think it strange that if you should hear of my matrimonial engagement in my next letter. But be that as it may, if you write as I have requested, I will come and see you before I lay hold on felicity. I have frequently wrote and got but few answers. You will please to write to me immediately on the receipt of this letter. Eliza is living with me at this time and was sick some time back but has recovered. My wife had a fine son on the 23rd of January and I talk of calling him Henry Clay. We have had a very cold winter. Pork is selling from 450 to 500 better per lb. Beef from 3 to 4. Corn 33 cts. per bushel, oats 25, wheat 100, flour 100 barrel. The markets are much higher than they have ever been known in this country. You will please present my best respects and warmest wishes to all my relatives and enquiring friends. I have more to write at present that will be interesting to you but ever remain Nephew until death.

to John Middleton.

"Jonathan W. Downing

"Katharine and Family are well.

"Wm. Downing and Family are well.

"Eliza Middleton sends her love to you all and all enquiring Friends."

This letter, now in possession of Dora Mitchel-Light of Elkhart, Ind., is written in ink on a large sheet of faded paper folded so as to make its own envelope and sealed on the back with a drop of wax. The script though plainly written is of the old fashioned type and required much time to decipher.

No trace of these Downings can be found, ^{but} the ¹⁸⁵⁰ ~~land~~ ^{CENSUS and Court} records of Clinton County, ^{Indiana} ~~Ind.~~, ^{one dated 1831 show} ~~no~~ land was ever held by persons in that County under the name of Downing.

In her late years, Aunt Eliza lived much with her son, John Middleton Settle and wife Martha. She was a great lover of flowers and yearly raised herself a bed of them. She was a Dunkard and always wore plain clothes, "a

dress with cape' and her bonnet. When older, she developed cataract on her eyes and was blind in her last years. She died in Pleasantville, Iowa, Mar. 15, 1902, and is buried beside her husband in the Teeter Cemetery near Red Rock, Marion Co., Iowa.

Issue:

I. John Middleton Settle b. May 15, 1841, Elkhart, Ind.; served in the Civil War in Co. G-18 Iowa Infantry until discharged for disability, re-enlisted in hundred-day service and served until the close of the war. He was married Apr. 27, 1865, to Martha Jane Lentz b. Feb. 26, 1847, in Ross Co., Ohio, dau. of William and Mary Lentz. In 1871 he homesteaded land in Sioux Co., Iowa; in 1886 he moved to Hull, Iowa, and in 1896 to Lowry City, Mo., and died there Aug. 17, 1904. He is buried at Hull, Iowa. His wife lives at Lowry City, Mo.

Issue:

- A. Laura Esta b. May 4, 1866, in Marion Co., Iowa, attended school at Hosper, Iowa, Maukato, Minn., and Ames, Iowa, graduating from each one. She taught in Sioux Co., Iowa, Brainard, Minn., Hull, Iowa, Mitchellville, Iowa, Bismark, N. D., Des Moines, Iowa, and Pasadena, Calif. She retired in 1927 and is President of the California Retired Teachers' Association. 181 So. Berkeley Ave., Pasadena, Calif.
- B. James Herbert b. Oct. 27, 1867, d. Sept. 2, 1869. Buried Knoxville, Iowa.
- C. William Lentz b. Feb. 9, 1870; taught school one year, attended Minnesota State University to study Civil Engineering and worked at that until his death Feb. 18, 1897, at Hull, Iowa, where he is buried.
- D. Mary Estella b. Apr. 2, 1872, taught school in Sioux Co., Iowa, Nobles Co., Minn., and Benton Co., Iowa, m. Nov. 2, 1893, to John Anthony Spragle b. at Vinton, Iowa, Nov. 10, 1868, son of Jacob Spragle and Kate Major. Operates filling station and lunch room at Lowry City, Mo., where they live. No issue.
- E. John Arthur b. Apr. 30, 1874, d. Apr. 3, 1908. Engineer and farmer. Buried at Hull, Iowa.
- F. Eliza Abolene b. Apr. 9, 1876, taught in Sioux and Lyon Co., Iowa, m. Apr. 10, 1897, to Charles Frederiek Hoffman, son of Charles Augustus Hoffman and Tresa Shuman of Pineknayville, Ill. Registered pharmacist. 310 W. 4th St., Coffeyville, Kan.

Issue:

- 1. Helen Elizabeth b. Jan. 10, 1899, m. Nov. 9, 1919, to William W. Grigg b. July 29, 1899, son of George R. Grigg and Lavina Carey. Owns mills and manufactures cereals, flour and feed. 410 W. 4th St., Coffeyville, Kan.

Issue:

- a. Shirley Margarite b. Nov. 27, 1922.
- b. Beverly Ann b. Sept. 27, 1929.
- 2. Ruth M. b. Nov. 11, 1900, d. Sept. 11, 1901.
- 3. Karl Howard b. July 22, 1902, m. Aug. 16, 1923, to Onieta Mary Schooley, dau. of Russell Jacob Schooley and Harriet Elizabeth Green. Statistician for the Missouri & Pacific Railroad. 1412 C South Ohio St., Sedalia, Mo.

Issue:

- a. Karl Howard b. Sept. 30, 1931.
- 4. Harold Settle b. Oct. 24, 1904, m. Aug. 30, 1923, to Elizabeth Kathryn Graves, dau. of Orley B. Graves and Bernice Jenkins. Machinist for Missouri & Pacific Railroad. 310 W. 4th St., Coffeyville, Kan.

Issue:

- a. Richard Gene b. Sept. 16, 1924.
- G. Mahala Elizabeth b. Sept. 19, 1878, taught school in Lyons Co., Iowa, d. Sept. 15, 1898, and is buried at Hull, Iowa.
- H. Walker Burton b. Feb. 1881, d. Jan. 22, 1910, m. in 1903 to Bertha Sager.

Issue:

- 1. Burton b. July 2, 1905, m. Nov. 28, 1925, to Mary Kovar. Vienna, S. D.

Issue:

- a. Loraine Viola b. Sept. 11, 1926.
- b. Mayvone Joice b. Aug. 22, 1928.
- 2. Helen Viola b. May 21, 1907, m. May 31, 1925, to John Leo Polyak. Vienna, S. D.

Issue:

- a. John Sterling Dowane b. Jan. 3, 1927.
- I. Charles Fred b. Nov. 5, 1882, d. Nov. 10, 1911.
- J. Ernest Albert b. Oct. 28, 1885, m. Nov. 23, 1918, to Ola Bell Roberts b. July 14, 1901, in St. Clair Co. Mo., dau. of James Henry Robert and Sophier Alice Randall. Interior decorator. Lowry City, Mo.

Issue:

- 1. Kelsey Lee b. Sept. 1, 1919, d. Oct. 26, 1919.
- 2. Robert Middleton b. Feb. 6, 1921.
- 3. Estella May b. Oct. 1, 1922.
- 4. Charles Howard b. Aug. 6, 1924.
- 5. Mildred Ernestine b. Mar. 16, 1926.
- 6. William Lentz b. Nov. 25, 1927.
- 7. Mabel Elizabeth b. June 1, 1929, d. same day.
- 8. Forest Dale b. Aug. 8, 1930.

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K. Benjamin Harrison b. Oct. 9, 1887, at Hull, Iowa, m. July 4, 1909, to Della Florence Carver b. Jan. 6, 1890, dau. of John Carver and Emma Todd. Railroad Clerk. 302 E. Jefferson St., Clinton, Mo.

Issue:

1. Imogene b. Dec. 12, 1916, high school student specializing in music.

II. Marriman Wade Settle b. Jan., 1842³⁹, served in the Civil War and never came home from the War but went to Indian Territory now Oklahoma, and was not heard from for many years, when he finally returned to Pleasantville, Iowa, where a family reunion was held and a group picture taken. In Oklahoma he married three times to Indian women, died and is buried there. He had one son by the second wife, who lived to be twenty-one years old and died.

III. Elizabeth Settle^{b. 1844} m. to Marten Myers and lived in Schuyler Co., Mo. Her father and brother Marriman who went to see her found her ill and returned for her mother and Aunt Sarah Minear but when they reached her she had passed away. She was buried at Lancaster, Mo., in 1866. She left a baby which died soon afterwards.

IV. James Downing Settle b. Nov. 27, 1848, in Elkhart, Ind., m. Susie Lawrence, dau. of a family who lived on a farm between Elkhart and Bristol. Two weeks after his marriage, he volunteered in the Civil War. His wife died in a year and so did her baby four years later. After serving in the Civil War he m. in Iowa to Mary Jane Phillips and moved to Nebraska where he died of paralysis in June and in January his body was removed to Iowa. He is the only child buried beside his parents in Teeter's Cem. near Red Rock, Marion Co., Iowa.

Issue:

A. Nora m. to Ben Davis and has three children. 2410 4th Ave., Council Bluffs, Iowa.

V. Dorothea Settle b. Elkhart Co. Ind., Dec. 7, 1847, m. at Red Rock, Iowa, Sept. 13, 1868, d. at her home in Knoxville, Iowa, Mar. 18, 1931. She m. John Garrison b. in Park Co., Ind., Dec. 11, 1838, oldest son of James Garrison and Louise Ellis b. in Kentucky. He came to Iowa in 1850, enlisted in the Union Army from Pella, Iowa, in Company G-33 Iowa Infantry and served more than two years. He was a member of the John A. Logan Post G. A. R. and she was a member of the Relief Corps. He died Nov. 7, 1913. They were M. E. Church members and are buried with their young children in Oveston Cem. near Knoxville and their old home.

Issue:

A. James William Garrison b. near Monroe, Iowa, June 19, 1869, d. Jan. 24, 1916, m. Dec. 17, 1890, to Nora Blanch Harvey. Black-

smith. Buried in Restland Cem. at Baxter, Iowa.

Issue:

1. Cora Maude b. Feb. 21, 1892, m. Mr. Kline. Lives in Des Moines, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Edward Douglas b. Nov. 3, 1910.
 - b. James Willis b. Sept. 8, 1912.
 - c. Russell Pyrlle b. June 8, 1914.
 - d. Delbert Worren b. June 5, 1916.
2. Ollie Garrison b. Mar. 18, 1893, at Lucas, Iowa, m. June 14, 1912, at Wittenburg parsonage near Newton, Iowa, to Fred Schnntharst. Farmer, Laurel, Iowa. She died Dec. 13, 1917, and is buried in cemetery in St. Johns Evangelical Church north of Newton, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Louis Frederick b. June 6, 1913.
 - b. Frederick Henry b. May 3, 1915.
3. Anna Garrison b. Sept. 23, 1894, at Lucas, Iowa, taught school one year after graduating from Baxter H. S., m. June, 1915, to Will Vansice. After living on a farm ten years they moved to Baxter and after her parents' deaths they bought their home and now live at Baxter, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Billie Murray b. Jan. 25, 1916.
 - b. Marjorie Foye b. Jan. 21, 1917.
 - c. Ione Bernise b. Aug. 11, 1918.
 - d. Kenneth b. Feb. 18, 1920.
 - e. Avis Delight b. Oct. 5, 1922.
 - f. Keith b. June 9, 1925.
 - g. Donald b. Sept. 26, 1929.
 - h. Emily Ann b. May 1, 1931.
4. Clista Garrison b. June 9, 1896, Jasper Co., Iowa, m. Dec. 25, 1920, in Des Moines, Iowa, to Everett F. Meyer, who died Jan. 13, 1929, and is buried at Restland Cem., Baxter, Iowa. Office employee. 424 W. 2nd St., South Newton, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Myron Charles b. June 30, 1921.
5. James LeRoy Garrison b. July 6, 1898, Marion Co., Iowa, d. June 2, 1899.
 6. Faye Garrison b. Sept. 21, 1899, Lucas Co., Iowa, attended Cedar Falls, Iowa, school and taught school one year, m. April 30, 1919, at Des Moines, Iowa, to Carl Bowers

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and lives on a farm ten miles north and east of Newton, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Carol Ellen b. Nov. 13, 1919.
- b. Ruth Lo Rena b. Feb. 18, 1921.

7. Fred Robert Garrison b. Oct. 30, 1901, m. Jan. 11, 1928, at Des Moines, Iowa, to Ruth Caroline Klappenburg who died Oct. 30, 1931, a few minutes after an automobile accident and is buried at Restland Cemetery, Baxter, Iowa. He and daughter live with his sister Faye Bowers.

Issue:

- a. Lorena Ollie.

8. Neva Garrison b. Sept. 13, 1906, at Pleasantville, Iowa, m. July 9, 1928, to R. L. Dustin. Printer. 424 W. 2nd St., South Newton, Iowa.

- B. Charles Wesley Garrison b. Jan. 20, 1870, m. Dec. 18, 1894, to Ella G. Mackie b. Oct. 1, 1873. Retail merchant. Mt. Hope, Kan.

Issue:

1. Myrtle Arlene b. Sept. 24, 1895, m. June 21, 1918, to Herman Ellis Johnson b. Apr. 11, 1895, d. Mar. 10, 1921. She lives at Mt. Hope, Kan.

Issue:

- a. Margery Virginia b. Apr. 12, 1919.
- b. Franklin Dale b. Nov. 19, 1920.

2. Paul Jennings b. Aug. 15, 1897, m. May 13, 1925, to Ellen Gronniger b. Jan. 17, 1903. Dentist. Marion, Kan.

Issue:

- a. Mildred Ione b. Nov. 3, 1926.
- b. James Ray b. Aug. 16, 1929.

3. Pearl Mackie b. May 29, 1900, m. Nov. 24, 1921, to Estella Upton b. Feb. 28, 1904. Clerk. Mt. Hope, Kan.

Issue:

- a. Mary Jane b. Sept. 28, 1922.

4. Mildred Ione b. May 31, 1903, d. Mar. 13, 1923.
5. Vivian Donald b. May 10, 1906, m. May 29, 1930, to Dorothy Bardshar b. July 8, 1910. Editor newspaper. Mt. Hope, Kan.
6. William David b. Mar. 25, 1909, d. Feb. 13, 1910.
7. Helen Ruth b. Apr. 27, 1911. Piano instructor. Mt. Hope, Kan.

- C. Ida Mae Garrison b. near Monroe, Iowa, Dec. 2, 1873, m. July 22, 1891, at Knoxville, Iowa, to Parmes P. Harvey, a brother of James Garrison's wife. Member Daughters of Union Veterans Tent No. 6. 411 Bell Ave., Des Moines, Iowa.

Issue:

1. Raymond Clifford b. Feb. 28, 1893, in Knoxville, Iowa, m. Nov. 15, 1915, to Elizabeth B. Field b. June 27, 1894. Lives in Des Moines, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Betty Alice May b. Aug. 12, 1916.
 - b. Ruth Maxine b. Nov. 7, 1917.
 - c. Raymond Eugene b. May 10, 1921.
 - d. Evelyn Lorene b. May 23, 1922.
 - e. Robert Paul b. Aug. 30, 1923.
 - f. Carol Irene b. Feb. 23, 1925.
 - g. Donald Victor b. May 10, 1926.
 - h. Richard Earl b. Apr. 1, 1930.
2. Earl Sampson b. July 5, 1895, m. April, 1921, to Violet Mae Heartenshire. He served with the famous Rainbow 42nd Division; was gassed in France. Supt. Beekins Ware House, Beverly Hills, Calif. 2622 So. Mansfield St., Los Angeles, Calif.
 3. Bess Myrtle b. Aug. 2, 1897, Knoxville, Iowa. Accountant. Los Angeles, Calif.
 4. Ernest Floyd b. June 28, 1900, at Doma, Iowa, and lives with his parents.
 5. Victor Clyde b. Nov. 21, 1904, m. Apr. 17, 1926, to Della E. Reeck b. Aug. 22, 1905. Employee Telephone Co. 1706 No. 7th St., Des Moines, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Videll b. Oct. 14, 1926.
- b. Victor Jr. b. Jan. 25, 1928.
- c. Infant dau. b. Apr. 25, 1930, d. May 4, 1930.

D. Frank Garrison d. when young.

E. Pearl Eldon Garrison b. Feb. 23, 1877, m. Feb. 20, 1900, to Daisy L. Wingert. Bridge Contractor. 1211 W. 40th St., Kansas City, Mo.

Issue:

1. Florence Lorena b. June 25, 1901, m. Aug. 2, 1920, to Robert C. St. Clair. Fruit ranch in California.
2. Harold M. b. Aug. 1, 1904. Auditor.
3. Pearl Eldon Jr. b. Apr. 12, 1918.

F. John Milton Garrison b. Mar. 1879, m. Feb. 5, 1900, to Grace Alice Mackie at Mt. Hope, Kan. Served in Spanish War. She d. Dec. 20, 1909. He lives at Attica, Kan. General mercantile business:

Issue:

1. Gladys Elizabeth b. Mar. 26, 1901. Nurse at Harper's Hospital, Detroit, Mich.

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2. Edith Marie b. July 18, 1903, m. July 23, 1927, to Dr. Austin Riddle.
3. Vera Blanch b. Nov. 4, 1908. Nurse at Harper's Hospital, Detroit, Mich.

John married Dec. 14, 1910, to Grace Gordon.

Issue:

4. John Gordon b. Jan. 28, 1912.
5. Richard b. Mar. 5, 1914.
6. Marian b. June, 1916.
7. Charles b. Aug. 8, 1918.
8. Imogene b. Feb., 1921.

G. Anna Eliza Garrison b. Jan. 6, 1884, m. Jan. 25, 1899, to Gene Bucklew. She died Mar. 4, 1926.

Issue:

1. Don Parker b. Mar. 4, 1900, m. and lives on farm south of Knoxville, Iowa.
2. Dale b. July 2, 1901, d. Oct. 6, 1923, result of automobile accident.
3. Vera Mae b. Feb. 13, 1920, lives with father's sister. 1409 No. Robinson St., Knoxville, Iowa.

VI. Enoch Haddock Settle b. 1848. When 16 years of age he ran away to volunteer in Civil War enlisting in a Michigan Regiment at Coldwater, Mich. His father was going to bring him back but, when found out he had given his age as twenty-one, he let him go. This was in the winter of 1863. He was wounded while trying to get a canteen of water between the two armies. Uncle Billy Middleton was with him in the army. Enoch took Uncle Billy's canteen and his own to the well to fill them. After both canteens had been filled and he had started back, he was shot in the knee, was taken to Atlanta Hospital, and died in Aug. 1864. The family did not learn of his death until the next February. He is buried at Atlanta, Ga., in the National Cemetery there.

VII. Sarah Jane (Aunt Sade) Settle b. Sept. 24, 1849, came to Iowa July, 1854, landed in Des Moines July 4th, m. in 1870 to a Civil War Veteran by the name of Sutton who died May 9, 1899. She spends some winters in the Soldiers' Home in Marshalltown, Iowa, but lives at Pleasantville, Iowa, with her sister Eliza. No issue.

VIII. Eliza Ann (Aunt Lide) Settle b. Nov. 12, 1852, in Elkhart Co., Ind., and moved with her parents to Marion Co., Iowa, in July 18, 1854, m. July 27, 1872, to James William Amos b. Nov. 12, 1844, d. Oct. 3, 1899, of tuberculosis at Pleasantville, Iowa. A farmer b. in Highland Co., Ohio, moved with his father in the spring of 1847 to Marion Co., Iowa. He is buried in Teeter's Cem. there. She lives at Pleasantville, Iowa.

Issue:

- A. Matilda Jane b. Aug. 5, 1873, d. July 17, 1875.
- B. Emma Jane b. Aug. 5, 1873, d. Sept. 6, 1873.
- C. Miles Arten b. Oct. 10, 1877, d. Nov. 1888.
- D. Alfred E. b. May 24, 1883, d. of tuberculosis in Colorado Springs, Colo., Apr. 17, 1932. ~~Married.~~
- E. Susan b. Feb. 7, 1885, m. a Mr. Foote and d. at Ft. Worth, Texas, in 1930.
- F. Forry C. b. Apr. 2, 1888, m. Aug. 25, 1905, to W. B. Mayabb. Cherokee, Okla.

Issue:

- 1. Walter b. Oct. 2, 1906.
- 2. Nadine b. Dec. 25, 1907.

G. Mariman Wade b. Jan. 1892, d. Dec. 13, 1896.

H. Roy Lee b. Jan. 19, 1896, d. July 26, 1898.

- IX. William Wesley Settle b. Nov. 21, 1856, m. Elizabeth Collings and went to Oklahoma when the strip was opened and was there when the run for land was made, and died there years later. *Apr. 8, 1887 Princeton, Mo. He d. July 17, 1928, buried Stella Cem. near Cherokee, Okla.*

Issue: A. Audrey. Gladys b. Sept. 8, 1887 m. Feb. 14, 1909 Harry Hoffman d. Aug 22, 1910

Issue:

- 1. ^{Alma} Deleel. b. Nov. 28, 1909 m. Apr. 19, 1928 Harley Fox Fisher ^(Dolores May 2, 1929) ^(Bobby Joe Oct. 18, 1930)

- X. David Franklin Settle b. Dec. 23, 1859, at Red Rock, Iowa, and m. there to Emma Catherine Hoffman b. Nov. 21, 1861, at Leesburg, Highland Co., Ohio, dau. of Samuel Hoffman and Irene Taylor. Retired farmer. Sibley, Iowa.

Issue:

- A. James Franklin b. Dec. 16, 1880, near Red Rock, Iowa, m. 1902 at Cherokee, Okla., to Gertrude Dayton who died Aug. 1904.

Issue:

- 1. Minnie, died 1918.

He married in 1905 to Della Jones and has an adopted son John 13 years old. Farmer at Byron, Okla.

- B. Eliza Effie b. Oct. 8, 1881, at Knoxville, Iowa, m. Apr. 1, 1900, to Charles F. Johnson b. Feb. 12, 1872, d. Mar. 25, 1927, son of John E. Johnson and Sophie U. Eliza, m. Dec. 31, 1931, to Major F. Waltz, farmer, at Allendorf, Iowa.

Issue:

- 1. Ora Raymond b. Sept. 27, 1900, m. Oct. 5, 1921. Undertaker. Omaha, Neb. No issue.
- 2. Victor Franklin b. Feb. 2, 1902, m. to Mary Lutterman at Sibley, Iowa, on June 14, 1922. Farmer. Allendorf, Iowa.

Issue:

- a. Dwane b. Nov. 6, 1923.
- b. Wilma Jean b. Dec. 17, 1925.

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- c. Lorna Mae b. Aug. 25, 1926.
 - d. Dona Elaine b. Sept. 16, 1927.
 - e. Mavis Joy b. July 8, 1930.
 - f. Elden Leroy b. May 22, 1932.
3. Clarence Wilbur b. Aug. 17, 1904, d. May 17, 1925, at Sibley, Iowa, m. to Ellen Baurley.
- Issue:
- a. Clarence Wilbur Jr. b. Aug. 19, 1924, lives with with his mother, Mrs. John Stopsac, Ocheyden, Iowa.
4. Edith Emma b. Oct. 6, 1909, m. Apr. 16, 1926, to Winfield Brand, son of Edd Brand. Painter and carpenter. Sibley, Iowa.
- Issue:
- a. Marion Louise b. Dec. 4, 1926.
 - b. Winfield Jr. b. June 26, 1928.
 - c. Maxine Lavonne b. June 31, 1931.
5. Nora Wilma b. Nov. 17, 1913. High school student.
6. John David b. May 19, 1917.
- C. Sarah Elizabeth b. Sept. 15, 1883, at Pleasantville, Iowa, m. Nov. 4, 1901, to Michael Hand, b. Sept. 2, 1880, son of Frank Hand and Mary Owens, of Irish extraction, from Clinton Co., Iowa. Carpenter. Sibley, Iowa.
- Issue:
- 1. Francis David b. Sept. 27, 1902, at Bigelow, Minn., m. June 1923, to Anita Smith at Omaha, Neb. Carpenter. Sibley, Iowa.
- Issue:
- a. Francis Jr. b. Mar. 8, 1924.
 - b. Rosemary Ann b. Oct. 16, 1925.
- Francis m. Mar. 19, 1932, to Evelyn Thomas.
- 2. Naomi Pearl b. July 4, 1905, at Bigelow, Minn.
- D. LeRoy Burton b. July 2, 1887, at Liberty Center, Iowa, m. 1913 at Driftwood, Okla., to Lizzie Smith. Farmer. Byron, Okla.
- Issue:
- 1. LeRoy b. June 25, 1914.
 - 2. Lucile Naomi b. July 4, 1917.
- E. Addie b. near Rushmore, Minn., Feb. 5, 1891, d. 1894.*
- F. Anna Esta b. Mar. 21, 1896, d. Sept. 1, 1914.
- G. Maggie Maude b. Oct. 27, 1895, m. in Omaha, Neb., Apr. 23, 1912, to William Aust b. in Germany. Landscape Gardener. 4010 Franklin St., Omaha, Neb.

Issue:

1. Augusta b. July 17, 1913, m. June 7, 1930, to Vernon Stull
2614 So. Marys Ave., Omaha, Neb.
2. Otto b. Jan. 31, 1915.
3. Frederick b. May 22, 1916.
4. Henry b. Dec. 9, 1917.
5. Effie b. Feb. 13, 1918.
6. Louise b. May 7, 1919.
7. Helen b. Sept. 21, 1923.
8. Dorothy b. Nov. 4, 1926.

H. Charles Wesley Settle b. June 17, 1889 Pleasantville, Iowa.
m. Jan. 10, 1912 Omaha, Nebr. to Bella McClay b. Oct. 13, 1885.
Her parents live Scotland. He d. Oct. 11, 1930 Omaha, Nebr.
3032 So. 60th St.

Issue:

1. Charles b. Mar. 11, 1913
2. Margaret Jane b. Jan. 16, 1916
3. Robert b. April 11, 1919
4. Darina b. Jan. 29, 1922