

Descendants of Edward Swann

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Generation No. 1

1. EDWARD² SWANN (*SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born Abt. 1630 in England or Swann's Point, Virginia, and died Abt. 1708 in Charles County, Maryland. He married SUSANNAH HEATH December 09, 1664 in Charles County, Maryland. She was born Abt. 1640 in England, and died Bef. July 24, 1740.

Notes for EDWARD SWANN: Edward immigrated to the U.S. in 1662 (source: SKORDAS, GUST, editor. *The Early Settlers of Maryland: an Index to Names of Immigrants, Compiled from Records of Land Patents*, 1633-1680, in the Hall of Records, Annapolis, Maryland. Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., 1968. 525p. Repr. 1986).

Note: "Returned to England after his mother died in 1636. (Bushey). In 1638, his brother Thomas Swann brought Edward, then about 8 years old, back to Swann's Point, Virginia. On May 4, 1663, Edward was serving as Constable and Coroner in Charles County, Virginia. Edward Swann founded Eagleton Plantation of Maryland in 1662. On 9 Dec 1664, Edward was granted 1200 acres of land mostly in Charles Co, MD, by Lord Baltimore" (source: <http://sites.rootsmagic.com/Worland/individual.php?p=2689>). This information has not been verified by the author of this working file.

Children of EDWARD SWANN and SUSANNAH HEATH are:

2. i. SUSANNAH³ SWANN, b. Abt. 1652, St. Mary's County, Maryland; d. 1740, William & Mary Parish, Charles County, Maryland.
- ii. EDWARD SWANN, b. Abt. 1667, St. Mary's County, Maryland; d. Abt. April 01, 1712, Baltimore County, Maryland; m. MARY PARKER, Bef. December 04, 1696, Calvert County, Maryland; b. Abt. 1665.
Notes for EDWARD SWANN: Edward Swann 33B.114 I BA £28.4.3 Apr 28 1712
Appraisers: Garret Gilbert, John Gallon.
Next of kin: Elisabeth Durham.
Mentions: widow (unnamed).
List of debts: John Hall, George Chaney, Thomas Bucknall, George Wells, Humphry Jones, Thomas Macknemar per Roger Mathews, William Cooks, Anthony Bale, John Browne, Roger Matthews, Larrance Draper, Anthony Drew, Francis Boothby, James Preabury, Obedia Prigett, Samuel Jackson, John Stooks, Francis Holland.
3. iii. JAMES SWANN, CAPT., b. 1672, Charles Co, MD; d. 1707, St. Mary's County, Maryland.
4. iv. THOMAS SWANN, b. 1674, St. Mary's County, Maryland; d. 1763, Prince George's Co, MD, age 89.
5. v. SAMUEL SWANN, b. 1676, MD; d. June 01, 1743, Charles Co, MD.

Generation No. 2

2. SUSANNAH³ SWANN (*EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born Abt. 1652 in St. Mary's County, Maryland, and died 1740 in William & Mary Parish, Charles County, Maryland¹. She married PHILLIP BRISCOE Abt. 1672 in St. Mary's County, Maryland. He was born 1647 in Charles Co, Maryland, and died Abt. 1724 in Charles Co, Maryland.

Notes for SUSANNAH SWANN: Will (45), 5 Feb 1740-24 Jul 1740, Charles Co., Maryland, USA

5 Feb 1739: Will Susannah Briscoe

to son Philip: Negros, Susannah, Dinah, & Pete, feather bed, sheets, rug, silver tankard, 2 silver spoons, stove pan, mill stone, large looking glass, candle, book "Sun & Substance of Christian Religion", hand irons, son James Negro, Peter & Catherine, money, sheets, bed, rocker, pt. plate, cow & calf, bran kettle, largest glan, largest book "Bishop Hall Works",

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Samuel Williamson Briscoe son of son John Briscoe deceased Negro, Susannah; grand son Philip Briscoe son of John Briscoe deceased Negro Sarah;
grand daughter, Martha Wilson daughter John Wilson feather bed, sheets, quilt, curtains;
grand daughter Elizabeth Briscoe cubbord;;
grand son James Briscoe son of son John Briscoe deceased heifer,
grand son Hezekiah Briscoe son of John Briscoe deceased 1 shilling;
daughter Ann Wood Negro James, trunk old wearing apparel, crepe brown petticoat, a shift apron;
give to grand daughter Elizabeth Garner & two bundles wool cord;
grand son William Howard a heifer, remaining pt.
Sarah Howard children 1 shilling each,
grand son John Briscoe son of John Briscoe deceased dishes pewter;
grand daughter Mary Howard best trunk;
grand daughter Sarah Barber/Parker 6 pewter platters,
to each of Susan Compton's children 1 shilling;
grand son John Davis heifer;
grand daughter Mary Wood daughter Ann Wood 1 iron pot.
(Note Ann Briscoe Davis Wood had a daughter Mary by her 1st husband did she have a daughter Mary by her second husband or did Mary marry a Wood).
Grand daughter Mary Briscoe heifer,
grand son George Davis iron pot,
grand son Leonard Briscoe 1 shilling,
grand daughter Judith's children 1 shilling each,
brother Samuel Swann corn,
grand daughter Rebecca Briscoe 1 heifer,
grand son Williamson Briscoe & Henry Smoot 1 shilling (note certainly great grand sons): July 24, 1740 Will dated Feb. 5, 1740, proved, sons Philip & James, Exec

Child of SUSANNAH SWANN and PHILLIP BRISCOE is:

- i. JOHN⁴ BRISCOE, CAPT., b. Abt. 1675.

3. JAMES³ SWANN, CAPT. (*EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE*¹ *WILLIAM)*) was born 1672 in Charles Co, MD, and died 1707 in St. Mary's County, Maryland¹. He married JUDITH GOLDSMITH August 07, 1688 in St. Mary's County, Maryland¹, daughter of JOHN GOLDSMITH. She was born Abt. 1662 in Charles Co, MD, and died Aft. 1736.

Notes for JAMES SWANN, CAPT.: Nov. 1689 - James Swann (St. Mary's Co.), Protestant and soldier in the Maryland Revolution of 1689; signed an address and took a loyalty oath supporting the King of England and the reestablishment of the Catholic Lord Baltimore into power on Nov. 28, 1689; captain by 1703. Source: Peden, *Colonial Maryland Soldiers*, p. 340, citing Archives of Maryland, Vol. 8, p. 146, and Maryland Prerogative Court, Inventories & Accounts, Liber 24, p. 32 and Liber 28, p. 217.

16 Jun 1696; James Swan, carpenter, recd payment for carpenter work in the lifetime of John Goldsmith, late of St. Mary's Co. (SMAA, p. 96)

1699 - James Swann is a Justice of the St. Mary's Co., Md. Court. Source: Hammett, Regina C., "History of St. Mary's County, Maryland, 1634-1990," p. 58.

James Swann lived in St. Mary's Co. and d. there intestate June 19, 1707 (inventory date.) Source: Maryland Prerogative Court, Inventories & Accounts, Liber 27, p. 145.

26 May 1708; Capt. James Swann; acct.; £86.19.11; £45.17.4; 26 May 1708; admx.; extx. Judith Swann (I&A 28.217)

26 May 1708; acct. of Capt. James Swann, St. Mary's Co.; £86.19.11; payments £45.17.4; acct. includes "Jonathan White for preaching a funeral sermon for the deed and one other sermon for his father"; admx. Judeth Swann (SMAA p. 169)

3 Apr 1710; acct of Capt. James Swan, St. Mary's Co.; £79.0.3; payments £104.4.7; inventory amt. £89.0.2; balance (overpaid) £15.3.10; widow, relict and admx. Judith Swann (SMAA, p. 208)

Capt. James Swan; acct; St. Mary's Co.; £79.6.3; £104.4.7; 3 Apr 1710; admx. Judith Swan (widow) (I&A 31.85)

Notes for JUDITH GOLDSMITH: Williamson, Samuel, gent., St. Mary's County, 19th June, 1713.
(Articles of agreement with Judith Swann, widow,)

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In consideration of marriage to be consummated bet. sd. parties, the sd. Samuel agrees as follows:

1st. Denies for himself and hrs. any rights or interest to any pt. of personal estate of sd. Judith, and gives his free consent for sd. Judith to dispose of personal estate poss. by her before marriage to her child as to her shall seem fit.
2nd. Should sd. Judith survive him, the sd. Samuel agrees that she shall poss. his entire personal estate during her lifetime, relinquishing for herself and hrs. all interest in his real estate, excepting a certain rent to be pd. to her annually during her widowhood. The afsd. Wilkinson gives bond for £500, dated 19th June, 1713, to Thomas Swan., carpenter, of Charles Co. trustee of Judith Swann, of Saint Mary's County, widow of Capt. James Swann, of sd. County, dec'd. Test: Philip Briscoe, Edward Lorde. 19,857.

Swann, Brian P. *Swann Families of Maryland and Elsewhere in the USA*. Unpublished Manuscript. June 2012
E-mail address: bps@norvic8.force9.co.uk

Children of JAMES SWANN and JUDITH GOLDSMITH are:

6. i. JAMES⁴ SWANN, b. 1690, Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland; d. 1746, Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland.
- ii. SUSANNAH SWANN, b. Abt. 1691, MD; d. Bef. 1732; m. (1) JOHN ATTAWAY, CAPT.; b. Abt. 1678; m. (2) THOMAS HATTON.
7. iii. THOMAS SWANN, b. 1692, Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland; d. 1763, Charles County, Maryland.
- iv. JEREMIAH SWANN, b. Abt. 1694, MD.

4. THOMAS³ SWANN (*EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born 1674 in St. Mary's County, Maryland, and died 1763 in Prince George's Co, MD, age 89. He married CATHERINE BURCH 1698 in Prince George's County, Maryland. She was born 1683 in Newport, Charles County, Maryland, and died Aft. 1762.

Notes for THOMAS SWANN: supposedly born 1674 in Chs. County, MD, died between April 1762 & June 1763 in Prince George's County, Maryland. Catherine Burch & Thomas Swann, had children: Edward, who mar. Eleanor? and/or Jane Thomas; Thomas Swann Jr. b. 1706; Samuel Swann, living in 1778 in Prince George's County, Maryland; James Swann, mar. by June 1743, Anne Willett; John Burch Swan; Hezekiah Swann; Benjamin Swann; Barbara Swan, mar. Samuel Copeland & John Fraser.

SWAN, THOMAS, Prince George's Co. 15 Apr, 1762; 14 Sept, 1763

Wife Catharine, son Edward, grand-son Thomas Swann, son of Samuel Swann.

To grand-dau, Eleanor Swann, furniture.

To son Samuel, slaves,

To son Edward, personalty.

Ex: Son Edward.

Wit: Richard Estsep, John Ramsey Leach, Tho. Taylor. 31.1025

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Thomas Swann (planter) 84.365 PG £72.1.3 Jun 20 1764

(also Thomas Swan)

Appraisers: Robert Wall, Thomas Wall.

Creditors: Charles Grahame attorney for James Russell.

Next of kin: Samel Swan, James Swan.

Administrator: Edward Swan.

Prince George's Land Records 1739-1743 - Liber Y - Page 66.

Jul 9, 1739 from Thomas Swann Jr of PG, to Thomas Swann Sr of PG, for divers good causes and for 30 ?, a certain tract of land in PG called Forrest, and bounded by the north side of a branch commonly called Mire Branch, containing about 197 acres. Signed - Thos Swann Jr. Wit - John Burch Swann, Hezekiah Swann. Know that I, Thomas Swann Jr, party to the within deed, hereby appoint my brother, Edward Swann of PG, planter, my true and lawful attorney, to acknowledge the right sd 197 acres to be in my father, Thomas Swann, the other party within named. Signed Jul 9, 1739 - Thos Swann Jr. Wit - Hezekiah Swann, Henry Bartholomew. This deed was acknowledged by Edward Swann before Pet Dent* and Tho Owen*. Recorded Jul 17, 1739.

Charles County, Maryland Liber L#2, Page 115. At the request of Thomas Swann Jr, the following depositions were recorded this Feb 21, 1723.

CC. May 2, 1723. The deposition of Thoms Swann Sr of Pr. Geo: County, aged 49 years or thereabouts, concerning a bounded poplar, the 1st bound tree of a tract of land called Eaglton, lying in CC upon the branches of Piles Fresh. This deponent declares that his father (viz) Edwd Swann, "about 30 years last past, took this deponent into the woods & told him he would show him the 1st bound tree of his land, for none as yet know it but himself, & showed him a bounded poplar where this deponent now is standing, by a small branch near the head of the sd branch, and told this deponent it was the first bounded tree of his and called Eaglton.

The deposition of Samuel Swann, aged 47 years or thereabouts, concerning a bounded poplar, a bounded tree of a tract of land called Eaglton, lying in CC on some of the branches of Piles Fresh. This deponent declares, that about 30 years last past, this deponent was in they woods with his brother, Thomas Swann Sr, & he showed him a bounded poplar standing by the side of a small branch near the head, of sd branch (where this deponent now is) and told him it was one of the bound trees of their father's land & his father showed it to him. Signed - Jno Briscoe.

Children of THOMAS SWANN and CATHERINE BURCH are:

8. i. EDWARD⁴ SWANN, b. 1700, Charles Co, Maryland; d. Abt. 1762, Mattapany Hundred, Prince George's County, Maryland.
- ii. THOMAS SWANN.
- iii. SAMUEL SWANN.
- iv. JAMES SWANN, m. ANNE WILLETT.

5. SAMUEL³ SWANN (EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)) was born 1676 in MD, and died June 01, 1743 in Charles Co, MD. He married ANNE BURCH. She died Aft. 1760.

Notes for SAMUEL SWANN: June 1, 1743- Charles County, Maryland Will book Liber DD#2 Folio 99-100
Last Will and Testament of Samuel Swann (father of Samuel Swann) MacGruders Vol 23, page 136

In the Name of God Amen, I Samuel Swann of Charles County being very sick and weak in body but of perfect sense and memory / thanks be to Almighty God for the same/ Calling to mind the uncertainty of this Life and knowing that it is appropriate for all men, once to die do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament in manner and form following~ Imprimis. I give and bequeath my soul into the hands of God that gave it me hoping through the mercies and merits of Jesus Christ my blessed Savior and Redeemer to obtain Joyful Resurrection the Last Day.

Item. I give and Bequeath my Body to the Earth to be buried in a decent and Christian Manner according to the discretion of my Executor and for what Worldly goods it has pleased Almighty God bless me with, I give and dispose of in manner and form following~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Edward Swann eighty acres of land being part of a tract of Land called Egleton and lying on the south side of the Mill Branch being my now dwelling plantation to be possessed and enjoyed by him the said Edward Swann and his heirs forever after the decease of my well beloved wife Ann Swann. ~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Samuel Swann one feather bed and covering.~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Mercer Swann one feather bed and covering.~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Burch Swann one shilling and no more.~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved daughter Susannah Wheeler one shilling and no more.~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved daughter Elizabeth Wheeler one shilling and no more.~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved daughter Barbara Muggleston one shilling and no more.~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved daughter Sarah Dyer a guide cow big with calfs and no more.~

Item. I give and bequeath unto my well beloved son Edward Swann one red heifer big with calfs and no more.~and all my personal estate.

Item. I hereby nominate constitute appoint and ordain my well beloved wife Anne Swann and my son Edward Swann as Executors of this my Last Will and Testament hereby utterly revoking and disannulling any other will or wills by me formerly made or done and acknowledging this and no other to be my Last Will and Testament. In Testimony where of I have here unto set my hand and my seal this 17th day of April Anno Dom 1743.

Signed Sealed Delivered and acknowledged to be the Last Will Samuel Swann and Testament of Samuel Swann in presence of us

Samuel Amery

Benjamin Thorn

Benjamin B. King ~ This will containing two pages

At the foot of the foregoing will was annexed the following probate viz~
Charles County Sv. On the 1st day of June 1743, came Samuel Amery - Benjamin Thorne and Benjamin King
subscribing witnesses to the above will and made oath on the holy Evangelists that they said Samuel Swann the
Testator signed the same and heard him publish and declare to be his Last Will and Testament and that at the Time
of his so doing he was of sound and disposing mind and memory to the best of their apprehensions and that severally
subscribed their names thereto as witnesses in the presence of the Testator and at his request.
Before Walter Hanson DCom.y.

Generation No. 3

6. JAMES⁴ SWANN (JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)) was born 1690 in Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland¹, and died 1746 in Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland¹. He married MARY THEOBALD 1710 in Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland¹, daughter of JOHN THEOBALD and MARY. She was born Abt. 1695 in Charles Co, MD¹, and died Aft. 1768 in Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland.

Notes for JAMES SWANN:

1-1 James Swann, Jr., b. ca 1690, age 52 in 1742, Charles Co. (MD); d. by 1746 St. Mary's Co.; m. by 1746 Mary Theobalds; d. aft. 1747; d/o John Theobalds and Mary ____; [see Theobalds family] from 1730 to 1743. James reed Retirement from Judith Williamson in 1736; children:

- 11-1 John Swann, b. ca 1722
- 11-2 James Swann, b. ca 1726
- 11-3 Willliam Swann
- 11-4 Justinian Swann
- 11-5 George Swann

There is a biography of James Swann in *A Biographical Dictionary of the Maryland Legislature, 1635-1789*, Vol. 2, p. 795, by Edward C. Papenfuse, Alan F. Day, David W. Jordan and Gregory A. Stiverson.

1730-1743 - James Swann is a Justice of the St. Mary's Co., Md. Court in 1730-1733, 1736, 1739, 1742 and 1743 (Source: Hammett, Regina C., *History of St. Mary's County, Maryland, 1634-1990*, p. 59).

Jan. 1733/4 - James Swaine [sic] witnesses the Charles Co., Md. will of John Briscoe. Source: Maryland Calendar of Wills, Vol. 7, p. 79. Comment: John Briscoe's wife Eleanor was the dau. of James Swann.

1738-1744 - James Swann was a member of the Lower House of the Maryland Legislature from St. Mary's Co. from 1738 to 1744 (Source: Hammett, Regina C., "History of St. Mary's County, Maryland, 1634-1990," p. 69).
Comment: The 1737-1740 Proceedings and Acts of the Maryland General Assembly are found in Archives of Maryland, Vol. 40. The Index to Vol. 40 has 43 page references for James Swann, the St. Mary's Co. legislator. The 1740-1744 Proceedings and Acts of the Maryland General Assembly are found in Archives of Maryland, Vol. 42. The Index to Vol. 42 has 63 page references for James Swann.

Jan. 1742 - On Jan. 20, 1742 James Swan leased 121 1/2 acres of His Lordship's Manor of Chaptico in St. Mary's Co., Md. The term of the lease was for the lives of [his sons] John Swann and James Swan. In Jan. 1768, John Swan was age 46 and James Swan was age 42. The Jan. 1768 record does not show who the tenant in possession is. It is not the original lessee James [Sr.] who d. in 1746.
Source: Brumbaugh, Vol. 2, p. 70. (Lease No. 35)

Notes for MARY THEOBALD:

Theobalds, John, planter, Chas. County, 18th Oct., 1712; 24th July, 1713.
To eld. son William and male hrs., dwelling plantation,, 2 tracts, viz., 50 A.,. "Betty's Delight" and 100 A, "Planter's Delight" and personalty, including mare branded H. S.
To son John, 100 A., "Greena" in Charles Co.,, in the woods on W. side main branch of Portobacco Creek, about 2 miles from head of sd. Creek, and personalty,, including mare formerly belonging to Penelope Theobald.
to dau. Mary and to dau. Charity, at 16 yrs. or marriage, personalty.
to wife Mary, extx., residue Of estate and life interest in 1/3 lands afsd. devised to son William; 2 sons to be of age at 18 yrs. in event of marriage of wife.
Test: Mary Hanson, Robert Hanson, John Gardner, 13.540.

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Mary Barnes (widow) 48.480 CH £37.8.5 Apr 22 1752 Jun 1 1752

Appraisers: Joseph M. Semmes, Samuel Luckett.

Creditors: Gustavus Brown Benjamin Reeder.

Next of kin: Mary Swann, John Theobalds.

Executrix: Charity Theobalds.

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BARNES, MARY, Charles Co. 18 Oct: 1750; 20 July 1751

To son William Theobalds mourning ring of 20 s. sterl. price.

To dau, Mary Swann, wearing apparel, mare, saddle.

To grandson John Theobalds, bed, bolster and pillows.

To grandson John Swann, colt,

To dau. Charity Theobalds remainder of estate.

Dau. Charity Theobalds, extx.

Wit: Jos. M, Semmes, Rachel Semmes, Elinor Semmes. 28.160

Children of JAMES SWANN and MARY THEOBALD are:

- i. JUDITH⁵ SWANN, b. Abt. 1720, Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland; d. Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland.
- ii. JOHN SWANN, b. Abt. 1722, Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland; d. 1799, MD.
Notes for JOHN SWANN: Oct. 1750 - The Charles Co., Md. will of Mary Barnes (probated July. 1751) leaves a colt to grandson John Swann. (Source: Maryland Calendar of Wills, Vol. 10, p. 176).
His will was written Sept 1798 and probated 14 Jan 1799 in St. Mary's Co, MD.
Sep. 1798 - The St. Mary's Co., Md. will of John Swann, planter, probated Jan. 14, 1799, reads as follows:
--My negro Jack is to be sold for three years and then to have his freedom.
--My negro named Penny is to be free after the first day of January next. She is to have the liberty of keeping her youngest child with her for 10 years and then the child, named Cecelia, is to be sold.
--My four other negroes named Silvey, Suck, John and Nancy are to be sold. They are to be able to choose their masters.
--To: The three children of Benjamin Latimer, James Latimer, Mary Latimer and Grace Latimer, 10 pounds current money each.
--Brother: William Swann, one heifer.
--To: Brother, Justinian Swann, and the children of my brother, George Swann, the balance of my estate (including the money from the sale of my negroes) equally divided.
Executors: Joseph Turner of St. Mary's County and John Maddox of Piccowaxon, Charles County.
Witnesses: Clement Briscoe, Basil Smith, Josias Turner. Note: Joseph Turner refused to act as Executor.
Source: Reno, Linda D., "St. Mary's County, Maryland Wills, 1791-1802," p. 119.
- iii. ELEANOR SWANN, b. Abt. 1724; m. JOHN BRISCOE.
- iv. JAMES SWANN, b. Abt. 1726.
9. v. WILLIAM SWANN, b. Abt. 1728, Chaptico, St. Mary's County, MD; d. 1821, Charles Co, Maryland.
- vi. GEORGE SWANN, CAPT., b. Abt. 1733, MD; d. Aft. 1787, PA.
Notes for GEORGE SWANN, CAPT.: Feb. 1776 - George Swann was a Captain of a Company of Charles Co., Md. troops in the Maryland Militia (Source: Peden, Henry C., Jr., "Revolutionary Patriots of Charles County, Maryland, 1775-1783," p. 292).
Mar. 1776 - George Swann was commissioned a Captain in the 26th Battalion of Charles Co. troops in the Maryland Militia (Source: Clements, S. Eugene and Wright, F. Edward, *The Maryland Militia in the Revolutionary War*, p. 127).

11-5 George Swann; legatee in the will of his bro. James; a George Swann was named in acct. of an estate in Calvert Co. in 1734 (AA 12.400); Capt. in the 26th Battalion of Charles Co. troops in the Maryland Militia

George Swann reed payment from an acct. in Charles Co. 5 Nov 1763; also 6 Aug 1764 (AA 50.161; 51.365)

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PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY, MARYLAND WILLS; Liber T No. #1; 1784-1789;

Folio 250 GEORGE FRASER HAWKINS 08/08/1785 09/13/1785

"being in a low state of health . .

Bequeaths to:

1. Susanna Truman Hawkins --wife

--to have the use of the tract or Parcel of land lying in Prince George's County called "Blue Plain" and the land which testator purchased from John Priggs contiguous called "Addison's Good Will" for her natural life

--reserving testator's Ferry House and 4 acres of land to include the same and reserving all of testator's Herring fishing, landings on Oxon Creek, the residue of the land for the use of testator's widow under the following restrictions

--not to work in the crop more than 8 working hands besides her overseer and not to cut and clear any land for tobacco. tobacco beds or any other tillage but only to cut of my different" woodlands such timber as shall have their full growth and may be "doting for firewood and fencing for the support of the Plantation,"
-to have Negro woman "Cate" and her present 2 children and to dispose of as she pleases the following Negroes during her natural life: "Bert" and her increase, "Ned" "Jacob" "Sam Butler-
-to have 1/2 of the present household goods and 1/2 of the stock and 1/2 of the present growing crop
-named executrix of the will
2. John Truman Hawkins --son (eldest son)
George Fraser Hawkins --son
Peggy Hawkins --daughter
Susanna Greenfield Hawkins --daughter
-after widow's decease above Negroes left to widow to be divided among them
-George to have after widow's decease the land devised to her during her natural life and also 4 years following testator's decease to have the sum of 50 pounds current money per year for his support to be paid out of the rents of the fishing landings and ferry
-John to have the sum of 50 pounds per year out of the rents of the ferry and fishing landings to begin immediately upon testator's decease
-John to have the remainder of testator's estate
3. John De Butts --of St. Mary's County
-named trustee and instructed to pay debts from the sale of testator's land lying on or near Redstone in Pennsylvania taken up for testator by his friend Prior Theobald a number of years ago and the title papers which are now in the hands of George Swann of Pennsylvania
-also to pay debts from the judgement which testator obtained against Robert Harboe of Berkeley County, Virginia for 1225 pounds
-to have the sum of 36 pounds as compensation
Witnesses: Mary Sothoron
Henry Sothoron
William Bayard
Margaret DeButts
then came: St. Mary's County, Susannah Truman Hawkins
then came: Henry Greenfield Sothoron and Margaret Trueman DeButts
Note; the testator signed the will in his own hand

7. THOMAS⁴ SWANN (*JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born 1692 in Chaptico, St. Mary's County, Maryland, and died 1763 in Charles County, Maryland¹. He married (1) ELIZABETH COTTRELL 1713 in Charles Co, MD. She was born April 30, 1689 in William & Mary Parish, Charles County, Maryland. He married (2) ABIGAIL DEMENT 1723 in Charles Co, MD. She was born Abt. 1706 in MD.

Notes for THOMAS SWANN: Thomas Swann; acct.; Charles Co.; £305.14.6; £170.10.4; 20 Aug 1744; representatives widow (unnamed), James Swann, Thomas, John, Cephainah Swan, Elisabeth King, Mary Thorne, Juda Swann, Ledia Swarm; admx. Abigail Swann (AA 20.361)

Thomas Swann (Swan); acct.; Charles Co.; £282.2.6; £138.15.1; 5 Jun 1745; Representatives: widow (unnamed), 9 children James Swann, Thomas, Jonthan, John, Zephaniah, Judith, Lidea Swan, Elisabeth King, Mary Thorne; admx. Abigail Dyson, wife of James Dyson (AA 21.345)

Child of THOMAS SWANN and ELIZABETH COTTRELL is:

10. i. JAMES⁵ SWANN, b. 1715, Charles Co, MD; d. Bet. 1783 - 1784, Charles Co, MD.

Children of THOMAS SWANN and ABIGAIL DEMENT are:

- ii. THOMAS⁵ SWANN, b. Abt. 1723.
- iii. JOHN SWANN, b. Abt. 1732.
- iv. LYDIA SWANN, b. Abt. 1735.
- v. JONATHAN SWANN, b. Abt. 1737.
- vi. ZEPHANIA SWANN, b. Abt. 1740.

8. EDWARD⁴ SWANN (*THOMAS³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born 1700 in Charles Co, Maryland, and died Abt. 1762 in Mattapany Hundred, Prince George's County, Maryland. He married (1) JANE THOMAS, daughter of JOHN THOMAS and MARGARET. She was born Abt. 1702 in Charles Co, MD, and died Bef. 1756. He married (2) ELEANOR.

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Notes for EDWARD SWANN: One of his sons was a lawyer who was prominent in Maryland who married Miss Naylor.

Children of EDWARD SWANN and JANE THOMAS are:

11. i. EDWARD⁵ SWANN, b. Abt. 1732, Charles Co, Maryland; d. May 10, 1803, Prince George's County, Maryland.
- ii. ELIZABETH SWANN, b. Abt. 1732, Charles Co, Maryland; m. THOMAS RANDOLPH GREENFIELD ADAMS; b. Abt. 1722, Charles Co, Maryland.
- iii. JAMES SWANN, b. Abt. 1735.
- iv. ELEANOR SWANN, b. Abt. 1738; m. JOHN LAWSON BRIGHTWELL.

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9. WILLIAM⁵ SWANN (*JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born Abt. 1728 in Chaptico, St. Mary's County, MD, and died 1821 in Charles Co, Maryland². He married HENRIETTA Bet. January 1787 - 1788 in MD. She was born Abt. 1761 in MD, and died Aft. 1792.

Notes for WILLIAM SWANN:

Mar. 1778 - William Swan takes the Oath of Allegiance to Maryland in Charles Co. Source: Charles Co., Md. Circuit Court, Liber X No. 3, p. 645.

1780 - Revolutionary War Records. William Swann, private, 3rd Maryland Line, 1780, enrolled in Charles Co. for Capt. Joseph Marbury's Company. Drummer, 3rd Maryland Line, from Apr. 13, 1780 to at least Nov. 1, 1780. Source: Peden, Henry C., Jr., "Revolutionary Patriots of Charles County, Maryland, 1775-1783," p. 293. Comment: One suspects that the William Swann who was a drummer was William Swann's son of the same name.

Dec. 1781 - Commissary of Stores delivers clothes to be distributed to the Maryland Line to William Swan seaman on the "Plater." Source: Archives of Maryland, Vol. 48, p. 27.

1783 - There are 2 William Swanns in the Charles Co., Md. Tax list of 1783, as follows:

--William Swann, William and Mary Hundred (District 1), owns no land, 1 white in household, no slaves, 2 horses, no black cattle.

--William Swann, _____ Hundred (District 3), owns no land, Source: Maryland Tax List of 1783; Charles County. (MSA Microfilm Roll M 871)

William Swann is in the 1798 Federal Direct Tax List of Charles Co., Md

1790 census, Charles Co, MD: 3 males over 16, 1 female, and 14 slaves.

1800 census - not found

1810 census, Charles Co, MD: William Swann (age 45+) with 2 girls under 10, 8 females (age 10-15), 1 female (age 26-44) and 1 female (age 45+). There were also 12 slaves in the household. Listed on the same page were Mary Swann, Zachariah Swann, Sr. and Zachariah Swann, Jr. Other Swanns in Charles county included Benjamin, Philip and Richard Swann. I'm not certain this is the same William but if he died in 1821, it probably is him.

1820 census, Charles Co, MD: The only William Swann is shown as age 26-45; that is not my ancestor as he was at least age 60 in 1810. On the same page as William Swann was Thomas M. Swann.

Question: Did William Swann live in Westmoreland Co, PA for a few years? Family tradition is that my ancestor, Mary Swan, was born in Westmoreland. Census records show her sisters were also born in Pennsylvania. If William died closer to 1800, then the children were all young and they would have had guardians.

Feb. 22, 1799 - The Charles Co., Md. Inventory of William Swan.

Appraisers: Theophilus? Tabbs, Theophilus? Lockett (value 465/14/8 current money of Maryland.)

Creditors: Joseph Aderson [sic], Joseph Hargess.

Kin: not given.

Administrator: William Morris, filed the inventory on Feb. 23, 1799.

Source: Charles Co., Md. Inventories, 1797-1802, pp. 110-11.

Comment: William's inventory included:

--1 old Negro woman called Late?, 65 years old

--1 Negro woman called Nell, age 36

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--1 Negro lad called Nathan, age 18.

May 29, 1799 - The Charles Co., Md. Additional Inventory of William Swan. Appraisers: Thomas Tabbs, Thomas Luckett (value 12/11/11 current money of Maryland.)
Administrator: William Morris, filed the additional inventory Feb. 12, 1800. Source: Charles Co., Md. Inventories, 1797-1802, p. 240.

Mar. 21, 1806 - The 1st Charles Co., Md. Administration Account of William Swan.
Inventory value: 465/14/8.

Estate sale proceeds exceeded the inventory value by: 52/1/10.

Additional inventory value: 22/11/11.

Still further assets recovered brings the gross estate value up to: 586/13/0.

Payments made by the estate: 460/6/9.

Estate balance: 126/6/3.

Sureties: not given.

Administrator: William Morris.

Source: Charles Co., Md. Administration Accounts, 1798-1806, pp. 489-92.

Comment: The payments made by William's estate include payments to Richard Jones Waters who had obtained a judgment against William. The payments to Waters on his judgment were huge, 3 separate payments of 129/9/1, 107/19/7, and 121/17/2. There is no final administration account for William, at least to 1815.

ML Note: The William Swan above may be a different man than the one described below who I believe is my ancestor.

July 3, 1817 and Jan. 27, 1821 - The heirs of William Swann, late of Charles Co., Md., deceased, are James Swann, Frederick Haymaker & Mary his wife, John Elder & Sarah his wife, Rebecca Swann, Justinian Swann, David Stem & Elizabeth his wife. Source: Dixon, Joan M., "National Intelligencer Newspaper Abstracts, 1814-1817," p. 296, and "1821-1823," p. 13.

Charles County, Maryland Wills and Probate Records

"Chas Co Crt, Nov Term, 1820. Peter Gough & Co, vs Jas Swann, Fred'k Haymaker & Mary his wife, John Elder & Sarah his wife, Rebecca Swann, Justinian Swann, David Stem & Eliz his wife. Ratify sale of land whereof Wm Swann died seized; sold by the trustee, H. Brawner, on Oct. 4 last; 100 acs sold for \$7.56 1/4 cts per ac. - John Barnes, clk" (source: Daily National Intelligencer, Jan 27, 1821, submitted by K. Torp to <http://genealogytrails.com>).

"In the December, 1860 term of the Maryland Court of Appeals: David Stem and wife vs Samuel Cox, and others. Appeal from the Equity side of the Circuit Court for Charles County. The bill in this case, filed on the 1st of April 1857, by the appellants, on behalf of themselves and the other heirs of William Swann, deceased, against J.H. Hanson, the administrators of Hugh Cox ... alleges that William Swann died in 1821, leaving six children his heirs-at-law... " The document goes on to show that James Swann was the eldest son of William Swann and James "elected to take the valuation of the commissioners and on 27 March 1823, he gave bond to the state for payment to the other heirs of their proportions of this valuation..." Subsequently James died, leaving two sons, George and James, his heirs, both of whom had died intestate, without issue and without property, by the time the appeal was filed. On 31 July, 1858, the court dismissed the bill, which then resulted in the appeal document. The appeal was denied (source: Miller, Oliver. *Maryland Reports Containing Cases Argued and Determined in the Court of Appeals of Maryland, Vol. XVI*. Annapolis: Robert F. Bonsall, Printer. 1861).

Notes for HENRIETTA: Charles County Land Records 1786-1790; Liber D#4; Page 495. Jun 12, 1789 from John Bruce of CC, to William Swann of CC, for 87 £ 10 shillings, all that tract of land called Mill Dam, situated in CC on the west side of Zachia Swamp, bounded by John Grub's land, Coates' stone, the main fresh and Swamp to the first bounded Tree, containing as surveyed and laid out for John Allen on Jun 5, 1671, about 50 acres. Signed - John Bruce. Wit - Ben Dyson*, BFendall*. Henrietta Bruce, wife to the sd John Bruce, relinquished her right of dower to the within mentioned land, Recorded Jun 18, 1789.

Note: Does this mean the transaction took place in 1789? If so, Henrietta could not have married William Swann that year. When did John Bruce die?

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Children of WILLIAM SWANN and HENRIETTA are:

12. i. JAMES⁶ SWANN, b. Bet. 1788 - 1789, Charles Co, Maryland; d. Bef. 1850.
13. ii. MARY SWANN, b. February 04, 1793, prob. Charles Co, MD; d. July 26, 1861, Leavittsburg, Trumbull Co, Ohio age 72 yrs, 1 mo, 7 days.
14. iii. SARAH ROSE SWANN, b. Abt. 1790, prob. Maryland or Westmoreland Co, PA; d. Bet. 1850 - 1860, Mount Pleasant, Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA, age 66, interred Middle Presbyterian Cemetery, Mount Pleasant, PA.
 - iv. REBECCA SWAN, b. Abt. 1792, MD or PA; d. Aft. 1821.
 - v. JUSTINIAN SWAN, b. Abt. 1794, PA or MD; d. Aft. 1821.
15. vi. ELIZABETH SWAN, b. October 06, 1797, PA or MD; d. March 21, 1869, Ashland, Ashland, Ohio, Aged 71y 5m 15d, interred Savannah Cemetery.

10. JAMES⁵ SWANN (*THOMAS*⁴, *JAMES*³, *EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE*¹ *WILLIAM)*) was born 1715 in Charles Co, MD, and died Bet. 1783 - 1784 in Charles Co, MD. He married ELIZABETH.

Notes for JAMES SWANN: Mar. 1778 - James Swann and James Swann, Jr., age 18 or older, are in the Census of East Newport Hundred, Charles Co., Md. Source: Charles Co., Md. Circuit Court, Liber X No. 3, p. 634.

Mar. 1778 - James Swann takes the Oath of Allegiance to Maryland in Charles Co., Md. Source: Charles Co., Md. Circuit Court, Liber X No. 3, p. 648. Comment: Other records of James Swann in Charles Co. at this time may be found in Liber X No. 3, pp. 529 and 606.

Aug. 1779 - James Swann, Sr., of Newport East Hundred and of Trinity Parish, Charles Co., Md., refused to subscribe to a Trinity Parish fund for raising a salary for a clergyman to officiate in Trinity Parish. Source: LDS Microfilm Roll 0013759, Vol. 2 (Trinity Parish Vestry Minutes, Minutes of 1779.)

1783 - James Swann, Sr., is in the 1783 Tax List of Newport Hundred, Charles Co., Md., as follows:

--4 white inhabitants.

--no slaves.

--2 horses.

--2 black cattle.

--part of "Eagleton," 100 acres (84 acres arable, 16 acres wooded), value 100/0/0, situated in a part of Newport Hundred called "Forrest," soil quality "stiff" (which appears to mean clay or clay-like), improvements: 5 small houses, 20 apple and 40 peach trees.

--total value of all property: 122/0/0.

Source: Maryland Tax List of 1783: District 2 (Newport Hundred) of Charles Co. (MSA Microfilm Roll M871)

His will was written 10 Nov 1783 and probated 20 Feb 1784 in Charles Co, MD.

Charles County Maryland Will Book B-1, 1782-1785; Page 274

James Swann Sr Will.

I, James Swann in CC, am weak in body yet of sound and perfect understanding and memory. As for burial, I desire it may be decent, without pomp or state, at the discretion of my dear children hereafter mentioned, who I doubt not will manage it with all requisite prudence. I ordain that all my worldly debts be paid.

To my daughters, Cloey Swann and Martha Swann - the use of my dwelling house and plantation during their single lives, to make use of the land as they think proper, for the term of their single lives. Also, all my household furniture and all my stock, to be equally divided between them, forever. After their marriages -

To my son James Swann - my afd dwelling house and plantation, not disturbing Cloey and Martha during their single lives, from the use of sd house and plantation. The land is bounded by land called Egleton.

To my son Thomas Swann - the rest of my land, called Egleton, provided Thomas pays half of my debts. Otherwise, the land is to be sold and distributed among my creditors.

To my son Zachariah Swann - my other tract of land, called the Inclosier, lying in CC, containing about 56 acres, provided Zachariah pays the other half of my debts.

Otherwise, the land is to be sold and distributed among my creditors.

Signed Nov 10, 1783 - James (X his mark) Swann.

Wit - Thos Swann, Jona. Swann, Zedekiah Swann.

Probated on Feb 20, 1784 by the oath of Thomas Swann, and by the oaths of witnesses Thomas Swann and Jonathan Swann

11. EDWARD⁵ SWANN (EDWARD⁴, THOMAS³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)) was born Abt. 1732 in Charles Co, Maryland, and died May 10, 1803 in Prince George's County, Maryland. He married NANCY ANNE. She died Aft. May 1803.

Notes for EDWARD SWANN: Prince George's County MD Will Book Liber T No. #1; 1803-1808;
Folio 534 EDWARD SWANN 09i/5/1801 05/10/1803

"... being now in Perfect health and Memory . ."

Bequeaths to:

I. Nancy Swann --wife

-to have the dwelling plantation whereon testator now lives for her natural life or widowhood

-to have Negroes: "Bigg Harry" "Little Harry" "Frank" "Jack" "Nedd" "Sal!" "John" "Charles"

-to have 20 head of cattle, 8 head of horses, and all of testator's household furniture

2. "Pegg" --Negro woman -after widow's decease or remarriage to be free

3. William Swann --son

-after widow's death or remarriage to have all of testator's part of a tract of land called "Pascoam Enlarged"

4. Edward Swann --son

-after widow's decease or remarriage, to have part of 3 tracts of [and called

"Part of Masauscon" "Part of Retaliation" and "Part of Addition"

-after widow's decease or remarriage to divide equally with William all the personal property bequeathed to her

5. Thomas Swann --son

-to have 1/2 of 2000 acres of land which testator holds lying in Georgia and the other 1/2 to be divided between testator's 2 sons William and Edward

6. Henry Compton --grandson

-to have all the several parts or parcels of tract lying in Prince George's county being part of a tract called "Gidling" cont. 100 acres adjacent to the land belonging to the heirs of Eversfield and another part of a tract called "Cox Hayse Enlarged" cont. 23 acres which was originally called "The New Exchange" and also to have part of another tract called "Quicksale" cont. 100 acres being the southernmost fourth part thereof, and also to have part of another tract of land or parcel lying between "The New Exchange" and "Quicksale" called "Cox Hayse Enlarged" cont. 70 acres and also to have part of another tract or parcel called "Anchovy Hills" lying adjacent to the land belonging to the heirs of James T. Yates cont. 30 acres

-to have Negroes: "Kitty" "Jacob"

7. Edward Compton --grandson

-to have Negroes: "Benjamin" "David" "Abraham" "Nace" Mulatto lad "Ned"

Negro woman "Nay" infant girl "Kitty" "Aggy" "Negro boy "Abraham" being the son of "Aggy" Negro girl "Minty"

being the daughter of "Aggy" Negro boy "Isaac" son of "Aggy" Negro woman "Barsheba" Negro girls "Henny"

"Lucy" daughter of "Barsheba" Negro woman "Rachel" Negro girl "hilly" Negro girl "Peg" Negro girl "Sarah"

infant girl "Mary" the daughter of Rachel"

8. Samuel Edward Compton --grandson

-to have 30 head of black cattle, 3 yoke of oxen. and 6 horses all now on the plantation where Henry T. Compton lives, also to have 6 feather beds and furn., which are in the care of Henry T. Compton

-Henry and Samuel to have the land and Negroes on the condition that they pay all bonds which remain unpaid at testator's death being : 8 bonds dated 03/09/1801 for \$500.00 each, and also 10 bonds dated 07/14/1801 for 580.00 each all payable to Henry T. Compton

-and in order to help pay the bonds off, testator leaves all the estate devised to them in the hands of Henry T. Compton

-Samuel to have 20 Negroes now in the hire of Henry T. Compton

-to have 30 head of cattle, 3 yoke of oxen, 6 head of horses, and 6 feather beds and fur.

Witnesses: Joshua Wilson, Levin C. Wailes, Stephen Swann, John Beavcn

Codicil to the will: E. Henry Compton --grandson

-whereas since the writing of the will, testator's grandson Samuel Edward Compton has died without heir, then Henry to have all the estate left to Samuel with the same expressed conditions

Witnesses: Thomas Parran, Isaac Norfolk

When came: Levin C. Wailes and Stephen Swann

Note: the testator signed the will in his own hand

21-2 Edward Swann; 18 Sep 1763 called grandson of Thomas, s/o Edward (Test. Pros. 39.405); he was in the 1790 census of Prince George's Co. with 2 white males under 16 and 3 white females; not found in 1800 Maryland census

17 Jul 1760; Brooke Chance where Edward Swann now lives of 256 acres near Mattapany in Prince George's Co. for sale at Upper Marlboro by Charles Grahame and George Lee (MG)

Oct 1775; Edward patented Priss Merrymouth of 42 acres in Prince George's Co. (SOM)

31 Aug 1761; Edward Swann patented 9 acres called Pascum Addition in Prince George's Co. (SOM)

Children of EDWARD SWANN and NANCY ANNE are:

16. i. EDWARD⁶ SWANN, b. Abt. 1763, Charles Co, Maryland; d. February 28, 1810, Prince George's County, Maryland, age 47.
- ii. WILLIAM THOMAS SWANN, b. 1761, Charles Co, Maryland; m. REBECCA DOUGLASS, October 10, 1796, Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia; b. Abt. 1763, Charles Co, Maryland.
- iii. THOMAS SWANN, HON., b. July 21, 1765, Charles Co, Maryland³; d. January 19, 1840, Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia⁴; m. JANE BYRD PAGE, April 02, 1795, Overwharton Parish, Stafford County, Virginia; b. 1774; d. October 31, 1812, Leesburg, Loudoun County, Virginia, age 38.

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12. JAMES⁶ SWANN (*WILLIAM⁵, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born Bet. 1788 - 1789 in Charles Co, Maryland, and died Bef. 1850.

Children of JAMES SWANN are:

- i. GEORGE⁷ SWANN, d. Bef. 1861.
- ii. JAMES SWANN, d. Bef. 1861.

13. MARY⁶ SWANN (*WILLIAM⁵, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born February 04, 1793 in prob. Charles Co, MD⁵, and died July 26, 1861 in Leavittsburg, Trumbull Co, Ohio age 72 yrs, 1 mo, 7 days⁶. She married FREDERICK HAYMAKER Abt. 1811 in PA or Ohio, son of JACOB HAYMAKER and EVA MEYERS. He was born November 07, 1772 in Little York, York Co, PA^{7,8}, and died March 22, 1850 in Leavittsburg, West Warren, Trumbull Co, Ohio at age 78⁹.

Notes for MARY SWANN:

Feb. 20, 1793 - Mary Swan, dau. of William and Henrietta Swan, baptized at Congregation of St. Francis Xavier, St. Mary's Co., Md.; godfather Ignatius Coad; godmother Ann Fletcher (Source: O'Rourke, Timothy J., "Colonial Source Records: Southern Maryland Catholic Families," p. 28). Phil Swan shows her birth date as 4 Feb 1793. If this is correct, she was about age 18 when she married Frederick Haymaker. Both the 1850 and 1860 census show her birth as closer to 1790.

In about 1811, Mary became the 3rd wife of Frederick Haymaker. Frederick Haymaker's will mentions a James Swan, of Maryland or Kentucky, and notes that Mary was one of his heirs. James was her older brother, possibly a twin brother. Court records from Charles Co, MD show that William Swan's descendants filed a suit regarding a land dispute. This record identifies William Swann's children and their spouses by name.

On 18 Sep 1827, Jesse Swan married Sarah Irwin of Westmoreland Co, PA. Could Jesse be Mary's relative?

Mary's tombstone has not yet been located and her very brief newspaper death notice does not mention where she was buried.

1850 census, Warren, Trumbull Co, OH: Jesse S. Haymaker (24), Mary Haymaker (60), Sarah Haymaker (40), Frances Haymaker (22), Henry Clay Haymaker (17). This census was taken 26 July 1850, just a few months after his father died. In Jesse's household were his mother and three of his siblings. Real estate valued at \$7,000 (source: US census 1850, M432-733, p. 403).

1860 census, Warren, Trumbull Co, OH: Mary Haymaker (70) lived with her son Henry (25) and daughter Frances (27). Henry was a Miller with personal property of \$200, and Mary had real estate worth \$800 and property worth \$400.

Research note: We know from court records that Mary Swann was the daughter of William Swann, but we don't know for certain which William Swann was her father. There is no known information about her mother.

Notes for FREDERICK HAYMAKER:

Frederick was baptized in the Christ Lutheran Evangelical Church at York, York County, Pennsylvania on 06 Dec 1772 at about 1 month of age. Nothing is known of his youth, but he may have been an Indian trader with his grandfather. Evidence from his letters indicates that he received a good education. The first published reference to him was in Mead Township, the site of the first settlement in Crawford Co, PA, where nine men landed at the site of Meadville on 12 May, 1788. David Mead patented a tract on the west bank of the French Creek, about one mile above Meadville, in the fall 1788, and he was followed by several men, including Frederick Haymaker, age 16. Note that Frederick's grandfather, Christopher Haymaker, had died in 1788. Albert (1896) wrote, "During 1789 the little colony known as 'Mead's settlement' was reinforced by the arrival of the family of Darius Mead, Frederick Baum, and Robert Fitz Randolph with their families, Frederick Haymaker [age 17], William Gregg, Samuel Lord and John Wentworth. From these two published references, we can conclude that when he was a teenager, Frederick Haymaker went to Meadville. I assume that he had traveled there by boat with his father to deliver supplies, and perhaps Frederick thought he could trade with the friendly native Americans in the area. Fred was not, however, found on a list of licensed Indian traders (research of Mary H. West). He was listed as one of the 1793 purchasers of lots in Meadville. In the book "History of Crawford County, PA" (1885) the unknown writer cited an old account book (in the possession of William Gill, Esq. of Meadville) in Gen. Mead's own handwriting in which he notes the sale of lots commenced on 20 February 1793. The same account book of General Mead was cited in Bates' (1899) history of Crawford County.

"On April 1st, 1791, the settlers in Meadville were warned by Flying Cloud, a son of Chief Connedaughta, of threatened danger from the hostile western tribes, and on the same day eleven strange Indians were seen a few miles northwest of the settlement. The women and children of the colony were gathered within the Mead house and cellar and on the next day they were sent in canoes to Fort Franklin. The Indian chief, Half Town, who was a half-brother to Cornplanter, was encamped at the time with twenty-seven of his braves. Twelve of these he sent to guard the canoes, six on each side of the creek, and with his remaining warriors he joined the settlers in a fruitless search for the hostiles seen by Gregg. On the following day all the men departed for Franklin with their horses, cattle and moveable effects." For several years, the Meadville settlers had to be on their guard, and many times they left the area for the safety of the fort, with the men traveling back to Meadville to plant crops. The Western Indians were defeated in 1794 by General Wayne, and the settlers were able to return with their families. Source: <http://www.rootsweb.com/%7Eusgenweb/pa/1pa/1picts/frontierforts/ff40.html>

Meadville was created in Dec 1795 from the northern part of Pitt Twp, where Frederick's father, Jacob, lived. He was also well known as an Indian trader during this time and in 1795 and 1796 was a member of Captain Van Horns Company of the Cussawago Militia. In about 1796, Fred married for the first time in Meadville, or perhaps he married near Pittsburgh if Eleanor (Robertson or Robinson) lived there. He built and occupied a home on the northeast corner of North and Market Streets in Meadville and served as an early Justice of the Peace. In the year 1800, Frederick Haymaker was appointed Trustee for the newly formed county of Crawford, along with two other individuals. He gave \$75 toward the erection of the Meadville Academy in 1800 (Reynolds, 1938). Fred was listed in the 1800 Meadville census, along with 2 males under 10, 1 female under 10, 1 male 16-25, 1 female 16-25, 4 males 26-44, and no slaves. Since his first known son was born in 1801, we don't know the identity of the two boys born between 1790 and 1800. Fred served as Meadville's first Postmaster from 01 Apr 1801 to 31 Dec 1802, and in 1805 was living in a log house he had built on Water Street. Reynolds (1938) states that an attorney named Patrick Farrelly "lived in a house built by Frederick Haymaker south of John McFarland's and north of the Block House" (p. 171) on Water Street. According to Reynolds (1938), "The Federalists met at the tavern of Bartholomew White on the opposite side of Water Street. It was here that a colonel and a captain of the Burr expedition had a recruiting office" (p. 175).

Fred Haymaker reportedly espoused the cause of Aaron Burr and furnished him large amounts of money. Fred was reported to be the private secretary of Aaron Burr (Danner, 1904; Biographical and Historical Cyclopeda of Westmoreland County, PA, 1880) during the alleged conspiracy for which Burr was tried for treason in 1807. In 1805, Burr was still serving as Vice President of the US, but he did visit Pittsburgh during his trip west from April to September, 1805. It is very possible that Fred was not affiliated with Burr, since no proof of their relationship has been published. Further evidence against the assertion is found in "The Trial of Aaron Burr Homepage." In one of the letters published on the website, Burr's private secretary is named as "Mr. Willie." In fact, when Burr was traveling in the west, Fred's wife was probably pregnant. It would be helpful to know the exact birth dates of this

child born about 1805 so we could better pinpoint Fred's whereabouts during Burr's travels. A History of the Borough of Bridgewater (Milestones, Vol 9, No. 3, Summer 1984) has a little about Burr's operation. It states, "In 1805 and 1806, he had a number of large cargo boats built near Brady's Run for use in his expedition down the Ohio River to New Orleans. Burr visited Sharon once during the progress of the enterprise to inspect the work and give directions for the future." The town of Sharon, PA is near Beaver, PA where Fred and his family lived so it's possible that they knew each other, and it's also possible that Fred gave money to Burr's cause. Burr is known to have spent the winter of 1805 in Washington and Philadelphia, but there is no record that Fred was with him. Burr began his second trip to the west in August 1806, but that fall Fred moved to Franklin, Ohio to join his family, already settled there. The "Norfolk Gazette and Publick Ledger," on 29 Dec 1806, published an extract of a letter dated 26 Nov 1806 from a gentleman in Meadville, PA to a member of Congress. In the letter, Frederick Haymaker is named, along with several other men, as the "adventurers" who "embarked from this town for Beaver, with the expressed intention of joining the secret expedition under Col. Burr." This could explain why Frederick left Beaver, Pennsylvania and arrived in the remote area of Franklin Township, Portage County, Ohio in the fall of 1806. Apparently, before he left PA, he gave testimony about Aaron Burr. The following was found in the Calendar of the Correspondence of James Madison (see full reference below): On 15 May 1807, John Wickham wrote, "As counsel for Aaron Burr, requests that copies be furnished him of three affidavits by Comfort Tyler, Luke Hill, and Frederick Haymaker, filed in the Department of State." A web site featuring information about Comfort Tyler had this: "Besides Comfort Tyler, there were some 25 others, all young men, who proceeded to Beaver, in Pennsylvania, to take part in the expedition." Was Frederick Haymaker one of these men or were these primarily New York men who had traveled to Beaver in hopes of getting cheap land in Burr's settlement plan? In December, 1806, a grand jury in Frankfort, KY returned a "no true bill" on the proposed indictment of Burr, but he was captured on Feb. 19, 1807 and held prisoner at Fort Stoddard. According to Troyer (1998) Frederick "had in his possession documents involving Burr's infamous trip into Louisiana Purchase territory, but he kept silent concerning events during those years" (p. 250). "His claim to fame, besides fathering 27 children with three wives, was his service as secretary to Aaron Burr during the latter's ill-fated expedition that led to his trial for treason" (Troyer, 1998, p. 142).

The last reference to Frederick Haymaker in Meadville appeared in Reynolds (1938). He included a newspaper ad titled "Stop the Runaway" in which Frederick Haymaker and Luke Hill sought the return of a slave named Selah Wilcock (pp. 129-130). They offered a reward of five dollars for the return of the slave. Frederick Haymaker joined his father and siblings in the area now called Kent, Ohio in late fall 1806. Ohio had earlier been admitted as a state in 1802. Fred took up a large tract of land on 18 February in Franklin Mills, Portage Co, in what is now Kent (about 32 miles southeast of Cleveland). At that time the area was a wilderness. Frederick's father Jacob and brothers, John and George, were already in Franklin Township, being the first settlers to arrive there, John in 1805 and Jacob and George in early 1806. Frederick erected a log house and one of his grandchildren was the first white child born in Franklin Twp. Frederick's second wife, Rachel Davis died in childbirth in 1809, and he sent Rachel's baby, James Davis, to Meadville to be raised by her parents. Frederick has not been found on the 1810 census, but he could be the male age 26-44 living in the household of his brother, Jacob Haymaker in Franklin, Westmoreland Co, PA. In Jacob's household there was also a male who could be Frederick's son, Andrew. Fred's four daughters were probably living with other family members in 1810. In about 1811, Frederick married his 3rd wife, Mary Swan. My ancestor, Allen Haymaker, was born in 1812, probably in Beaver, PA.

In 1818, Frederick and Joshua Woodard formed a partnership and built a woolen factory, dye-house, cabinet shop, a hotel, and a number of dwelling houses in what is now Kent, Ohio. This partnership dissolved in 1826 with Frederick retaining the mill property. Joshua had moved to Franklin Mills in 1818 and he owned a house at the intersection of Fairchild and Woodard Street. Recently, it was discovered that the house was one of several houses in Franklin Mills that served as a safe house for fugitive slaves. Woodard also owned a tavern located at Fairchild Ave. and Mantua Streets. "The family welcomed fleeing slaves into their tavern, and after dark, the family sneaked the slaves through the trees and into the crawl spaces under their home" (source: <http://burr.kent.edu/stories/01-secret/index.html>). This web site has a picture of the Woodard house showing a horse and buggy in front. *The Portrait and Biographical Record for Portage and Summit Counties* states that Frederick was a prosperous man, of excellent character and much respected among the pioneers. The 1820 census shows that Fred was living in Brighton Township (formed 1816), Beaver Co, PA. His household consisted of 4 males under 10 (James D., Allen, William, Frederick), 1 male 16-26 (Andrew) and 1 male over 45 (Frederick). There were also 2 females under 10 (Rachel and Eliza or Rebecca), 1 female aged 10-16 (Sarah?), 2 females aged 16-26 (Margaret & ?), and 2 females aged 26 - 45 (Frederick's wife Mary and an unknown female). Frederick was appointed by the Governor as a Justice of the Peace on 30 March 1822 for several townships including the Borough of Beaver, South Beaver, Brighton, and

Chippewa (PA Archives). By 1823, Frederick was running a woolen mill in Franklin, OH with his son, James Davis Haymaker. The 1830 census shows Fred was in Portage Co, OH.

A partnership between Frederick Haymaker, Wm. Foljambe, and Samuel Foljambe was dissolved in Franklin, OH on 17 March 1830. Between 1831 and 1832 he sold 100 acres of land and a fine water power in the upper village of Kent and moved to adjoining Trumbull County, Ohio where he farmed. He was about 59 years old at this time. Later he moved to Leavittsburg, where he established a flouring mill, in the company of the sons of his 3rd wife, including my ancestor Allen (Danner, 1904).

Fred had business dealings with John Brown, the well-known abolitionist. John Brown was called a "pioneer citizen of Crawford County, PA" (source: *Centennial Edition of Daily Tribute*, 1888) so it's likely that they met in Meadville. It is interesting that John Brown's 2nd wife was Mary A. Day (born 1 Apr 1816 in Washington Co, NY) whom he married when she was only 16 years old. They lived in Franklin Mills [present-day Kent], OH for a time, and Fred knew them during the years they all lived in Kent. According to Carton (2006), Fred, a "local farmer" sold close to 100 acres of prime land near Franklin Mills to John Brown in about 1835. Brown made a small down payment on the land, and moved his family into the large farmhouse [perhaps Frederick's house?] on the property in January, 1836. There are letters between them at the Ohio Historical Society in Columbus, OH. The letters that survived from 1835, 1836, and 1837 are primarily about money, with Fred begging John Brown to send him money to save him from ruin. In the letters he makes several guarded references to "the West." Frederick is also mentioned in the History of Kent by Karl H. Grismer (Kent, Ohio: The Courier-Tribune, 1932). Given Frederick's relationship with abolitionist John Brown and with Joshua Woodard, who was active in the underground railroad, it's probable that Frederick was also an abolitionist. No written evidence of this has yet been found but I think it might be worth more research.

Records from the Trumbull County Archives, Stone Bldg, Warren, OH, Trumbull County Deed Records, Vol 43, p. 51 (retrieved by M.L. Cook, July 8, 2007):

1. Frederick Haymaker sold water privileges to Thomas Earle and William Earle for \$100 in Newton Twp - "do grant, bargain, and sell to them the said Thomas and William Earle a privilege to raise the water in the East branch of the Mahoning River at the mouth of small run or Brook where it empties into said River one foot above low water mark a few Rods north of my House in which I now live by a Dam which they contemplate building across said River at or near the Bridge over said River on the Road leaving from Newton Falls to the town of Warren for the purpose of creating a water power for Grist & Saw Mills H. Dated 25 June 1837. Witnesses Augustus Stevens and Alexander Sutherland

2. Trumbull County Deed Records, Vol. 44, p. 300 Trumbull County Deed Records, Vol. 44, p. 300 Trumbull County Deed Records, Vol. 44, p. 300. (abstracted by M.L. Cook, July 8, 2007). Frederick Haymaker purchased 42 acres of land in Newton for \$500.00 from James Kelley and Mary Ann Kelly on 3 Feb 1838.

3. Trumbull County Deed Records, Vol. 45, p. 461-462 (abstracted by M.L. Cook, July 8, 2007). Frederick Haymaker to John Marsh - Mortgage: Frederick Haymaker and Mary Haymaker of Newton, for \$285.36, 42 acres of land in Newton township. Detailed description given - it was near the Mahoning River. Payable Aug. 1, 1840. Witnesses: Allen Haymaker and James Baldwin. Dated 5 March 1840.

4. Trumbull County Deed Records, Vol. 45, p. 525-526, Mortgage (abstracted by M.L. Cook, July 8, 2007). Frederick Haymaker purchased from Henry A. Debois "the farm upon which I now reside and which are situae in township of Newton in section number 12 ... part of lot No. 3 in the 5th range ... in the northeast corner of land then on the 28th day of December A.D. 1835 owned by John Allen to the center of the Mahoning River to the place of beginning containing Sixty six acres. Also another 91 and 55/100 acres for \$350.00 on 20 Sept 1840 with lawful interest. Witnesses: Hiram Austin (Justice of the Peace) and Augustus Stevens

Frederick is listed on the 1840 census in Newton Township, Trumbull Co, Ohio, and that is the last published reference found until his will was written on 18 Jan 1850 in Warren, Trumbull Co, OH. Fred's cause of death at age 78 was Eurocipelis, and he was buried on 23 March 1850 in Warren, probably in Leavittsburg, near where his son Jesse lived. Frederick may have been buried at the cemetery in Levittsburg located at Lovers Lane S18, 3/4 mile east of Leavittsburg on SR5, on N side between SR5 & the river. I visited the Leavittsburg, OH cemetery in July, 2007 but did not find any Haymaker stones. In the Trumbull Co, OH Library, I found a short obituary for Frederick Haymaker and for Mary, but there was no mention of where they were buried. In August, 2006, Fred's tombstone

was located lying face down on private property in western San Antonio, Texas. According to the owner of the property, the stone had been there for at least 30 years and the family had used it as a stepping stone. They assumed a cemetery had once been on their property. As of this update, I do not know how his tombstone got to Texas. A picture of Frederick Haymaker's tombstone is posted on my website. The inscription, which is still legible, contains these words:

fred'k haymaker died 3/22/1850 age 78

could final love have stood his vital breath or found affections

sooth a relentless death then would this marble not so soon

told where surviving friend may meet and shead a tear [a very sentimental engraving, probably composed by Mary] gager of keller [Tombstone engravers]

warren o [this stands for Warren Co, OH, meaning the tombstone was carved in Ohio]

Fred's will left property to his wife Mary Swan. He also willed property to his son, Jesse S. Haymaker, and requested that his "unfortunate child Sarah, who is afflicted with lunacy" continue living with his family and be maintained by his wife Mary during Sarah's life. He deeded \$200 should Sarah outlive his wife, and asked that a suitable person be appointed as her guardian, and "see to it that the said Sarah be tenderly treated and kindly treated." An interesting part of the will referred to a loan made by his father Jacob to the state of Virginia. It reads, "In the event of a recovery of the property or money due my father Jacob Haymaker from the State of Virginia for which I have prepared a claim as the heir of said Jacob..." Frederick asked that such property or money be evenly divided between all of his children by his 1st, second, and third wives. He left "all the residue of my property" to the children of his 3rd wife, who were all named. His son Jesse S. and his wife were named, with Samuel Quimby, Esq., as executors.

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Children of MARY SWANN and FREDERICK HAYMAKER are:

17. i. ALLEN R.⁷ HAYMAKER, b. July 01, 1812, Portage Co, Ohio or Beaver Co, PA; d. September 25, 1889, Big Creek Twp, Neosho Co, Kansas (near Chanute) at home, Leanna Cemetery, Neosho Co, Kansas.
18. ii. JUDGE WILLIAM D. HAYMAKER, b. July 11, 1813, PA; d. September 07, 1859, Defiance Co, Ohio, age 46y 1m 28d, interred Brunersburg Cemetery.
19. iii. RACHEL HAYMAKER, b. December 1815, Pennsylvania; d. February 19, 1907, Ohio, age 92, interred Newton Falls East Cemetery, Newton Twp, Trumbull Co, OH.
20. iv. REBECCA HAYMAKER, b. November 13, 1817, PA; d. January 04, 1907, Garden Grove, Decatur Co, Iowa, interred Garden Grove Cemetery.
21. v. ELIZA ANN HAYMAKER, b. Abt. 1822, Pennsylvania; d. November 21, 1895, Ohio, interred Lake View Cemetery, Cleveland, OH.
22. vi. FREDERICK FRANKLIN HAYMAKER, SR., b. April 1819, Beaver Co, PA; d. June 11, 1903, Gosper Co, NE, age 84, interred Robb Cemetery, Gosper County, Nebraska.
- vii. GEORGE HAYMAKER, b. Abt. 1822.
23. viii. CYNTHIA D. HAYMAKER, b. January 17, 1824, Ohio; d. March 27, 1873, Bryan, Williams Co, OH.
24. ix. JESSE S. HAYMAKER, b. April 10, 1825, Franklin, Ohio; d. November 26, 1871, St. Louis, MO in Barnam's Hotel, interred Oakwood Cemetery, Trumbull Co, OH.

- x. FRANCES A. HAYMAKER, b. May 27, 1828, Ohio; d. Bet. 1900 - 1909, prob. Los Angeles, California; m. ELON GALUSHA FAY, December 04, 1879, Prob. Bryan, Williams Co, OH; b. December 13, 1824, Madison Co, NY¹⁰; d. October 06, 1909, Los Angeles, CA, age 85, interred Angelus Rosedale Cemetery¹⁰.
Notes for FRANCES A. HAYMAKER: After her sister Cynthia died, Frances married her brother-in-law. In 1860, she lived with her mother and brother, Henry. In 1870, she lived with her brother Jesse in Arkansas. 1880 census, Bryan, Williams, Ohio: E.G. (55) and Frances (50) Fay [indexed as Tay] with daughter Frank E. (27). Elon's occupation was Manufacturing Ploughs and Frank was a school teacher.
1900 census, South Olive St., Los Angeles, Los Angeles Co, CA: Elon G. Fay (75), wife Frances A. Fay (72) and two lodgers, James Symington (43) and Adela M. Symington (37). Elon's occupation was "Pres. & stockholder, Laundry."
Notes for ELON GALUSHA FAY: Goodspeed, Weston, A. & Blanchard, Charles, Eds. (1882). *County of Williams, Ohio: Historical and biographical*. Chicago: F.A. Battey & Co., Publishers.
"E.G. Fay was born in Madison County, N.Y., December 13, 1824, and is one of six surviving children of a family of fourteen, born to Perrin and Sally (Farr) Fay. Mr. Fay's ancestors were English people, and came to America about 1650. They settled in Boston, Mass., and the family have since scattered and have become prominent in all trades, professions and business, and have been known in both legislative affairs and in the defense and support of their country. E.G. Fay was reared in his native State, working in a woolen factory, his father's occupation being that of carder and cloth-dresser. He came to what was then Williams, now Defiance County, Ohio in 1844, and began teaching school. He came with his parents, his father dying in Defiance County in 1852, followed by his widow in Bryan in 1871. E.G. Fay taught school and clerked in Ohio for a number of years, and was married in 1848 to Miss Cynthia D. Haymaker. This lady died in 1878 leaving two children - Frederick E. and Frank E., now Mrs. Joseph Neuman, and residing in Berlin, Germany. Mr. Fay married his first wife's sister, Miss Frances A. Haymaker, in December 1879. In 1848, Mr. Fay kept hotel in Brunersburgh, and in 1853 traded his hotel for land, moved upon it, and there remained until 1856, when he came to Williams Centre, Williams County, and engaged in mercantile pursuits. In 1862, he returned to Defiance County and farmed until the spring of 1864, when he sold out and came to Bryan and engaged in the manufacture of woolen goods. In 1865, he sold out this and engaged in the manufacture of plows, at which he has since continued. Mr. Fay began life's battles without a cent. He is a seventh degree Mason, is a Republican in politics and is a Universalist in religion; his wife is a member of the Baptist Church" (p. 551-552).

Fay moved to Los Angeles in 1888 and lived there until his death. He was in the laundry business and operated the Empire Laundry, now called the Home Service Company of LA.

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Elon Galusha Fay, proprietor of the Empire laundry, died at his home, corner Orange and Witmer streets, late Wednesday night after a short illness. He was 85 years old and is survived by a son and daughter, Fred E. Fay of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Frank Leuman of Berlin, Germany. Funeral services will be held Saturday at 2 p.m., at the home, burial to be in Rosedale cemetery (source: Los Angeles Herald - October 8, 1909).

- xi. MARION HAYMAKER, b. 1830, Ohio.
25. xii. HENRY CLAY HAYMAKER, b. May 1833, Ohio; d. September 14, 1914, California prob. Los Angeles.

For more about the descendants of Mary Swann and Frederick Haymaker, please see the Haymaker file.

14. SARAH ROSE⁶ SWANN (*WILLIAM⁵, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born Abt. 1790 in prob. Maryland or Westmoreland Co, PA, and died Bet. 1850 - 1860 in Mount Pleasant, Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA, age 66, interred Middle Presbyterian Cemetery, Mount Pleasant, PA. She married JOHN M. ELDER Abt. 1814 in PA, son of JOHN ELDER and NANCY ROSE. He was born Abt. 1785 in PA, and died June 10, 1861 in Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA, age 77, interred Middle Presbyterian Cemetery, Mount Pleasant, PA¹¹.

Notes for SARAH ROSE SWANN:

1820 census, East Huntingdon, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA: John Elder (age 26-44) with one male under 10, 2 females under 10, and his presumed wife (age 26-44).

1830 census, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland, Pennsylvania: John Elder (age 40-49) with 1 boy (age 10-14), 3 girls (under 5), 1 girl (age 5-9), 1 girl (age 10-14) and presumed wife Sarah (age 30-39). There was also a female (age 20-29), possibly one of Sarah's sisters.

1840 census, East Huntingdon, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA: John Elder (age 40-49) with a boy (age 5-9), a boy (age 10-14), a girl (age 5-9), a girl (age 10-14) - probably Elizabeth, 2 girls (age 15-19), 1 woman (age 20-29), 1 woman (age 30-39) and presumed wife Sarah (age 40-49).

1849 census, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA: John Elder (age 40-50) with a male & female (5-10) a male & female (10-15), two females (15-20), a female (20-30) a female (30-40) and a female (40-50), the latter was presumably Sarah Swann.

1850 (Sept) census, Westmoreland Co, PA: John (65) and Sarah (60) Elder with children Elizabeth (20), Matilda (18), Sarah Ann (16), Ann Maria (14), and John (19). John, Sr. was a farmer with property worth \$5600. All were born in Pennsylvania.

1860 census, Mount Pleasant Borough, Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA: John Elder (71) with children Ann Maria (19), John (28), Matilda (23) and Sarah A. (21).

Children of SARAH SWANN and JOHN ELDER are:

- i. BOY⁷ ELDER, b. Bet. 1816 - 1820.
- ii. GIRL ELDER, b. Bet. 1816 - 1820.
- iii. GIRL ELDER, b. Bet. 1821 - 1825.
- iv. BOY ELDER, b. Bet. 1826 - 1830.
- v. ELIZABETH ELDER, b. Abt. 1829, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA; d. Aft. 1850.
26. vi. JOHN M. ELDER, b. January 01, 1833, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA; d. May 04, 1916, Bear Creek, Hancock, Illinois, age 83, interred West Basco Cemetery.
- vii. MATILDA "TILLIE" ELDER, b. 1836, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA; d. 1911, Mount Pleasant, Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA, age 66, interred Middle Presbyterian Cemetery, Mount Pleasant, PA.
Notes for MATILDA "TILLIE" ELDER:
1870 census, Yohoghany PO, North Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA: Matilda Elder (32) lived with her sister Ann M. Elder (25). Property was valued at \$3000 and \$100.
1880 census, Mount Pleasant, Westmoreland, Pennsylvania: Tillie Elder (40) with her sisters Sarah (38) and Mariah (32). Occupation for all 3 sisters was "keeping house."
1900 census, Mount Pleasant Ward 2, Westmoreland Co, PA: Sarah Elder (58) with her sister Matilda Elder (55). No occupation was listed for either woman.
1910 census, Mt. Pleasant Boro, Westmoreland Co, PA: Maria Elder (60) with Matilda Elder (64). Under occupation the census taker wrote "own income."
- viii. ANN MARIA ELDER, b. 1840, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA; d. Aft. 1910.
- ix. SARAH ANN ELDER, b. March 1842, East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA; d. Aft. 1900.
Notes for SARAH ANN ELDER:
1900 census, Mount Pleasant Ward 2, Westmoreland, Pennsylvania: Sarah Elder (58) with her sister Matilda Elder (55). No occupations listed.

15. ELIZABETH⁶ SWAN (*WILLIAM⁵ SWANN, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born October 06, 1797 in PA or MD, and died March 21, 1869 in Ashland, Ashland, Ohio, Aged 71y 5m 15d, interred Savannah Cemetery¹². She married DAVID STEM. He was born Abt. 1789 in PA or MD, and died March 18, 1869 in Ashland, Ashland, Ohio, age 80, interred Savannah Cemetery¹².

Notes for ELIZABETH SWAN:

1840 census - not found

1850 census, Clear Creek, Ashland, OH: David (61) and Elizabeth (54) Stem with daughters Ann M. (16) and Theresa (15). David's occupation was Turner and he had property worth \$2000.

1860 census, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio: David (71) and Elizabeth (62) Stem with daughter Anna (25). They had property worth \$3300 and \$900.

Notes for DAVID STEM: In 1862, David Stem was a Treasurer in Clear Creek Township.

Children of ELIZABETH SWAN and DAVID STEM are:

- i. ANN M.⁷ STEM, b. Abt. 1833, Ohio; d. December 29, 1866, prob. Ashland, OH, interred Savannah Cemetery, age 33-11-20¹³; m. ANDREW LARIMORE, June 03, 1862, Ashland Co, OH¹⁴; b. Abt. 1832.
Notes for ANN M. STEM:
1860 census, Savannah PO, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio: Anna Stem (25) lived with her parents. The name is indexed as Stern.
27. ii. THERESSA CATHERINE STEM, b. Abt. 1835, Ohio; d. February 24, 1888, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio, age 53, interred Savannah Cemetery.

16. EDWARD⁶ SWANN (*EDWARD⁵, EDWARD⁴, THOMAS³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born Abt. 1763 in Charles Co, Maryland, and died February 28, 1810 in Prince George's County, Maryland, age 47¹⁵.

Children of EDWARD SWANN are:

28. i. WILLIAM THOMAS⁷ SWANN, b. 1785, Maryland; d. 1820.
- ii. THOMAS SWANN, b. 1789, Charles Co, Maryland; d. October 15, 1845, Alexandria, Fairfax County, Virginia¹⁵.

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26. JOHN M.⁷ ELDER (*SARAH ROSE⁶ SWANN, WILLIAM⁵, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born January 01, 1833 in East Huntingdon, Westmoreland Co, PA⁴⁶, and died May 04, 1916 in Bear Creek, Hancock, Illinois, age 83, interred West Basco Cemetery^{47,48}. He married ELIZABETH H. HURST Abt. 1864 in Westmoreland Co, PA, daughter of JAMES BLACKSTON HURST. She was born December 1836 in PA, and died 1910 in Bear Creek, Hancock, Illinois, interred West Basco Cemetery⁴⁸.

Notes for JOHN M. ELDER: Civil War Service in 117th Regiment, Illinois Infantry, Co. B.

1870 census, Bear Creek, Hancock, Illinois: John M. (35) and Elizabeth (30) Elder.

1880 census, Bear Creek, Hancock, Illinois: John M. (47) and Elizabeth (44) Elder with son James (3) and a foundling, Annie Elder (12). John's occupation was "retired."

1900 census, Bear Creek, Hancock, Illinois: John (67) and Elizabeth (63) Elder. They had been married 36 years.

1910 census, Bear Creek, Hancock, Illinois: John (76) and Elizabeth H. (73) Elder with James B. (33) and Cora M. (29) Elder and their children Edith E. (8), Ross A. (7), Donald J. (5), Ted (3), and Elsie (10 m). They had been married 45 years and she had 3 children, with 1 living. John and James were farmers.

Child of JOHN ELDER and ELIZABETH HURST is:

52. i. JAMES BLACKSTON⁸ ELDER, b. March 13, 1877, Basco, Illinois; d. January 11, 1940, Basco Village, Hancock Co., Illinois, interred Basco West Cemetery.

27. THERESSA CATHERINE⁷ STEM (*ELIZABETH⁶ SWAN, WILLIAM⁵ SWANN, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born Abt. 1835 in Ohio, and died February 24, 1888 in Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio, age 53, interred Savannah Cemetery. She married BENJAMIN FRANKLIN DICKASON March 31, 1859 in Ashland, Ohio⁴⁹, son of JAMES DICKASON and MARY WHITE. He was born July 03, 1833 in Ashland Co, Ohio, and died March 20, 1910 in Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio, age 76, interred Savannah Cemetery⁵⁰.

Notes for THERESSA CATHERINE STEM:

1860 census, Savannah, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio: Benj. F. (27) and Theressa (24) Dickason. No occupation was listed but they had property worth \$2250 and \$600.

1870 census, Savannah, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio: B.F. (37) and T. C. (35) Dickason with sons Wilber (10), Luther (3) and Howard (3). Benjamin was a farmer with property valued at \$3500 and \$990.

1880 census, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio: Benjamin (45) and Theresa (45) Dickason with children William (19), Howard (12) and Luther (12). Benjamin was a farmer and the two younger sons were at school. William was "at home".

Notes for BENJAMIN FRANKLIN DICKASON: In his will, Benjamin left everything to his wife Lillie and named his son David as executor. On his wife's death, he left \$300 to his son Wilbur and \$200 to his son David. The remainder of the estate was to be split evenly between his three sons, David, Wilbur, and John Howard. Will was probated 5 April 1910.

Children of THERESSA STEM and BENJAMIN DICKASON are:

53. i. WILBUR STEM⁸ DICKASON, b. July 01, 1860, Savannah, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio; d. September 23, 1936, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio, age 76, interred Ruggley Cemetery.
54. ii. JOHN HOWARD DICKASON, b. July 28, 1867, Savannah, Clear Creek Twp, Ashland, Ohio; d. June 09, 1940, Wooster, Wayne, Ohio, USA.
- iii. DAVID LUTHER DICKASON, b. July 28, 1867, Savannah, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio; d. 1923, San Bernadino, CA⁵¹; m. MARY R. "MINNIE" LEHMAN, March 24, 1891, Ashland Co, OH by Rev. G.L. Smeed; b. September 1866, Ashland, Ohio; d. Aft. 1922.

Notes for DAVID LUTHER DICKASON:

1900 census, Savannah, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio: Luther (32) and Mary (33) Dickason. They had been married 9 years and had no children. Luther was a farmer.

1910 census, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio: Luther D. (42) and Mary R.L. (42) Dickason with mother-in-law Elizabeth S. Lehman and sister-in-law Bertha S. Lehman. Also a hired man. Luther's occupation was farmer.

Working file of Mary Lou Cook, updated 3 Nov 2016

1920 census, San Bernardino, San Bernardino, California: David L. (52) and Mary R. (52) Dickason lived with her sister, Bertha Lehmann (48) and two male boarders. No occupations listed, but in the City Directory, Luther's occupation was Painter.

1930 census - not found

28. WILLIAM THOMAS⁷ SWANN (*EDWARD*⁶, *EDWARD*⁵, *EDWARD*⁴, *THOMAS*³, *EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE*¹ *WILLIAM)*) was born 1785 in Maryland, and died 1820. He married FRANCES BROWN ALEXANDER July 12, 1810 in Alexandria, Fairfax County, Virginia⁵². She was born Abt. 1790, and died 1856.

Children of WILLIAM SWANN and FRANCES ALEXANDER are:

55. i. CHARLES ALEXANDER⁸ SWANN, b. 1811; d. September 27, 1875.
- ii. THOMAS WILLIAM SWANN, b. Abt. 1814.
- iii. EDWARD SWANN, b. Abt. 1821.

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52. JAMES BLACKSTON⁸ ELDER (*JOHN M.*⁷, *SARAH ROSE*⁶ *SWANN, WILLIAM*⁵, *JAMES*⁴, *JAMES*³, *EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE*¹ *WILLIAM)*) was born March 13, 1877 in Basco, Illinois, and died January 11, 1940 in Basco Village, Hancock Co., Illinois, interred Basco West Cemetery¹²⁵. He married CORABELLE MARGARET WOOD September 28, 1899 in Des Moines, Polk, Iowa¹²⁶, daughter of BENJAMIN WOOD and MARY FIRAIS. She was born January 1879 in Bear Creek, Hancock Co, Illinois, and died 1963 in Prob. ILL, interred Basco West Cemetery.

Notes for JAMES BLACKSTON ELDER: In 1918 when he registered for the WWI Draft, James' occupation was Deputy State Fire Marshal.

1920 census, Bear Creek, Hancock, Illinois: James B. (43) and Cora (40) Elder with children Edith (18), Ross (16), Don (14), Ted (13), Elsie (10), and John (7). John was a Government Employee, Deputy Fire Marshal.

1930 census, Augusta, Hancock, Illinois: James B. (53) and Cora M. (50) Elder with children John J. (17), Ted, 23, and daughter-in-law, Alberta M. (21). James' occupation was Marshal, State Fire. Ted was a truck driver, hard road.

Children of JAMES ELDER and CORABELLE WOOD are:

- i. EDYTHE E.⁹ ELDER, b. October 31, 1901, Hancock, Illinois; d. September 1980, Harleysville, Montgomery, Pennsylvania, interred West Basco Cemetery, Hancock, IL¹²⁷; m. O'KEEFE.
- ii. ROSS A. ELDER, b. May 17, 1903, Hancock, Illinois; d. March 1974, Augusta, Hancock, Illinois, interred Woodlawn Cemetery¹²⁷; m. MAUDE, 1929, Illinois; b. Abt. 1904, Illinois; d. Aft. 1930.
Notes for ROSS A. ELDER:
1930 census, Emmet PO, Macomb City, McDonough Co, IL: Ross (24) and Maude (22) Elder with nephew John Bramkamp (5). Ross was a Presser, Cleaning ____.
95. iii. DONALD JAMES ELDER, b. Abt. 1905, Hancock, Illinois; d. June 01, 1989, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma.
96. iv. TED ELDER, b. Abt. 1907, Hancock, Illinois; d. April 12, 1964, Illinois, interred Camp Butler National Cemetery, Springfield, IL.
- v. ELSIE E. ELDER, b. June 27, 1909, Hancock, Illinois; d. September 13, 1992, Springfield, Illinois, interred West Basco Cemetery, Hancock, IL^{128,129}.
Notes for ELSIE E. ELDER:
1930 census, Madison, Lee, Iowa: Elsie Elders (20) was a roomer and she worked at a pen factory. Her job looks like "nif-piecer."
- vi. JOHN J. ELDER, b. August 21, 1912, Hancock, Illinois; d. November 15, 1995, Macomb, McDonough, Illinois, interred West Basco Cemetery, Hancock, IL^{130,131}; m. ALLEYNE ROBBINS, January 29, 1937, Bloomfield, Davis, Iowa¹³²; b. October 28, 1911, Illinois¹³³; d. 1996, Macomb, McDonough, Illinois, interred West Basco Cemetery, Hancock, IL.
Notes for JOHN J. ELDER: Enlistment Date 1:11 Apr 1942; Release Date 1: 18 Dec 1945
1940 census, Basco, Hancock, Illinois: John (27) and Alleyne (28) Elder. He was a school teacher and had completed the 2nd year of college.

53. WILBUR STEM⁸ DICKASON (*THERESSA CATHERINE*⁷ *STEM, ELIZABETH*⁶ *SWAN, WILLIAM*⁵ *SWANN, JAMES*⁴, *JAMES*³, *EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE*¹ *WILLIAM)*) was born July 01, 1860 in Savannah, Clear Creek, Ashland, Ohio¹³⁴, and died September 23, 1936 in Wayne, Wayne, Ohio, age76, interred Ruggley Cemetery¹³⁵. He married MARY LILLIAN

STURTEVANT September 07, 1893 in Ashland, Ohio^{136,137}, daughter of O.G. STURTEVANT and ADELEIDE. She was born December 1867 in Ohio, and died Aft. 1940.

Notes for WILBUR STEM DICKASON:

1910 (13 May) census, Ruggles, Ashland, Ohio: Wilbur S. (49) and Mary L. (42) Dickason with sons Bernard S. (13) and Norman C. (10). Also lodgers, Martha S. Taylor (84) and Horace J. Taylor (62). They had been married 16 years and she had 2 children. Wilbur's occupation was farmer.

1930 census. Wayne, Wayne, Ohio: Wilbur S. (69) and Mary L. (62) Dickason. He was a farmer.

Children of WILBUR DICKASON and MARY STURTEVANT are:

- i. BERNARD STURTEVANT⁹ DICKASON, b. July 10, 1896, New London, Ashland, Ohio; d. February 15, 1981, Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio in Fairview General Hospital¹³⁸; m. (1) CHARLOTTE ANTEL; b. July 03, 1912, Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio; d. October 18, 2001, Cleveland, Cuyahoga, Ohio¹³⁹; m. (2) MARGARET L. BURKEY, January 01, 1919, New London, Wayne Co, Ohio¹⁴⁰; b. Abt. 1901, Ohio.

Notes for BERNARD STURTEVANT DICKASON:

1920 (7 Jan) census, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio: Bernard (24) and Margaret (10) Dickason. Bernard's occupation was farmer.

In 1942, when he registered for the WWII draft, Bernard lived in Cuyahoga, Ohio.

97. ii. NORMAN CARTER DICKASON, b. August 21, 1899, Ruggles, Ashland, Ohio; d. March 17, 1997, Shreve, Wayne, Ohio, interred Wayne Presbyterian Church Cemetery.

54. JOHN HOWARD⁸ DICKASON (*THERESSA CATHERINE⁷ STEM, ELIZABETH⁶ SWAN, WILLIAM⁵ SWANN, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born July 28, 1867 in Savannah, Clear Creek Twp, Ashland, Ohio¹⁴¹, and died June 09, 1940 in Wooster, Wayne, Ohio, USA¹⁴². He married EFFIE BLANCH GARRETT August 19, 1896 in Ohio, daughter of ALFRED A. GARRETT. She was born January 1870 in Ohio, and died September 20, 1959 in Wooster, Wayne, Ohio¹⁴³.

Notes for JOHN HOWARD DICKASON: Educator; born Savannah. OH. July 28. 1867; son of Benjamin Franklin Dickason and Theresa Catherine (Stem) Dickason; educated: Univ of Wooster. College degrees: A. B., 1895; A. M.. 1898. Married. Blanche Garrett, Aug. 19. 1896. Teacher country school, 4 yrs. ; Savannah Acad., 4 yrs.; Prln. Wooster Acad., 1895 ; founded Wooster Univ. Summer Sch.. 1895. with 49 students, and now has over 1.400 students with 80 teachers; lecturer on educational subjects. Socs. and clubs: Northeastern Ohio Teachers' Assn.; Ohio School Improvement Federation (Treas.); Ohio Coll. Assn. Presbyterian Church. Prohibitionist. Home address: Wooster, O. (source: The Cyclopedia of Ohio Biography issued under the title of "The Ohio Blue Book or Who's Who in the Buckeye State," Compiled under the direction of C. S. VAN TASSEL, Toledo, Ohio, p. 96).

JOHN HOWARD DICKASON Assistant Professor of Latin. A. B., University of Wooster, 1895 (College of Wooster - Index Yearbook (Wooster, OH) - Class of 1917).

1900 census, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio: John H. (32) and E. Blanch (30) Dickason with sister-in-law Lottie Garrett (18). John's occupation was Principal of Schools.

1910 census, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio: John H. (42) and Effie B. (40) Dickason with children Donald (9), Miriam (7), Frederick (5), and David (2). They had been married 14 years and had 4 children. John was a university teacher.

1920 census, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio: John H. (52) and Blanch G. (50) Dickason with children Donald E. (19), Miriam B. (17), Frederick G. (15), David H. (12), and Lois M. (5).

Children of JOHN DICKASON and EFFIE GARRETT are:

98. i. DONALD EUGENE⁹ DICKASON, b. July 03, 1900, Wooster, Wayne Co, Ohio; d. August 28, 1971, Sarasota, Sarasota, Florida, interred Wooster Cemetery, Wayne Co, OH.
- ii. MIRIAM BELL DICKASON, b. June 02, 1902, Wayne Twp, Wayne Co, OH¹⁴⁴; d. November 28, 1992, Duarte, Los Angeles, California¹⁴⁵.

Notes for MIRIAM BELL DICKASON: She wrote a book called *A Proposed Program of Religious Education for the Adolescent Girls in the Mission Schools of Columbia* published in 1931 by Biblical Seminary in New York. 1940 census, Wooster, Wayne, Ohio: Miriam Dickason (37) lived with Theodore (67) and Ida (67) Reitz. Also David Dickason (1) who was born in Burma. Miriam was a Teacher, Foreign School.

99. iii. FREDERICK GARRETT DICKASON, PH.D., b. June 22, 1904, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio; d. November 19, 1990, Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo, Michigan.

- iv. DAVID HOWARD DICKASON, b. August 21, 1907, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio; d. April 18, 1974, Bloomington, Monroe, Indiana, age 67, Crown Hill Crematorium, Indianapolis^{146,147}; m. MARJORIE FAITH HICKS; b. January 29, 1916, Prescott, Walla Walla, Washington¹⁴⁸; d. January 12, 2000, East Chatham, Columbia, New York^{149,150}.

Notes for DAVID HOWARD DICKASON: In 1953, he published *The daring young men: the story of the American Pre-Raphaelites*, which appears to be his most often cited work. By 1961 he was Professor of English at Indiana University, Bloomington, IN. He was approved for a sabbatical leave in 1974-75, second semester. The David H. Dickason Memorial Fellowship- for outstanding American Literature graduate students in the Department of English, Bloomington campus was established in _____. He also wrote *William Williams: Novelist and Painter of Colonial America, 1727-1791: Novelist and Painter of Colonial America*, published by Indiana University Press.

"David Howard Dickason, a professor of literature at Indiana University, meantime also became fascinated with William Williams, finding his novel *The Journal of Llewellyn Penrose, Seaman* an extremely important American literary work. Dickason took on the task of analyzing Penrose, and writing a biography of its author in *William Williams, Novelist and Painter of Colonial America* (1970). He also brought out a new edition of Penrose (1969), the first to be based on the original manuscript" (source: Williams, R.B., 2007).

- v. LOIS M. DICKASON, b. August 10, 1914, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio¹⁵¹; d. December 08, 1990¹⁵¹; m. TROUTMAN.

55. CHARLES ALEXANDER⁸ SWANN (*WILLIAM THOMAS*⁷, *EDWARD*⁶, *EDWARD*⁵, *EDWARD*⁴, *THOMAS*³, *EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE WILLIAM)*) was born 1811, and died September 27, 1875. He married LOUISE JOHNSTON ORRICK. She was born 1813, and died 1895.

Child of CHARLES SWANN and LOUISE ORRICK is:

100. i. CROMWELL ORRICK⁹ SWANN, b. 1851; d. 1916.

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95. DONALD JAMES⁹ ELDER (*JAMES BLACKSTON*⁸, *JOHN M.*⁷, *SARAH ROSE*⁶ SWANN, *WILLIAM*⁵, *JAMES*⁴, *JAMES*³, *EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE WILLIAM)*) was born Abt. 1905 in Hancock, Illinois, and died June 01, 1989 in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma²¹⁴. He married DOROTHY ELIZABETH "LIBBY" CAMPBELL, daughter of DUNN CAMPBELL and LOULA BRITT. She was born June 30, 1912 in Little Rock, Arkansas^{215,216}, and died November 12, 1996 in Oklahoma City, OK, interred Rose Hill Burial Park²¹⁷.

Notes for DONALD JAMES ELDER:

1940 census, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, Oklahoma: Donald J. (35) and Elizabeth (27) Elder with children Don J. (4) and Jane (2). Also a housekeeper, Mary Lou Beasley (16). Don was a Painter, Construction Co.

Notes for DOROTHY ELIZABETH "LIBBY" CAMPBELL: Obituary, The Oklahoman, November 13, 1996 Dorothy Elizabeth "Libby" Elder, 84, was born on June 30, 1912 in Little Rock, Arkansas and died Tuesday, November 12, 1996 in Oklahoma City. Libby's charitable contributions spanned more than six decades. She was past president of the Rotary Anns, a member of the Monday Study Club and Junior Hospitality. For more than 33 years, she served as an American Red Cross volunteer for the VA Medical Center and, recently, as an executive on the board of the VA Medical Center Voluntary Services. During the past decade, Libby became an active member of the Oak Leaf Book Club, Town Hall, and the Shrine Widow's Club. Libby also attended the retirement fellowship of Chapel Hill United Methodist Church and was a member of All Souls Episcopal Church for more than 40 years. Libby is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Gay and Ed Kirby of Oklahoma City; daughter, Jan Vaught of Dallas; son and daughter-in-law, Don J. Elder, Jr. and Betty of Tulsa; sister, Mary Ellen Scott of Oklahoma City; grandchildren, Laura Love, Chris Kirby, Julie and Tim Pickens, Craig and Christy Vaught, Eddie and Lynne Elder, Todd and Jill Elder, Donna and Phil Barkley, Eric Elder; eight great-grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband of 55 years, Donald J. Elder; her parents, J. Dunn and Loula Campbell; and her sister, Helen Louise Allen. Services will be held at 1 p.m. on Thursday, at All Souls Episcopal Church, 6400 N. Pennsylvania Ave. Interment will follow at Rose Hill Cemetery with arrangements by Hahn-Cook/Street & Draper Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorials be made to All Souls Episcopal Church, Libby Elder Memorial Fund. The family wishes to thank the staff of Health South of Oklahoma for all their loving care. For her warm smile, boundless energy and constant devotion to her family and friends, Libby will truly be missed. Children of DONALD ELDER and DOROTHY CAMPBELL are:

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- i. DONALD JAMES¹⁰ ELDER, JR., b. February 04, 1936, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma County, Oklahoma; d. September 09, 2005, Tulsa, Tulsa, Oklahoma, interred Memorial Park Cemetery^{218,219}; m. BETTY.

96. TED⁹ ELDER (*JAMES BLACKSTON⁸, JOHN M.⁷, SARAH ROSE⁶ SWANN, WILLIAM⁵, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born Abt. 1907 in Hancock, Illinois, and died April 12, 1964 in Illinois, interred Camp Butler National Cemetery, Springfield, IL²²⁰. He married ALBERTA MARIE MAYES. She was born February 17, 1909 in Illinois, and died April 10, 1964 in Illinois, interred Camp Butler National Cemetery, Springfield, IL.

Notes for TED ELDER:

1930 census, Augusta, Hancock Co, IL: Ted (23) and Alberta M. (21) Elder lived with his parents. Ted was a Hard Road Truck Driver.

1940 census, E So Grand, Springfield, Sangamon, Illinois: Tedd (33) and Alberta (31) Elder with children Teddy (7) and Patsy (3). Ted was a paper hanger and he had finished high school, 4th year.

Children of TED ELDER and ALBERTA MAYES are:

- i. TEDDY¹⁰ ELDER, b. February 09, 1933, Augusta, Illinois²²¹; d. March 1984²²¹.

97. NORMAN CARTER⁹ DICKASON (*WILBUR STEM⁸, THERESSA CATHERINE⁷ STEM, ELIZABETH⁶ SWAN, WILLIAM⁵ SWANN, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born August 21, 1899 in Ruggles, Ashland, Ohio²²², and died March 17, 1997 in Shreve, Wayne, Ohio, interred Wayne Presbyterian Church Cemetery^{223,224,225}. He married MARY JOHNSON October 08, 1924 in Wayne Co, OH²²⁶, daughter of WM. JOHNSON and JENNIE ARMSTRONG. She was born 1901 in Ohio, and died 1978 in Wayne, Ohio, interred Wayne Presbyterian Church Cemetery.

Children of NORMAN DICKASON and MARY JOHNSON are:

- i. DOROTHY LILLIAN¹⁰ DICKASON, b. April 26, 1926, Wooster Wayne, Ohio²²⁷; d. May 21, 2005, Shreve, Wayne Co, OH, interred Oak Grove Cemetery²²⁸; m. (1) MARTIN; m. (2) JERRY W. KRAJCIK, May 29, 1981, Wayne Co, OH²²⁹.
- ii. WILLIAM NORMAN DICKASON, b. February 17, 1930, Wooster Wayen, Ohio²³⁰; d. September 15, 1988, Irving, Texas^{230,231}; m. ELAINE.
- iv. JAMES DICKASON, b. 1933, Wayne, Wayne, Ohio; d. 1934, OH, interred Wayne Presbyterian Church Cemetery.

98. DONALD EUGENE⁹ DICKASON (*JOHN HOWARD⁸, THERESSA CATHERINE⁷ STEM, ELIZABETH⁶ SWAN, WILLIAM⁵ SWANN, JAMES⁴, JAMES³, EDWARD², SWANN (MAYBE¹ WILLIAM)*) was born July 03, 1900 in Wooster, Wayne Co, Ohio²³², and died August 28, 1971 in Sarasota, Sarasota, Florida, interred Wooster Cemetery, Wayne Co, OH²³³. He married MARTHA HAMILTON 1920, daughter of ELMER HAMILTON and FLORA H.. She was born October 13, 1899 in Pennsylvania, and died December 1986 in Sarasota, Sarasota, Florida, interred Wooster Cemetery, Wayne Co, OH²³³.

Notes for DONALD EUGENE DICKASON: He was Director of Nonacademic Personnel at the University of Illinois, and was author of *Personnel handbook for colleges and universities; A guide of practices for non-academic personnel administration*.

1930 census, Beall Ave., Wooster, Wayne, Ohio: Donald (29) and Martha (30) Dickason with children Rachel Jean (5) and Patricia B. (2y 11m). Also father-in-law, Elmer A. Hamilton (61). They owned a home worth \$12,000.

Donald was proprietor of a book store.

1940 census, Beall Avenue, Wooster, Wayne, Ohio: Donald (40) and Martha (40) Dickason with children Rachel (15), Patricia (12), John (8), and Donald (8); also listed was Elmer Hamilton (74). Donald was a Purchasing Agent and he had finished college.

Children of DONALD DICKASON and MARTHA HAMILTON are:

- i. RACHEL JEAN¹⁰ DICKASON, b. July 23, 1924, Wooster Wayne, Ohio²³⁴; d. July 26, 1996, Sarasota, Florida, interred Bee Ridge Presbyterian Church Memorial Gardens^{234,235}.
Notes for RACHEL JEAN DICKASON: She attended Wheaton College and was a freshman in 1945.
- iii. JOHN H. DICKASON, b. June 03, 1931, Wooster, Wayne, Ohio²³⁶; d. July 17, 2006.
- iv. DONALD GARRETT DICKASON, b. June 03, 1931, Wooster, Wayne, Ohio; d. July 17, 2006²³⁷.

99. FREDERICK GARRETT⁹ DICKASON, PH.D. (*JOHN HOWARD*⁸, *THERESSA CATHERINE*⁷ *STEM*, *ELIZABETH*⁶ *SWAN*, *WILLIAM*⁵ *SWANN*, *JAMES*⁴, *JAMES*³, *EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE*¹ *WILLIAM)*) was born June 22, 1904 in Wayne, Wayne, Ohio, and died November 19, 1990 in Kalamazoo, Kalamazoo, Michigan²³⁸. He married (1) BERTHA BELLE BATES September 14, 1929 in Detroit, Wayne, Michigan²³⁹. She was born Abt. 1903 in Grayling, Michigan, and died Bef. 1980. He married (2) ETHEL "BETH" TALCOTT SCUDDER 1980. She was born May 17, 1904 in Kodaikanal, India, and died 2002.

Notes for FREDERICK GARRETT DICKASON, PH.D.: In 1957, he co-authored *Burma Crossroads*, an up-to-date report on the Baptist program in Burma interpreted in the light of the current situation in Southeast Asia.

"Dr. Dickason began his teaching of Botany in India in 1926, and 3 years later went to Burma. He holds his B.S. degree from Wooster; his M.A. and Ph.D. from Ohio State. Is specialist in Burmese ferns and bamboo. Three species of Burma orchids have been named for him by Harvard University. Activities have included relief work, evangelism, administration, and publication work. In 1955, under his direction, books in 17 different languages of Burma and SE Asia were published in Rangoon. Mrs. Dickason is a trained nurse" (source: Program from Burma-Bucknell Weekend, March 1-3, 1957, p. 13).

1940 census, Beall Avenue, Wooster, Wayne, Ohio: Fred (35) and Bertha (36) Dickason with children Ann (10), Jean (7) and Lois (4). Fred was a teacher.

Notes for ETHEL "BETH" TALCOTT SCUDDER: "In 1980 Beth married Dr. Frederick Garrett Dickason, a long-time friend retired to Norristown, PA from a lifelong career as an American Baptist Churches missionary in Burma. In 1985, Beth and Frederick moved to Friendship Village in Kalamazoo. After Frederick died in 1990, Beth continued to live at Friendship Village until her recent illness" (obituary Published in the *Kalamazoo Gazette* on 10/20/2002)

100. CROMWELL ORRICK⁹ SWANN (*CHARLES ALEXANDER*⁸, *WILLIAM THOMAS*⁷, *EDWARD*⁶, *EDWARD*⁵, *EDWARD*⁴, *THOMAS*³, *EDWARD*², *SWANN (MAYBE*¹ *WILLIAM)*) was born 1851, and died 1916.

Child of CROMWELL ORRICK SWANN is:

- i. ELEANOR WASHINGTON¹⁰ SWANN, b. 1892; d. 1997; m. WARD MAYHEW PARKER MITCHELL.

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