

THIRD GENERATION

1A. NANCY DISHER

M. 14 Aug 1827 Fayette Co, Indiana (license) (B:40)
D. aft 1834 and bef abt 1840
(Thomas², Christopher¹) mother: Jane Lewis

Husband: Amos G. **PUMPHREY**
B. abt 1800 Virginia
M2 by 5 Jun 1843 to Mary _____
parents: Nicholas and Elizabeth Pumphrey

Amos G. Pumphrey was named in the 29 Jul 1825 will of Nicholas Pumphrey (recorded 22 Aug 1825) as Nicholas's youngest son. Amos was made an executor and was one of the witnesses.ⁱ

Amos G. Pumphrey and his brothers and sisters executed deeds dividing the real estate of their father on 15 Oct 1825. Amos received the 160 acres constituting the southwest quarter of section 12 in township 13, range 12 in Fayette County. (C:132) He and Nancy sold that land on 6 Jun 1831 to Basil Roberts. (E:374)

Amos G. Pumphrey bought the west half of the southeast quarter of section 5 in township 13, range 13 in Fayette County on 20 Jul 1831 from Rosanna Crulman. (E:418) He bought the east half of that quarter on 1 Sep 1831 from Holesworth and Mary Berry. (E:419) Amos bought 40 acres in the northeast quarter of section 8 in that township on 22 Jul 1833 from David Ferree. (F:300)

Blair M. and Eliza Pumphrey conveyed Lot 6 in the North Addition to Connersville to Amos G. Pumphrey on 13 Mch 1841. (L:409) The same day, Amos sold the east half of the southeast quarter of section 5 to William Gordon, Sen. (K:388) On 5 Jun 1843, Amos G. and his wife Mary sold Lot 6 in Connersville to Daniel Morrison. (L:410) Amos and his wife sold the west half of the southeast quarter of section 5 on 29 Sep 1848 to Blair M. Pumphrey. (P:411)

An Amos Pumphrey, engaged in agriculture and aged between 30 and 40 is listed by himself in Connersville, Fayette County, Indiana (p. 75) in the 1840 census, next to the household of Elisha Plummer. A.G. Pumphrey is listed in the 1842 tax list of Fayette County at Connersville, with one poll and 80 acres of land consisting of the W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of § 5, T13, R13.ⁱⁱ

An Amos G. Pumphrey of Marshall County purchased 80 acres (the E2 of NE4) in section 19, T 33, R 3 in Marshall County on 14 Jan 1849 from John W. and Lavisa Allen. (F:42) Amos and Mary Pumphrey sold that land on 4 Oct 1854 to Henry Sander. (J:250) In the meantime, they sold Lot 3 in North Salem on 17 Mch 1853 to John

Hall (H:463) and land in the northeast quarter of section 19, T 33, R 4 to Andrew Horner on 18 Jul 1853.

Amos and his new wife appear to be listed in the 1850 census for Marshall County, Indiana (p. 465, ln 10; 261/261):

Amos Pumphrey	50	Farmer	1000	Va
Polly	38			Ky
Amanda	18			Ia
Eliza E.	15			"
Geor B.	7	(male)		"
Martha	4			"

The combination of the above deeds and the census records seem to imply that Nancy died in 1835 or not long afterwards, probably prior to June 1840 and certainly by 5 Jun 1843.

North Salem or Lycurgus was laid out to the southwest of Inwood in Marshall County, on the Leesburg Road, in 1851 by Barrack Plummer, Basil Roberts and A.G. Pumphrey. History of Indiana: Special Edition for Marshall County at v. II, p. 47 (Madison, Wis. 1890).

A letter from Mary J. Anderson to the Plymouth Museum, dated 11 Nov 1965, is in the Pumphrey genealogical file in the Plymouth library. Ms. Anderson states that Jane (Disher) Pumphrey was her great-grandmother and that the family bible states that Jane was buried in Plymouth, Indiana, next to her husband. Ms. Anderson had then been a genealogist for 20 years and was working on a pamphlet on the Pumphrey family.

The marriages of Amanda Melvina and Eliza are shown to be marriages of Nancy's children by the suit mentioned under Stephen Disher.

Children of Amos and Nancy, inc: (Pumphrey)

1A1. Amanda b. abt 1832 Indiana (1850 cen)
Melvina m. 14 May 1850 Marshall Co, Ind (B1:70)
to Nelson **Sampson**

1A2. Eliza E. b. abt 1835 Indiana (1850 cen)
m. 20 Mch 1853 Marshall Co, Ind (B1:127)
to Calvin **Burns**

1B. THOMAS L. DISHER

B. 30 Aug 1811 Bracken County, Kentucky
M1 1 Nov 1832 Fayette County, Indiana (B:370)
M2 14 Jun 1836
D. 30 Jul 1900 Etna Green, Kosciusko Co, Indiana
(Thomas², Christopher¹) mother: Jane Lewis

Wife (1): Minerva Jane **FULLEN**

D. abt 1835
parents: Samuel Fullen and Elizabeth Davis

Wife (2): Mary (Polly) **LEWIS**
B. 8 Feb 1816 Ohio
D. 2 Sep 1912 Warsaw, Kosciusko Co, Indiana
parents: Thomas Power Lewis and Elizabeth Thompson

Thomas and Minerva were married by Rev. William Thompson, M.G. It seems very likely that Minerva was one of the younger children of Samuel Fullen and his wife Elizabeth. Minerva named her first child "Samuel F. Disher." Samuel Fullen was an early settler of section 12, the section in which the elder Thomas Disher resided in the 1820s. Samuel had entered the southwest quarter of that section on 22 Oct 1811. The elder Samuel had a son Samuel who was substantially older than Minerva, but Samuel, Jr.'s fifteen children are listed in H.W. Beckwith's History of Montgomery County at 226 (1881), and Minerva is not among them. The families were certainly acquainted. Samuel Fullen, justice of the peace, was a witness to the deed of 7 Oct 1825 by which the elder Thomas purchased land in section 12 from Samuel and Elizabeth Wise.

Mary Lewis is asserted to be the daughter of Thomas Power Lewis and Elizabeth Thompson and a first cousin to Thomas L. Disher in Michael L. Cook's Pioneer Lewis Families (IV:1020; V:425 & 428). Her death record in Kosciusko County, however, says she was the daughter of Thomas Lewis, born in Virginia, and Nancy Driscoll, born in Ireland. The latter seems unlikely in that Thomas and Nancy were not married until 7 Mch 1824, eight years after Polly's birth. Thomas Lewis was divorced from his first wife, Elizabeth.

Thomas was probably the Thomas Disher listed in Upper Alton Precinct, Madison County, Illinois in the 1840 census (p. 150 or 155):

Tho Disher	<u>males</u>	<u>females</u>
	2 < 5	1 < 5
	2 20<30	1 20<30
2 persons engaged in agriculture		
2 persons 20 years of age who can't read and write		

On 23 Mch 1847, Hawkins Helm & Co. recovered a judgment of \$198.87 against Thomas L. Disher in an action for debt in Fulton County Court in Indiana.ⁱⁱⁱ

Thomas is in Rochester township, Fulton County, Indiana in the 1850 census (p. 423; 21 Aug 1850; 164/164):

Thos L. Disher	38	Farmer	150	Ky
Mary	34			O
Samuel	16	Laborer		I [nd]
Thos Jr	15			"
Nancy I.	13			"
Christopher	10			"

Virginia 7 "

In 1860, he and Polly are in Peru in Miami County, Indiana (p. 22, ln 28; 163/165):

Thomas L. Disher	48	Teamster 600	Kentucky
Mary	44		Ohio
Christopher	20	Farming	Illinois
Virginia	17		Indiana
Mary E.	10		"
George W.	8		"
Sarah	4		Ohio
Francis Pernee	24	Boatman	Indiana
Nancy Jane "	23		"

In 1870, they are in the second ward in Peru (p. 9 (182), ln 30; 63/74):

Disher, Thomas L	59	Labour	Kentucky	
Polly	54	Keeping House	Ohio	CW
Virginia	27		Illinois	CW
Mary E	20		Indiana	
Sarah M	14		"	AS
Georgia	1/12		"	b. May

There are several conveyances involving "Thomas Disher, Senior" in Marshall County. I have assumed for present purposes that they all relate to the eldest Thomas (b. 1788). In most cases this is clear, but some deeds are less certain without further examination of actual copies of all the Thomas Disher conveyances.

Thomas and Polly are in Etna Green, Kosciusko County, Indiana in 1880 (E.D. 49, p. 16, ln 36; 159/163):

Disher, Thomas	69	Laborer	Kentucky	Virginia
Polly	64	wf KH	Ohio	

The next household I take to be that of their daughter (ln 38; 160/164):

Anderson, Joseph L.	27	Carpenter	Canada	Can	Eng
Mary E.	30	wf KH	Indiana	Ky	Ohio
George F.	5	son	"		
Christopher	2	son	"		

Disher, Georgia 10 niece at sch Indiana Ohio [Illinois]
Perhaps Georgia was the daughter of Christopher Disher, even though Christopher described himself only as having a son named George who died in 1868.

The first land purchase in Kosciusko County that is clearly that of the second Thomas is the acquisition on 16 Apr 1883 by Thomas L. Disher of lots 5 and 6 in Etna Green and lots 3 & 4 in David's Addition to Etna Green from C.W. Chapman. (56:414) Thomas L. and Polly Disher conveyed those lots to Chris Disher on 29 Jan 1898, reserving a life estate and requiring the grantee to "provide a decent and respectable burial" at their death. (80:501)

- 1B3. Nancy b. Jun 1836 Indiana
 Jane m. bf Jun 1860 Miami Co, Indiana (C1:148)
 to Francis **Pernee**
 d. aft Oct 1916
- 1B4. Christopher b. 14 May 1840 Madison Co, Illinois
 m. 27 Sep 1866 Miami Co, Indiana (C3:520)
 to Matilda **Beecher**
 d. 1 Nov 1916 Peru, Miami Co, Indiana
- 1B5. Virginia b. Apr 1843 Illinois
 m1 28 Dec 1881 Kosciusko Co, Indiana (F:528)
 to Moses J. **Coons** (?)
 m2 abt 1889
 to Samuel **Schaeffer**
 d. aft Oct 1916
- 1B6. Mary b. abt 1850 Indiana
 Elizabeth m. Sep 1875 Detroit, Michigan
 to Joseph F. **Andrews**
 D. 12 Dec 1897 Etna Green, Kosciusko Co, Ind
- 1B7. George W. b. abt 1852 Indiana
- 1B8. Sarah M. b. abt 1856 Indiana or Ohio

1C. AMANDA JANE DISHER

M. 29 Jul 1832 Fayette Co, Indiana (B:353)
 (Thomas², Christopher¹) mother: Jane Lewis

Husband: Philander **CLIFFORD**

Jane's name is once listed as Jane and once as Amanda Jane in connection with her marriage, which was performed by Rev. John W. McReynolds, Minister of the Gospel. It is not certain that she was a daughter of Thomas², although no other Disher family appears to have resided in Fayette County at the time of her marriage. At least two of Thomas's other children, Margaret and Peter, named children Amanda--in Peter's case, Amanda Jane.

Ephraim, Isaac, Benjamin, William, John and Jonathan Clifford are mentioned in the Fayette County land records, but I have found no reference to Philander.

A Philander Clifford is in Center township, Rush Co, Indiana in the 1850 census (p. 496, ln 1; 143/146):

Philander Clifford	35	Farmer	1000	Con ^t
Margaret	"	31		un.
David	"	12		Ind
Casius	"	2		"

A Philander Clifford is listed in the same township in the 1860 census (p. 159 (898), ln 11; 1109/1115):

Philander Clifford	46	Farmer	5000	1200	NH
Margaret	"		45		Pa
Cassius R	"		12		Ind
Mary E	"		6		"
Frances Windsor	22				"

1D. MARGARET ELLEN DISHER

B. 1818-19 Indiana
M1 9 Feb 1837 Fayette Co, Indiana (D:11)
M2 29 Oct 1857 Marshall Co, Indiana (A:203)
(Thomas², Christopher¹) mother: Jane Lewis

Husband (1): James Axley **STALLARD**
B. 6 Feb 1816 Lincoln Co, Tennessee^{iv}
parents: James W. Stallard and Sarah W. McClure

Husband (2): Zebedee D. **BOULTON**
B. abt 1812 New Jersey

James A. Stalyard and Ellen Disher, both of Fayette County, are recorded as having been married there by Presley Silvey.

A James A. Stallard is listed in the 1840 census in Union County in Indiana, with a household consisting of one male and one female 20 to 30. (p. 302) There is also a James N. Stolard listed in the 1842 tax list for Jackson township in Fayette County.^v Only one poll and no land is listed.

James A. Stallard witnessed a Fayette County deed by Thomas and Jane Disher to Sanford Honeywell on 6 Jan 1840. (K:59) James purchased 40 acres in the southeast quarter of section 17, township 13, range 12 in Fayette County on 29 Aug 1846 from James and Elizabeth Cotton. (N:438) He sold that land to William Wherrett on 6 May 1848. (O:471)

It would appear from the birth of his daughter Amanda that James removed to Noblesville, Hamilton County in 1848 and a published comment concerning Amanda indicates that she came to Marshall County in October 1852.

James is listed, however, in Orange township in Fayette County in 1850 (p. 265; 145/147):

James A. Stallard	31	Schoolteacher	500	Va
Margaret E.	"		28	Ind
Sarah J.	"		12	"
Mary E.	"		10	"
Eliza H.	"		8	"
Nancy A.	"		5	"
Amanda H.	"		2	"

While still resident in Fayette County, on 8 Mch 1844, James A. and Margaret E. Stallard sold land in section 32 of Marshall County to Wesley McDuffee of Rush County. (Mshl Co E:44) James A Stallard bought other land in that section on 25 Mch 1844 from William and Nancy C. Bedell of Rush County. (E:45) James was still described as of Fayette County on 23 Oct 1849, when he bought 80 acres in section 11 (T 33, R 3) from William and Minerva Plummer of Fayette County.

James Stallard was a minister according to the gravestone of his daughter:

SARAH J.
dau. of Rev. J.A. & M.E. Stallard
died Nov. 9, 1854
aged 16 yrs. 9 mos & 21 ds
Summit Chapel Cemetery, Tippecanoe township, Marshall County,
Indiana (not verbatim).

The Marshall County genealogical index contains a reference to a James A. Stallard probate record, found in probate book A and dated 30 Dec 1857. There is another reference to a James Stallard probate record in probate book B.

Zebedee D. Boulton, who by that time had married James's widow, served as his administrator. William Erwin, the guardian of Nancy H., Amanda H. and Alexy. A. Stallard, minor heirs of James A. Stallard, deeded their undivided 3/5 interest in 33 acres in section 33 in Marshall County to Amos Rockhill on 21 Jun 1859, subject to the life estate of Margaret Boulton. (N:149) Zebedee D. Boulton, as administrator of the estate of James A. Stallard, gave another deed to Amos Rockhill on behalf of Margaret E. Boulton, the widow, Mary Fankboner and Wesley Fankboner, her husband, Eliza Helen Linn and Timothy T. Linn, her husband, and Nancy, Amanda and Alice Stallard.

On 7 February 1868, Jeptha Disher was appointed guardian of Mary E. Frankboner [sic], and Eliza H., Nancey A., Amanda H. and Axley Ann Stallard, as children or heirs of James A. Stallard, presumably in connection with property inherited from James or his family. www.ingenweb.org/inmarshall/guardianship.html, citing Marshall County Guardianships, Box G-6.

Zebedee Boulton was a lawyer. See, e.g., Daniel McDonald, History of Marshall County, Indiana 1836-1880 at 33, 124 (1881).

Zebedee and Margaret are listed in the town of Bourbon in the 1870 census (p. 6, ln 29; 53/52):

Boulton, Z. D.	57	Lawyer	2000	500	New Jersey
Margarett	51	Keeping H			Ind
Jay	11				"
Stallard, Alice	13				"

The next household is that of Thomas Boulton, age 30 and born in

Ohio, the town marshall.

In 1880, the family is still in Bourbon (p. 20; 197/201):
Boulton, Z. D. 70 lawyer Penn Penn Penn
Margaret E 60 wife K H Ind Ky Ky
Jay 21 son makes brooms Ind
Ora B. Parks, who later married, Jay Boulton, is listed in the
1880 census (age 16, born Indiana) as the adopted daughter of
James O. and Susan Parks.

The Stallard Connection: A Family History mentions quit
claims signed by the heirs of James A. Stallard on September 10,
1885, apparently in connection with the property of the
grandfather, James W. Stallard (Rush Co. deeds 24:58):

Wife, Margaret E. & Zebedee D. Boulton, Marshall Co, Ind
Mary E. & George W. Faukboner, Cuyahoga Co, Ohio
Eliza H. & Timothy T. Linn, Marshall Co, Ind
Nancy & William H. Kaiser, Gage Co, Neb
Amanda H. & Winfield S. Ramsey, Marshall Co, Ind
Axla M. & Wesley S. Snyder, Montgomery Co, Ohio

Children of Margaret and James: (Stallard)

- 1D1. Sarah J. b. 19 Jan 1838
d. 9 Nov 1854 bu: Summit Chapel cem, Marshall Co
- 1D2. Mary E. b. abt 1840
m. to George Wesley **Fankboner**
res Cuyahoga Co, Ohio 10 Sep 1885
- 1D3. Eliza b. abt 1842 Indiana
Helen m. 23 Jun 1858 Marshall Co, Indiana (A:244)
to Timothy T. **Linn**
- 1D4. Nancy A. b. abt 1845 Indiana
m. 24 Jul 1862 Marshall Co, Indiana^{vi} (B:14)
to William H. **Kaiser**
res. Gage Co, Nebraska 10 Sep 1885
pvt, Co. D, 73d regt
- 1D5. Amanda H. b. 25 Aug 1848 Noblesville, Hamilton Co, Indiana
m. 14 Apr 1866 Marshall Co, Indiana (B:328)
to Winfield S. **Ramsey**
- 1D6. Axley b. Indiana
Alice m. 5 Oct 1874 Marshall Co, Indiana (D:80)
to Wesley S. **Snyder**
res. Montgomery Co, Ohio 10 Sep 1885

Child of Margaret and Zebedee: (Boulton)

- 1D7. Jay B. b. abt 1859 Indiana

m. 17 Oct 1883 Marshall Co, Indiana (F:1)
to Ora B. Parks

1E. JEPHTHA DISHER

B. 1 Nov 1821 Indiana
M. 17 Dec 1843 Bracken Co, Kentucky
D. 26 Aug 1890 Tippecanoe twp, Marshall Co, Indiana
bu: IOOF cemetery, Bourbon, Indiana
(Thomas², Christopher¹) mother: Jane Lewis

Wife: Nancy Jane DISHER (# 3E)
B. 12 Jun 1828 Maysville, Bracken Co, Kentucky
D. 28 Mch 1906 Hansboro, Towner Co, North Dakota
bu: IOOF cemetery, Bourbon, Indiana
(Peter², Christopher¹) mother: Mary Linville

Jeptha Disher and Jonathan Basset gave their bond on 15 Dec 1843 for the marriage of Jeptha and "Nancy Jane Disher the daughter of Peter Disher." They were married by A. Houtton.

An 1890 biographical sketch of Jeptha's son Peter says:

His father, Jeptha Disher, one of Marshall county's old and well known farmers, was born in southern Indiana, but moved to Kentucky when a young man and was there married to his cousin, Nancy J. Disher, who bore him seven children, five of whom survive, viz.: John, Peter, Alice, William and Owen, all of whom with the exception of Alice, now Mrs. Iden, who lives in Nebraska, reside in Marshall county. Jeptha Disher moved to Indiana in 1854, locating in Bourbon township, Marshall county, and later moved to Tippecanoe township where he still resides.

History of Indiana (Marshall Co.) at 166 (1890).

Jeptha Disher is listed in Bracken County, Kentucky in the 1850 census (p. 401; 251/251):

Jeptha Disher	28	Farmer	500	Ind
Nancy J	22			Ky
John	5			"
Peter T	16/12			"
Clas Whitaker	15			"

Jeptha was "of Fayette County" on 10 Sep 1847, when he bought the west half of the southwest quarter of section 28 in T 33, R 4, Marshall County, Indiana for \$400 from his father Thomas. (E:277) I assume it is this land, even though it is described as the west half of the northwest quarter, that Jeptha and Nancy Jane Disher sold to Elisha T. Guy on 31 Mch 1864 for \$3600. (R:198) The same day, Jeptha bought from Wesley McDuffie the south half of the northeast quarter in section 32

and the south half of the west half of the northwest quarter in section 33. (R:197) Jephtha sold a third of this land (the south half of the northeast quarter) on 8 Aug 1864 to William T. Plummer (R:391), who bought 50 acres in the east half of the northwest quarter of section 32 the same day from Thomas Disher, Senior. William T. Plummer and his wife also sold on 8 Aug 1864 to Jephtha Disher the remaining 30 acres in the east half of the northwest quarter of section 32, the north half of the northeast quarter in that section and the north half of the west half of the northwest quarter of section 33. (R:390) Jephtha bought a further 10 acres in the northeast corner of the southwest quarter of section 32 on 9 Oct 1865 from Rebecca Grant. (U:440) Peter Disher sold Jephtha 60 acres in section 29 on 13 Feb 1876. (15:95) Jephtha sold the 150 acres acquired from William Plummer, the ten acres bought from Rebecca Grant and the 60 acres purchased from Peter Disher on 23 Sep 1878 to William Disher. (16:502)

By 1860, the family had settled in Bourbon township in Marshall County, Indiana (p. 126; 886/921):

Jephtha Disher	38	Farmer	2200	775	Ind
Nancy J.	31	housekeeper			Ky
John	15	farmer			Ind
Peter [J or T]	11				Ky
Sarah E	8				Ind
James W	7				"
Wm	3				"
Owen	9/12				"
David McCartney	25	Farm Laborer			Ohio
Sarah J. Markel	19	Housemaid			Ind

In 1870, Jephtha and Nancy are in Tippecanoe township in Marshall County (p. 7, ln 20; 57/57):

Disher, Jephtha	49	Farmer	9600	900	Indiana
Nancy	42	KH			Kentucky
Peter F	20	Farm Boy			"
William	12				Indiana
Owen	10				"
Thomas	82	No occupation			Virginia

Jephtha and Nancy are also listed in Tippecanoe township in 1880 (p. 24; 216/264):

Disher, Jephtha	59	Farmer	Ind	Va	Va
Nancy J	52	wf KH	Ind	Va	Ky
William	24	son farmer	Ind		
Owen	20	son farmer	"		
Moddie	10	Gr Dr A Sc	"	Ind	Ohio
Garner, William	21	Laborer	"	"	"

Minnie R. Swindell, in her Story of Marshall County, at p. 72 (1923), states that a Methodist church was organized at Bourbon in 1850 and that "the first trustees were Jephtha Disher,

Dr. John F. Parks and Steven Sharp."

Jeptha Disher, however, was described as of Bracken County, Kentucky when he bought 53.61 acres of land in section 13 of township 13, range 12 in Fayette County, Indiana on 27 Oct 1851. (Fayette deeds Q:229) Jeptha and Nancy Jane Disher sold the same land on 25 Feb 1852 to John Brumfield. (Q:361)

Daniel McDonald's History of Marshall County, Indiana, 1836 to 1880 (1881) lists (at p. 58) Jeptha Disher as a veteran still living of the Bourbon Light Infantry, organized in 1854. He also states that Jeptha Disher served as a Noble Grand of the IOOF in 1865. (p. 129)

The Souvenir Program, Bourbon Indiana Bicentennial Celebration (1 Jun 1976) says that Jeptha Disher hauled the logs for the construction of the Methodist Church in Bourbon in about 1859 (p. 39), that he was among the first trustees for Bourbon Township (p. 36) and that he was elected to an annual term on the executive committee of the Bourbon Grange on 20 Jan 1876 (p. 4).

The Bourbon Mirror of 28 Aug 1890 carried Jeptha's obituary at p. 3:

[Jeptha Disher died Tuesday afternoon about 6 o'clock.] Two weeks and one day previous he was attacked with paralysis, which affected his entire right side, but he soon rallied, and in a few days was able to walk around about his farm, and on the morning of Tuesday remarked that he felt as well as he ever did, and after eating a hearty supper about 5 o'clock remarked to his wife that she had better go and see their son William, who was sick, and he would go and drive the cows up. They were in a woods pasture near by, and soon after he was heard to call out like he was in trouble, and Mr. Nye, a nighbor [sic], got on top of his fence and could see him staggering along apparently in the direction of his house. Mr. N. ran to his assistance and as soon as he reached him, Mr. D. said "take me home, I am going to die." Mr. N. took hold of him and seated him on a stump, and asked him if he could sit there while he ran to the house and got the buggy. He intimated that he would, and Mr. N. hastened to get the vehicle, but when he returned to where he had left him, accompanied by his wife and another neighbor, they found him lying on the ground beside the stump, dead. Life was extinct, and nothing could be done but carry him back to his house, which was done.

Mr. Disher was a prominent and highly respected citizen of Tippecanoe township, in this county. His residence was about two and a half or three miles southeast of this place. It had been his home for many years. He was born sometime in October 1821, and consequently lacked only about two months of being 69 years of age.

Nancy Jane Disher applied, on 25 Sep 1890, for an inventory of the estate of Jeptha Disher (Marshall Co, case 2, box 122):

130 bushels wheat	104.00
6 acres corn in field	30
6 bushels clover seed	18

one lot clover hay		15	
one 7 year old spotted mare	50		
one spotted suckling colt	35		
one boy colt		40	
one spotted cow		25	
10 shoats			38
2 Brood sows		20	
one spring calf	5		
one old carriage		10	
1 cook stove & furniture & tin ware		10	
one parlor stove		5	
2 bureaus			5
2 stands			2
one bedstead Bed & bedding	5		
" " " " "		5	
One [cane set] chairs	1[04]		
2 rocking chairs		1.25	
one wooden sett chairs		1.00	
One Lot of carpet		5	
one cupboard & cupboard ware		5	
sewing machine			5
crockery		<u>2</u>	
			443.25
one mower			35

Jeptha Disher does not appear in the Marshall County deeds after he sold all his land to William Disher in 1878. Nancy Jane Disher did, however, purchase 40 acres from William Disher on 11 Apr 1883. (45:133) There were several intra-family transfers about 1900, when William and John left for North Dakota.

Nancy's obituary was in the Bourbon News-Mirror on 5 Apr. 1906, at p. 1:

Nancy Jane Disher was born June 12, 1828, in Maysville, Bracken Co., Kentucky, and died March 28, 1906, at Hansboro, North Dakota, aged 77 years, 9 months and 16 days. She was married to Jeptha Disher, Dec. 17, 1843. To this union were born Mary Jane, who died in infancy, and James Wesley, who passed away at the age of twelve, Owen the youngest son dying Nov. 10, 1905, John, Peter, William, and Alice, all of whom were present to assist in the last tender mercies. They came to Indiana early in their married life After her husband's death she lived with her children experiencing at varied times the rugged new country life in Nebraska, Kansas and North Dakota. . . . She also cared for her first grandchild from babyhood.

[19 grandchildren]

bu: IOOF Cemetery, Bourbon, Indiana
(Thomas², Christopher¹) mother: Jane Lewis

Husband: Thomas Flint **PLUMMER**

B. 18 Dec 1816 Stokes County, North Carolina

D. 5 Dec 1891 Marshall County, Indiana

bu: IOOF Cemetery, Bourbon, Indiana

parents: Elisha Plummer and _____ Flint (Msh ds H22:74)

A Thomas Plummer is listed in the 1840 census for Jackson township, Fayette County, Indiana (p. 95), with a household:

<u>males</u>	<u>females</u>	
1 20<30	1 20<30	
1 60<70	1 60<70	2 engaged in agriculture

This is probably not the right Thomas, as a Thomas and Barbara Plummer, whose son William Childs Plummer (b. 1809) later removed to Marshall County, lived in Fayette County. See Daniel McDonald, History of Marshall County, Indiana 1836 to 1880 at 132 (1881). Moreover, Elisha Plummer is listed in Connersville township (p. 75) with a large household, including a male aged 20 to 30.

A Thomas Plummer is listed in the 1842 tax list for Jackson township, Fayette County with 120 acres of land consisting of the NE 1/4 of section 28, T13, R13. There is also a Thomas F. Plummer listed with one poll, but no land.^{ix}

In 1850, Thomas Plummer is in Jackson township, Fayette County (p. 293; 174/177; 3 households from Thomas Disher):

Thomas Plummer	30	Farmer	250	N.C.
Eliza	"	26		Ind
S. M.	1	(fem)		"

Nancy J. Plummer, age 4, is listed in the household of William Mc[H]wain, just after that of Thomas Disher and 4 households after Thomas Plummer.

On 16 Feb 1852, Thomas F. Plummer bought the west half of the northeast quarter of section 33 in Tippecanoe township, Marshall County from William Smallwood and, on the same day, the east half of the same quarter section from Samuel Smallwood. (I:591 & I:592)

In 1860, Thomas is in Tippecanoe township, Marshall County, Indiana (p. 129; 908/942):

Thomas Plummer	43	farmer	4000	305	N.C.
Eliza	36	housekeeper			Ind
Nancy J.	14				"
Sarah M.	12				"
Thomas W.	8				"

On 17 Feb 1863, Thomas purchased 40 acres in section 31 from Thomas Disher, Senior for \$800 and a promise to pay \$200 to Mrs. M. Bolton and Thomas Disher, Jr. Thomas Disher, Senior was to have control over the property until his death. (R:110)

In 1870, Thomas was in Tippecanoe township (p. 16, ln 33):

Plummer, Thomas	21	Farmer	8000	400	North Carolina
Eliza	47	KH			Ind
Thomas	19	Farm Boy			"
Franklin	10				"

In 1880, the family is still in Tippecanoe township, Marshall County (p. 22; 204/250):

Plummer, T. F.	64	farmer		NC	NC	NC
Lisa	57	wf		Ind	Ky	Ky
Miller, Frank	20	Hired		Iowa	Iowa	Iowa

The Bourbon Mirror of 10 Dec 1891 carried the obituary of Thomas F. Plummer (his gravestone says only "Flint Plummer"):

[Plummer was born in Stokes County, North Carolina, December 18, 1816. He came in boyhood with his parents to Fayette County, Indiana, where he married Eliza A. Disher, Nov. 18, 1844. They had two daughters and one son. Thomas F. and Eliza, with their children, moved in 1852 to Marshall County.

Seven years ago they left the farm, on which his son now resides, and came to Bourbon.] On the way to attend a family gathering at his son's and anticipating a great pleasure therein, Brother Plummer received a sudden summons hence and died in his carriage without a word or struggle, on the morning of Saturday, December 5, 1891, just thirteen days before completing his seventy-fifth year. [He is survived by his wife, son, daughter, and grandchildren. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church for about 40 years.]

Eliza's Marshall County death record indicates that her parents were Thos Disher and Jane Lewis. (H26:16)

The Plummer genealogical file in the Plymouth library contains an order, dated 25 May 1893, making final disposition of the estate of Thomas F. Plummer, Eliza A. Plummer, administratrix. It states that, at his death, the decedent was seized of the east half of the northeast quarter of section 33 in Township 33 North, Range 4 East (80 acres), Lot No. 5 on the original plat of Bourbon and Lot No. 4 in Block 1 of Davis's addition in Bourbon. The heirs were:

Eliza A. Plummer, widow
 Sarah M. Beck, child
 Thomas W. Plummer, child
 Ellis F. Rockhill, grandchild
 William F. Rockhill, grandchild

Children: (Plummer)

1F1. Nancy J. b. abt 1846 Indiana
 m. by 1865
 to Ellis Henry **Rockhill**
 d. bef 1878

1F2. Sarah M. b. abt 1848 Indiana
m. to David L. **Beck**

1F3. Thomas W. b. 29 Sep 1851 Indiana
m. to Alice _____
d. 20 Mch 1925 Etna Green, Kosc Co, Ind (Msh ds)

1G. PETER DISHER

B. 13 Feb 1827 Rush County, Indiana
M. 30 Jul 1854 Marshall Co, Indiana (B:162)
D. 4 Oct 1905 Bourbon twp, Marshall Co, Indiana (ds H26:25
bu: IOOF cemetery, Bourbon, Indiana
(Thomas², Christopher¹) mother: Jane Lewis

Wife: Melvina **SPARROW**

B. 10 Aug 1836 Ohio
D. 4 May 1879 Marshall Co, Indiana
bu: IOOF cemetery, Bourbon, Indiana

I assume it was this Peter Disher who was the one, said to be "of Fayette County," who bought 120 acres in Fulton County, Indiana on 7 Oct 1851 from John P. and Margaret M. Kelley. The land was in sections 11 and 12 of township 30, range 2. (H:86) Peter was "of Marshall County" by 28 Jan 1854, when he sold this land to George G. Heston. (H:607)

Peter's first land purchase in Marshall County appears to have been on 31 Dec 1852, when he bought 80 acres in section 28 from his father. (H:410) He bought another 40 acres in section 32 on 26 Mch 1864 from Davis Garner. (R:110) The latter property Peter sold on 1 Dec 1868 to William T. Plummer. (1:78) After about 1874 it becomes difficult to separate Peter's land transactions from those of his nephew Peter, the son of Jeptha. It was clearly the elder Peter, however, who sold the 80 acres bought in 1852 to Ellis H. Rockhill on 26 Dec 1874. (12:175)

Peter and Melvina are listed in Bourbon township, Marshall County in the 1860 census (p. 126; 890/925):

Peter Disher	31	Farmer	1600 300	Ind
Melvina "	23	Housekeeper		Ohio
Amanda J.	4			Ind
Arthur L.	2			"
Mary L.	6/12			"

They lived in the same township in 1870 (p. 15, ln 36; 109):

Discher, Peter	43	Farmer	3000 400	Ind
Melvina	33	Keeping House		Ohio
Amanda	15			Ind
Arthur	14			"
Elmer	9			"
Clara E	5			"

Flora	4	"
Nelson	2	"
Harry	1	"

The family also resided in Bourbon township in 1880, next to the household of John Disher (p. 6; 50/51):

Disher, Peter	53	md	Farmer	Ind	[Ky stricken, Va inserted
Leslie	22	son	works on farm	Ind	Ind Ohio
Elmer	18	son	"	"	" "
Clara	15	dau		"	" "
Laura	14	dau		"	" "
Nelson	12	son		"	" "
Charley	5	son		"	" "

A Mrs. Peter Disher helped with the decorations for the Bourbon Centennial celebration of 4 July 1876, although this may have been the wife of Peter's nephew. Souvenir Program, Bourbon, Indiana Bicentennial Celebration at 70 (1976).

Peter was a resident of Bourbon township at the time of the 1900 census (E.D. 68, sh 7; 153/153):

Disher, Peter	Feb 1827	Wd	Ind	Va	Va	Farmer
_____ Clara	Jun 1864	dau	Ind	Ind	Ohio	

Peter Disher died at his home five miles northwest of Bourbon on Wednesday morning, 4 Oct 1905, at 4 o'clock. The Bourbon News-Mirror, Oct. 5, 1905. His obituary states:

Peter Disher was born in Rush County, Indiana, Feb. 4, 1827, and departed this life Oct. 4, 1905, aged 78 years, 7 months and 19 days.

He was married to Melvina Sparrow July 30, 1854. To this union were born ten children, five sons and five daughters, five having preceded him to the spirit world. The wife and mother died May 4, 1879, leaving him with a family of eight children, the youngest an infant.

He leaves five children, ten grandchildren and five great grandchildren

He was the last of a family of seven children, three brothers and three sisters. For half a century Mr. Disher has been a resident of Marshall County. . . .

[He and his wife converted early in married life to the Methodist Episcopal church.]

[For several years he was greatly afflicted.]

The Bourbon News-Mirror, Oct. 12, 1905, p. 8.

Peter Disher was a resident of Bourbon township when he made his will on 15 May 1905. He provided that his daughter Florence Zerkel was to receive the share that would otherwise have gone to his grandson Daniel D. Corl and named his children, Amanda Brinley, Arthur L. Disher, Elmer E. Disher, Florence Zerkel, and Nelson Disher and his granddaughter Hope Disher. (Marshall Co probate estate # 1780) Nelson Disher submitted a claim for \$178.50 for board, lodging, washing and care for the last 51 weeks of Peter's

m. 25 Dec 1896 Bremen, Marshall Co, Ind (3:4:4)
to Lucinda **Anderson**
d. 17 Jan 1898 (PD Bib)

1G10. Elcada b. 30 Apr 1879 Marshall Co, Indiana (PD Bib)
d. 15 Aug 1879 bu: IOOF Cem, Bourbon, Indiana "

1H. STEPHEN T. DISHER

B. 2 Feb 1830 Indiana
M. 22 Feb 1852 Bracken Co, Kentucky (1:161)
D. 22 Mch 1884 Adams, Gage Co, Nebraska
bu: Highland cem, Adams, Nebraska
(Thomas², Christopher¹) mother: Jane Lewis

Wife: Sarah **ASHCRAFT**

B. 6 May 1830 Kentucky
D. 19 Feb 1905 bu: Highland cem, Adams, Nebraska

Stephen and Sarah were married by the Rev. William Hill, a Methodist Episcopal minister. Witnesses were Stephen Vanderen, Aaron Owens and Samuel Case.

Stephen bought 80 of his father's original 240 acres in section 28 of Bourbon township in Marshall County, Indiana on 31 Dec 1852. (H:409) Stephen and Sarah sold all but half an acre of this land on 1 Oct 1860 to Anna and Ellis Henry Rockhill. (M:544)
On 11 Mch 1864, Stephen bought 105 acres in the northwest quarter of section 31 from Thomas Disher, Senior. (T:187) Stephen appears to have sold the land in section 31 on 8 Jun 1870 to Matthew Ervin. (3:369) The half acre remaining in section 28 was sold on 30 Dec 1870 to Grason H. Parks. (5:140)

Stephen bought land in Kosciusko County on 12 Feb 1860, acquiring the E2 of the NW4 of section 22, T 33, R 4, from Joshua and Nancy S. Baker and Samuel and Mary Baker. (20:425) He and Sarah, described as "of Kosciusko County," sold the east 40 acres of that land to Thomas Disher, Junior on 12 Mch 1864. (25:2) Stephen and Sarah were "of Marshall County on 24 Nov 1868, when they sold the remaining 40 acres to Zibe Hozen. (32:173)

Stephen and Sarah were in Bourbon, Marshall County, Indiana in 1860, in the household adjacent to Jephtha Disher (p. 126; 887/922):

Stephen Disher	30	Farmer	1800	640	Ind
Sarah	"	30	Housekeeper		Ky
O. S. Gaskill	22	School Teacher			Ohio

They were in Tippecanoe township in 1870, also next to Jephtha Disher (p. 7, ln 26; 58/58):

Disher, Stephen	40	Farmer	3000	700	Indiana
Sallie	40	K H			Kentucky

The Rochester Sentinel of 4 Feb 1871, in its news from

Plymouth, Indiana (in Marshall County), mentions that "[a]mong those who seek to have the marital relation dissolved are Sarah Disher v. Stephen Disher." Jean C. & Wendell C. Tombaugh, Fulton County, Indiana Newspaper Excerpts 1869-1871, vol. 3, p. 107 (1984). Sarah apparently filed for a divorce on 7 July 1870, but I have not determined whether it was granted. See Early Marshall County Divorces 1836-1899, <http://www.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~inmarsha/dvcs2.html>.

My notes are a little unclear, but I think that I have reviewed the grantee index for Gage County, Nebraska to the year 1880, but not the grantor index. I found two purchases by Stephen Disher. One was of 200 acres in section 29 (or 20?) and section 22 in T 6, R 8, bought from Sidney Chambers on 28 Nov 1870. (G:248) The other was from Nelson Adams and wife on 7 Jul 1880 of 40 acres in section 13, T 3, R 7. (L:466)

Stephen and Sarah are listed in Adams precinct in Gage County, Nebraska in 1880 (p. 8, ln 10; #62), immediately adjacent to Thomas and Francis Disher:

Disher, Stephen	50	Farmer	Ind	Va	Ky	
Sarah	50	wf KH	Ky	Va	Va	
Harmon, William	23	Labour-Herding	Cattle	Wis	Mass	Mass

Stephen died intestate in Nebraska in 1884. Under Nebraska law at that time, his widow received a life estate in his real property, which, since they had no children, reverted to his heirs at law at her death. On 6 March 1891, several of his relatives filed an action for an injunction in Gage County against Sarah, claiming that she had been committing waste by cutting down and selling the timber on the land. The testimony was that she had been using the proceeds to pay for land that she had purchased in her own right. The case was eventually appealed to the Nebraska Supreme Court, which found for the plaintiffs, and is reported at 45 Neb. 100, 63 N.W. 369 (1895). The original complaint for an injunction lists the following plaintiffs, claiming that they "are the heirs at law of Stephen T. Disher," although it is clear that not all heirs have joined in the suit: Peter Disher

brother	
Mathew Taggart ^x	
Eliza A. Plummer	sister
Nancy Disher	wife of Jephtha, who d. 1890
John Disher	son of Jephtha
Allie Iden	daughter of Jephtha
Peter Disher, Jr.	son of Jephtha
William Disher	son of Jephtha
Owen Disher	son of Jephtha
Mary J. Young ^{xi}	
Elizabeth Lewis	
Amanda Sampson	daughter of Nancy Pumphrey
Eliza E. Burns	daughter of Nancy Pumphrey
Timothy T. Linn	son-in-law of Margaret Stallard

Eliza H. Linn	daughter of Margaret Stallard
Mary E. Fankboner	" " "
Nancy A. Kaiser	" " "
Amanda H. Ramsey	" " "
Axley Alice Snyder	" " "
Jay B. Boulton	son of Margaret Stallard/Boulton

The Nebraska state census of 1885 included a mortality schedule for those persons dying in the year previous to 31 May 1885. Stephen is listed as having died in March. He is said to have been born in Indiana, a farmer, who had resided in Gage County for 14 years and died from "fatty degeneration of brain."

Sarah is listed in the 1885 Nebraska state census in Adams precinct, Gage County (p. 20, ln 24; 138/139):

Wonderly, John	29	Farmer	Ill	Ill	Ill
Bell	20	wf KH	Ind	Ky	Ky
Jokel, John	21	Boarder farm hand			
Ashcraft, Rhoda	16	sis-in-law	Ind	Ky	Ky
Disher, Sallie	54	Boarder widowed	Ky	Ky	Ky

Sarah is listed in the 1900 census in Adams township, Gage County, Nebraska (E.D. 34, sh 8, ln 1):

Disher, Sallie	May 1830	70	Wd	0 ch	Ky	Va	Pa
					Farmer	OMF	
Goodall, Eton F	Dec 1890	9	Nephew		Neb	Neb	Ind

4A. ELIZABETH HOWARD

B. 29 Aug 1817 Blue Licks, Nicholas Co, Ky
M. 15 Jun 1848 Macoupin Co, Illinois
D. 14 Dec 1882 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Illinois
(Margaret², Christopher¹) father: Samuel Howard

Husband: Samuel **STEAD**

B. 6 Jul 1823 Emley, Yorkshire, England
D. 12 Sep 1889 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Illinois
parents: Benjamin Stead and Martha Taylor

Information concerning this family was received from Mrs. Pamela Olsen of Layton, Utah in 1990, who cites Macoupin County marriage records and cemetery records for Nilwood Cemetery.

Children: (Stead)

4A1. Margaret b. 1849 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Illinois
Ellen m. 24 Dec 1868 Macoupin Co, Illinois
to Frederick **Garst**

4A2. Robert T b. 1851 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Illinois
m1 16 Oct 1873 Macoupin Co, Illinois

to Eliza Jane **Duncan**

- 4A3. Francis L b. Dec 1853 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Illinois
d. 18 Aug 1875 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Illinois
- 4A4. Lucinda b. 1857 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Illinois
- 4A5. Jonas D. b. 1859 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Illinois
m. 4 Jan 1883 Macoupin Co, Illinois
to Sarah E. **Cheaney**

4D. **SARAH ANN HOWARD**

B. 16 Sep 1822 Blue Licks, Nicholas Co, Ky
M. 25 Mch 1841 Girard, Macoupin Co, Illinois
D. 25 Jan 1902 Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co, Utah
(Margaret², Christopher¹) father: Samuel Howard

Husband: Isaac **LANEY**

B. 19 Dec 1814 Franklin, Simpson Co, Kentucky
D. 31 Oct 1873 Salt Lake City, Salt Lake Co, Utah
bu: Salt Lake City Cemetery

Most of my detailed information concerning this family was received from Mrs. Pamela Olsen of Layton, Utah in 1990, who cites family records in the possession of Agnes Mitchell Laney of Salt Lake City and Ida Naomi Richards of Oakley, Utah, as well as death records of the Salt Lake City coroner.

Mrs. Olsen also sent me a History of Sarah Ann Howard Laney: Pioneer of 1847, prepared by Sarah Laney's son, H. S. Laney, her granddaughter, Hazel M. Black, and her great-grandson, J.B. Black:

Sarah Ann Howard Laney, a Utah pioneer of 1847, was born near the Blue Licks, in Nicholas County, Kentucky, September 16th 1822. She was the second child and second daughter of Samuel Howard and Elizabeth Discher Howard. Her father was a prosperous farmer and stockholder.

When Sarah was about seven years of age, or about the year 1829, her father sold all of his belongings in Kentucky and moved into southern Illinois, her grandfather Discher accompanying the family. Mrs. Laney still remembered when seventy years of age how she rode as a little girl all the way from Kentucky to Illinois behind her grandfather, on a pillion. These two could travel faster than the rest of the family in the loaded wagon, so rode on ahead and procured accomodations for them at the isolated farms and taverns.

Her father finally settled on a large tract of land near what became the town of Carlinville, Macoupin County, Illinois. It was in this county where Abraham Lincoln settled about this time. Chicago was now only a small frontier village. Mr. Howard belonged to no church but leaned to the Universalists while his wife was a hard-shelled Baptist.

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When the Howards settled in Illinois it was still Indian country and, when the "Sacs" and "Foxes" were moved to the reservations west of the Mississippi River in 1825, "Black Hawk" refused to go and brought on the "Black Hawk War." Mrs. Laney's father and Abraham Lincoln volunteered from the same military district.

The nearest market town in those days was St. Louis, 75 miles distant. Here they took their hams and bacon to trade for store goods -- anything that was not produced on the farm or the home spinning wheel and hand loom. It was here they first saw town clocks and watchmen on their boats calling the hour and all is well. Here they saw the slave marts, for Missouri was slave, while Illinois was free.

Thus, near Girard, Macoupin County, Illinois, Sarah Ann Howard grew to womanhood with the average culture and training of the women of that time and place. Books were few and newspapers fewer. Schools were attended only in the winter and all any of them learned was the "R"s. They all read their Bibles and attended camp meetings and this with their home training developed a high order of intelligence. News was supplied by circuit riders and settlers passing through, going to the West.

March 25th, 1841, she was married to Isaac Laney at the home of her father. The young couple soon moved out upon some wild land they had leased. This was at a considerable distance and very much isolated. The next season they moved out upon a piece of land nearer civilization, which was owned by her father and which her husband contracted to buy. Here their first child, Margaret Elizabeth, was born January 13, 1843. And here, on November 22, 1844, their second child, a son, George Culbert was born.

In this year, 1844, Isaac Laney, her husband, became very restive and determined to sacrifice his holdings and start for the West. He was at that time a Mormon, though it was not known by his wife. It was, however, strongly suspected by her and her parents. The state of civil war existing about Nauvoo made it evident that the Saints would have to move to the West.

The Laney's, after holding a public auction at their farm in the fall of 1845, loaded the rest of their belongings into two farm wagons and started for Nauvoo. Mrs. Laney dared not bid farewell to her family lest they suspect her of going with her husband to join the Mormons. She never saw any of her family after. Her father disinherited her. They arrived in due time at Nauvoo, where they spent the winter of 1845-1846, and where Isaac Laney's twin brother William had lived for some time.

They left Nauvoo and crossed the state of Iowa to the Missouri over bad roads and through almost unspeakable storms, early in the exodus. The Laney's were accompanied on the journey to the valley by an old back-woodsman and hunter from Indiana, named Leonard Stump. Thus they were well provided with game to round out and give variety to their larder. This was also added to by honey secured from a bee tree, located by the old hunter. The trees were cut down and the bees driven away with smoke. These trees were

often far from camp and the bee hunters often stayed away all night, leaving Mrs. Laney alone in camp with only the howl of the wolf or hoot owl to break the silence.

Having two wagons the Laney's were especially fortunate and were thus enabled to bring many cherished possessions that would have otherwise been left behind, discarded. To one wagon was hitched two yoke of oxen and to the other was hitched a fine animal and a present from Mrs. Laney's father. They also had a small herd of domestic animals consisting of a few sheep and chickens, a cow and calf and a young heifer. The horses, after a short time, became useless because of the poor forage and lack of water. The oxen were then divided up and one yoke hitched to each wagon. At the start, Mr. Laney drove one wagon and Mr. Stump the other. Mr. Laney, however, was soon stricken sick and during the remainder of the journey Mrs. Laney drove. Being a gentle woman and unused to handling oxen, she had great difficulty controlling them. When crossing streams it was sometimes necessary to cling onto the horns of the oxen and beat them in the face with her sun bonnet to keep them in their course. On one occasion they camped and overturned the wagon and the contents, including her son, had to be fished out of the river.

Soon after her arrival in the valley she wove the first piece of woolen cloth made in the valley, having prepared the wool while en route across the plains, on a spinning wheel she brought along. The loom used was made by her husband from native maple and other woods, soon after reaching their destination.

They joined in the general move south ten years later, going to Spanish Fork, where they remained during the period of uncertainty. Upon their return they went back to their home on the corner of 6th South and 9th East, in Salt Lake City, which for many years was the last house southeast in the city. Here she spent the remainder of her days, living and dying a gentle-woman, a good neighbor and a true Latter-Day Saint.

She was the mother of six children and her wedding dress made with hand run tucks was made over into a christening dress in which three generations of her descendants were blessed and named. . . . Among the personal and household goods Mrs. Laney brought with her to Utah are several articles still preserved and treasured as heirlooms. Mrs. Annie Malin Baldwin, a granddaughter, has a pair of brass candlesticks, a gift to Mrs. Laney from her father, for which he had exchanged a splendid yoke of oxen. One of these still bears the marks of damage done it when her baby George threw it out of the wagon while on the way across the plains when it was run over by the wagon wheel.

Her wedding dowry contained coverlets for which the Kentucky pioneer women are famous to this day. She had colored the wool with homemade dyes and woven them with the help of her mother and sisters. She also had a beautiful linen table cloth she had made when 14 years of age, designing and weaving it herself from flax grown on their farm and prepared by herself. A small chair she brought with her was made by her husband and was originally made with a cow hide seat. When this wore out it was resealed by Mrs. Laney with a rope of twisted corn husks. She also brought a neckerchief given to her by Grandmother Howard which was brought to this country by relatives and though it is now

three hundred years old, it is still well preserved and is now a prized possession of Mrs. Hazel Malin Black. Mrs. Black also owns a small spinning wheel of the type used to take on visits and social calls; being small enough to carry on horse-back. Much of Mrs. Laney's trousseau was a product of this wheel. Spoons she brought with her were, according to collectors, beyond doubt made by the Paul Revere family. They are of fine pewter and of beautiful design.

Children: (Laney)

- 4D1. Margaret b. 23 Jan 1843 Girard, Macoupin Co, Ill
 Elizabeth m. 29 Nov 1861 Salt Lake City, Utah
 to James Elijah **Malin**
 d. 6 Apr 1908 Salt Lake City, Utah
- 4D2. George b. 22 Nov 1844 Girard, Macoupin Co, Ill
 Culbert m. 1 Jan 1880 Salt Lake City, Utah
 Howard to Ella Ethelena **Smith**
 d. 3 Oct 1924 Brigham City, Box Elder Co, Utah
- 4D3. Sarah Ann b. 28 Nov 1848 Salt Lake City, Utah
 m. 9 Feb 1865 Salt Lake City, Utah
 to Joseph Fielding **Smith**
 d. 20 Nov 1872 Salt Lake City, Utah
- 4D4. Isaac b. 18 Apr 1850 Salt Lake City, Utah
 Jefferson d. 23 Sep 1850 Salt Lake City, Utah
- 4D5. Joseph b. 29 Aug 1853 Salt Lake City, Utah
 Smith m. to Eliza Jane **Smith**
 d. 31 Oct 1933 Salt Lake City, Utah
- 4D6. Hiram b. 12 Aug 1857 Salt Lake City, Utah
 Smith m. to Elizabeth **Jensen**
 d. 28 Feb 1932 Las Vegas, Clark Co, Nevada

4F. MARY ANN HOWARD

B. 8 Dec 1825 Blue Licks, Nicholas Co, Ky
 M. 24 Nov 1846 Macoupin Co, Illinois
 D. 16 Aug 1853 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
 (Margaret², Christopher¹) father: Samuel Howard

Husband: Willis **SNOW**
 B. 1827 Kentucky
 father: Henry Snow

Information concerning this family was received from Mrs. Pamela Olsen of Layton, Utah in 1990, who cites Macoupin County, Illinois and Holt County, Missouri marriage records.

Children: (Snow)

- 4F1. Sarah b. Jun 1849 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
Ann m. 20 Feb 1879 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
to Monroe **Dunigan**
- 4F2. John S. b. Feb 1850 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
m. 30 Oct 1885 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
to Sarah Ann **Smith**
- 4F3. Mary b. 1852 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
m. 15 Nov 1871 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
to Alonzo **Bush**

4H. LLOYD NELSON HOWARD

B. 22 Jun 1830 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
M. 5 Dec 1850 Macoupin Co, Illinois
D. 17 Dec 1887 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
(Margaret², Christopher¹) father: Samuel Howard

Wife: Sarah **STEAD**

B. 11 Feb 1832 Skelmanthorpe, Wesleyan, Yorkshire, Eng
D. 6 Sep 1903 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
parents: Benjamin Stead and Martha Taylor

Information concerning this family was received from Mrs. Pamela Olsen of Layton, Utah in 1990.

Children: (Howard)

- 4H1. George b. 11 Mch 1852 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
Samuel d. 8 Apr 1921 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
- 4H2. Hannah M b. 1854 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
m. 25 Dec 1871 Holt Co, Missouri
to Theodore P. **Way**
- 4H3. Margaret b. 1856 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
A. m. 8 Oct 1871 Holt Co, Missouri
to John H. **Kunkel**
d. 19 Dec 1932 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
- 4H4. Sarah A. b. 1858 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
- 4H5. Francis b. 1860 Girard, Macoupin Co, Ill
Melissa m. 17 Aug 1874 Holt Co, Missouri
to David **Lumley**
- 4H6. Benjamin b. 1862 Minnesota
Lincoln d. 1954 Holt Co, Missouri

- 4H7. Mary Ella b. 1864 Minnesota
 m. 27 Oct 1881 Oregon City, Holt Co, Missouri
 to Andrew **Burrier**
- 4H8. George N b. 1866 Minnesota
- 4H9. Cora May b. May 1868 Minnesota
 m. 25 Feb 1888 Holt Co, Missouri
 to Joseph **Herman**
- 4H10. Ulysses b. 16 Jun 1870 Nodaway, Holt Co, Missouri
 Grant d. 19 Nov 1924 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
- 4H11. Bell b. 1871 Holt Co, Missouri
 m. 1 Mch 1891 Holt Co, Missouri
 to Jonas **Watson**

4J. JOHN MELVIN HOWARD

B. 24 May 1835 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
 M. 30 Jun 1859 Macoupin Co, Illinois
 D. 14 Mch 1910 St. Joseph, Buchanan Co, Missouri
 (Margaret², Christopher¹) father: Samuel Howard

Wife: Harriet E. **MALCOLM**

B. Nov 1837 Illinois
 parents: James and Mary Malcolm

Information concerning this family was received from Mrs. Pamela Olsen of Layton, Utah in 1990.

Children: (Howard)

- 4J1. Washington b. Mch 1860 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
 F. m. 31 Mch 1889 St. Joseph, Buchanan Co, Mo
 to Louisa **Richter**
- 4J2. Margaret A. b. 1862 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
 m. 21 Jan 1884 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
 to Benjamin **Savell**
- 4J3. Mary b. 1864 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
 d. 1881 Oregon, Holt Co, Missouri
- 4J4. John Lincoln b. Nov 1865 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
 m. 25 Dec 1884 Holt Co, Missouri
 to Ollie **Jacobs**
- 4J5. Hattie b. 1868 Nilwood, Macoupin Co, Ill
- 4J6. Thomas C. b. 1870 Lewis, Holt Co, Missouri
 m. 11 Oct 1898 St. Joseph, Buchanan Co, Mo

William T."	3	"
Nancy J. "	6/12	"

John Disher was one of the administrators of the estate of Peter Disher in 1857.

John Disher is listed in Germantown precinct, Mason County in the 1880 census with a wife Nancy (p. 432, sh 26, ln 11; 61/62):

D[]er, John	61	Farmer	Ky	Ky	Ky	
Nancy	55	wf KH	"	"	"	
Nancy	30	dau	"	"	"	(widowed)
Isaac	27	son	"	"	"	
John	19	son	"	"	"	
Asbury, John	12	grandson	"	"	"	AS
Ida	9	grandau	"	"	"	"
Martha	7	grandau	"	"	"	"
Hill, Edward	21	laborer	"	"	"	

Nancy McGraw of Bracken County, widow of Isaac McGraw late of Mason County, and several of her children and grandchildren deeded 17 acres of land in Mason County on the Germantown Road to William W. Holton on 1 Oct 1881. Some of her children were named Dickson and some were named McGraw. Among the grantors were the following sons and daughters of "Martha Disher, late Martha Dickson, who was a daughter of Nancy and a wife of John L. Disher [and is] now deceased":

William F. Disher of Mt. Olivet, Robertson Co.
 Isaac Disher [signs P. J. Disher]
 Nancy J. Asbury
 Mary F. Pompelly & Robert Pompelly
 John J. Disher of Mason Co

(Mason Co deeds 83:173)

John L. Disher made his will on 3 Apr 1891 in Mason County. (Y:574) The will was proved on 8 May 1899, with a codicil dated 17 Feb 1899, but referred to as the codicil of 17 Feb 1897. The will mentions John's wife Nancy and "my 4 children": Isaac Disher, John J. Disher, N. Jane Asbury and Mary Pomfully or Pumpelly. Isaac was bequeathed the tract known as Whippermill in Mason and Bracken counties. John also states that he had previously advanced his son William T. Disher, at different times, at least \$3000 and that William was to receive "a store house & lot in town of Mr. Olivet, Robertson Co, Ky on which my son Wm T. Disher has built a dwelling house," on the condition that William pay \$100 each to the other four children. John J. Disher was named executor. The codicil of 17 Feb 1899 states that further monies had been given to Wm T. Disher and that John now wanted the "lot in Mt Olivet known as Thackston Stone house to go to Isaac Disher."

My guess is that Nancy was a second wife. A Nancy Disher, age 85, is listed in the 1900 census living in Germantown precinct by herself, but adjacent to the households of James and Ida Poe and

Isaac and Susan Disher. Her occupation is given as "landlady."
The Mason County will of a Nancy J. Disher, dated 15 Nov 1900 and
proven 18 Jul 1902, leaves all her estate to her nephew D[] Hill,
"in consideration of his kindness." (Z:131)

Children:

- 5A1.** William b. Mch 1848 Kentucky
Thomas m. to Samantha **Stiles**
d. af Jan 1920
- 5A2.** Nancy b. 1850 Kentucky
Jane m. to Henry **Asbury**
d. 1895 bu: Salem Ridge Cem
- 5A3.** Peter b. 25 Jun 1852 Kentucky
Isaac m. abt 1881
to Susan **Hanson**
d. 24 Feb 1926 bu: Germantown cemetery
- 5A4.** John b. May 1861 Kentucky
James m. abt 1887
to Edna E. **Collins**
d. 11 Apr 1947 Mason Co, Kentucky
- 5A5.** Mary b. 7 Sep 1856
m. to Robert B. **Pumpelly**
d. 8 May 1935 bu: Germantown cemetery

5B. SARAH ANN DISHER

B. abt 1827 Kentucky
M. 6 Jul 1845 Bracken Co, Kentucky
(Peter², Christopher¹) mother: Polly Linville

Husband: Starke **WHEELER**
B. abt 1821 Kentucky

Stark and Sarah Wheeler are listed in District No. 2, Nicholas
County, Kentucky in the 1850 census (p. 442, ln 19; 736/738):

Stark Wheeler	29	Farmer	600	Ky
Sarah A.	"	22	"	"
Nancy J.	"	3	"	"
Peter W.	"	6/12	"	"
Rebecca	"	60		Va

They are listed in the same place, post office Blue Licks, in
the 1860 census (p. 78 (477), ln 34; 557/556):

Stark Wheeler	40	Farmer	1420	1000	Ky
Sarah A.	"	33	"	"	"
Nancy J.	"	15	"	"	AS
Peter W.	"	11	"	"	"

Albert	"	7	"	"
Mason E.	"	3	"	"
Rebecca	"	80	"	CRW

Children: (Wheeler)

5B1. Nancy J. b. abt 1847 Kentucky
 5B2. Peter W. b. abt Dec 1849 Kentucky
 5B3. Albert b. abt 1853 Kentucky
 5B4. Mason E.

5D. MARTHA DISHER

B. abt 1830/1 Kentucky
 M. abt 1848
 (Peter², Christopher¹) mother: Polly Linville

Husband: Luke D. **HARBOUR**
 B. abt 1827 Kentucky

Luke and Martha were in Bracken County, Kentucky in the 1850 census (p. 399B, ln 10; 222/222):

Luke Harben	25	Farmer	Ky
Martha "	20		"
William F. "	1		"
Westly Collins	11		"

Vital statistics for Bracken County from the 1850s (received from Betty Cline of Augusta, Kentucky) include the birthdates of two children of Luke and Martha.

In 1860, Luke and Martha are listed in the eastern district of Bracken County, post office Augusta (p. 104, ln 21; 734/734):

Luke D. Harber	25	Farmer	1200	1233	Ky
Martha	"		29		"
William [T]	11				" AS
Mary A	8				" "
Nancy J	5				" "
Peter T or F	3				"
Nelson H	10/12				"
Patrick Adamson	36	Farm laborer	---	300	Ky

Louis J. Williams' The Harbours in America (Lubbock, Texas, 1982) indicates that Luke Harbour was a son of Thomas and Nancy (Allen) Harbour, born about 1827 in Kentucky (p. 182). That work also indicates that Luke and Martha and her mother, Mrs. Mary Disher, age 82, resided in Robertson Co, Kentucky at the time of the 1880 census (p. 248).

Children, inc: (Harbour)

- 5D1. William F b. abt 1849 Kentucky
- 5D2. Mary Ann b. 15 Apr 1852 Bracken Co, Kentucky
- 5D3. Nancy J b. abt 1855 Kentucky
- 5D4. Peter b. 22 Jun 1857 Bracken Co, Kentucky
Thomas
- 5D5. Nelson H b. abt Aug 1859 Kentucky
- 5D6. George W b. abt 1862 Kentucky
- 5D7. Sarah F b. abt 1864 Kentucky
- 5D8. Minna D b. abt 1872 Kentucky

5E. MARY DISHER

B. abt 1831 Kentucky
(Peter², Christopher¹) mother: Polly Linville

Husband: John **RIGGS**

B. abt 1821 Kentucky

John and Mary Riggs are listed in District #3 of Mason County, Kentucky in the 1850 census (p. 148B, ln 29; 208/208; 27 Aug 1850):

John Riggs	26	Farmer	1950	Ky
Mary "	20			"
Sarah Ann "	2			"
Daniel Willson	16	Laborer		"

John and Mary Rigg are listed (p. 104, ln 29; 735/735) in the 1860 census in the eastern district (P.O. Augusta) of Bracken County, Kentucky, between the households of Luke D. and Martha Harber and of Mary Disher:

John Rigg	39	Farmer	5000	2230	Ky
Mary	29				"
Sarah H.	11				" AS
Mary E.	9				" AS
Ann E.	6				" AS
John J.	1				"

Children: (Riggs)

- 5E1. Sarah Ann b. abt 1848 Kentucky
- 5E2. Mary E. b. abt 1851 Kentucky
- 5E3. Ann E. b. abt 1854 Kentucky

5E4. John J. b. abt 1859 Kentucky

7A. SUSAN BASSETT

B. 6 Apr 1823
M. Cynthiana, Harrison Co, Kentucky
D. 22 Feb 1858

Husband: William L. **LOWRY**
B. 17 Apr 1837 Harrison Co, Kentucky
D. 28 Mch 1877
parents: William Lowry and Rebecca Stevenson
Wife (#2): Elizabeth Bassett

A genealogy by Jonathan E. Ammerman, apparently prepared prior to 1916, is cited by Lynne Ammerman Boxley in support of her DAR application and states that Susan Bassett married William Lowry and had four children. I surmise that those four children are the children mentioned in the sketch of Lowry quoted under Elizabeth Bassett (#7B) below.

Children: (Lowry)

7A1. William E.

7A2. Kate

7A3. Anna

7A4. Scott

7B. ELIZABETH BASSETT

B. 26 Apr 1825
M1 15 Oct 1855 Harrison Co, Kentucky
M2 4 Jan 1871 Harrison Co, Kentucky
parents: Jonathan Bassett and Elizabeth Helm² Disher

Husband (1): Joseph M. **WOODS**

Husband (2): William L. **LOWRY**
B. 17 Apr 1837 Harrison Co, Kentucky
D. 28 Mch 1877
parents: William Lowry and Rebecca Stevenson

A genealogy by Jonathan E. Ammerman, cited by Lynne Ammerman Boxley, indicates that Elizabeth married Joseph Woods and had two daughters, from which I assume that the marriage set forth in the biographical sketch of William Lowry was her second (William Henry Perrin History of Bourbon, Scott, Harrison and Nicholas Counties, Kentucky [1882] p. 664):

WILLIAM L. LOWRY . . . was educated in Harrison County, and began life with farming. He was married in Harrison County, Jan. 4, 1871, to Elizabeth Bassett, who was born Aug. 6, 1829.

She is the daughter of Jonathan Bassett, who was born in 1801, and Elizabeth Disher, who was born Dec. 13, 1803. He was twice married, and by first wife he had four children, viz.: William E., Kate, Anna and Scott. His surviving wife is a member of the Baptist Church, and she has a farm of 270 acres of land, four miles from Cynthiana on Connersville Pike, called "Hollow Spring." Mr. L. was in politics a Republican.

I have used the birthdate for Elizabeth given by Jonathan Ammerman and in another family record cited by Boxley, rather than the date given in this sketch, which appears to be the birthdate shown in the William Lowry sketch, which happens to be the same as Elizabeth's sister Charity Ellen.

Children: (Woods)

7B1. [dau]

7B2. [dau]

7C. LOUISA JANE BASSETT

B. 16 Jun 1827 Harrison Co, Kentucky
M. 2 Oct 1849 Harrison Co, Kentucky
D. May 1916 Cynthiana, Harrison Co, Kentucky
BU Battle Grove cem, Harrison Co, Kentucky
parents: Jonathan Bassett and Elizabeth Helm² Disher

Husband: J. Wesley **AMMERMAN**
B. 18 Nov 1825 Bourbon County, Kentucky
D. 8 Apr 1877 bu: Battle Grove cem, Harrison Co, Ky
parents: Joseph Ammerman and Rebecca Reed

William Henry Perrin's History of Bourbon, Scott, Harrison and Nicholas Counties, Kentucky (1882), at p. 643, states:

WESLEY AMMERMAN . . . received his education at the country schools of Harrison County, and began life with agriculture, which pursuit he followed through life. He was married in Harrison County, in 1849, to Louisa Bassett, who was born in Harrison County in 1827, and was the daughter of Jonathan Bassett, who was born in Bracken County in 1801, and Elizabeth Disher, who was also born in Bracken County in 1802. Mr. Ammerman was the father of eight children, five of whom survive him, viz.: Joe B., John R., Edward W., Augustus and Lizzie J. Mrs. Ammerman and family are members of the Christian Church at Cynthiana, and Mr. Ammerman, during his life, was a Democrat, and at one time a Granger. Dying, he left his widow a fine estate of 250 acres, called "Elmwood,"

four miles from Cynthiana, on Connersville Turnpike.

Wesley and Elizabeth are listed in the 1860 census in District No. 2, Harrison County, Kentucky (Cynthiana P.O.) (p. 19 (473), ln 15; 135/135):

Wesley Ammerman	34	Farmer	10,000	7700	Ky	
Louisa	32				"	
Mary	10				"	AS
Elizabeth	8				"	AS
Joseph	6				"	AS
Ella	4				"	

Children: (Ammerman)

- 7C1. Mary b. 4 Oct 1850 Kentucky
Henrietta d. 1869 bu: Battle Grove cem, Harrison Co
- 7C2. Elizabeth b. 23 Sep 1852 Kentucky
Gertrude m. 16 Oct 1877
to Hubbard Henry **Tebbs**
[of Harrison Co, Ky 1916]
[7 ch, inc. dau Rebecca Gertrude, b. 31 Jul 1880]
- 7C3. Joseph b. 5 Jan 1855 Kentucky
Bassett m. 21 Dec 1880
to Lelia **Barlow**
[of San Bernardo, Texas 1916]
- 7C4. Ella b. 12 May 1857 Kentucky
Clay d. 1864 bu: Battle Grove cem, Harrison Co
- 7C5. John b. 20 Oct 1859 Kentucky
Roger m. 12 Nov 1879
to Lena **Lydick**
d. 1888 bu: Battle Grove cem, Harrison Co
[4 sons, inc. Andrew Stanley, b. 10 Sep 1880]
- 7C6. Edward b. 31 May 1862 Harrison Co, Kentucky
Wesley m. 17 Jan 1889
to Mary Thomas **David** of Bourbon Co
d. 11 Nov 1943 Winchester, Clark Co, Kentucky
[of Millersburg, Bourbon Co, Ky 1916; to Lebanon, KY 1917; ch: Walter Helm (m. Miss Singer), Edwina, Wilsa Lynne (b. 1900, m. James Ashby Boxley)]
- 7C7. Walter b. 6 Oct 1865
Helm d. 1874 bu: Battle Grove cem, Harrison Co
- 7C8. Augustus b. 19 Mar 1868
A. m. 17 Feb 1892
to Etta **Conner**
[of Harrison Co, Ky 1916]

7G. THOMAS DUDLEY BASSETT

B. 10 Mar 1837 Bracken Co, Kentucky

D. 28 Jul 1901

parents: Jonathan Bassett and Elizabeth Helm² Disher

Wife: Sallie **STOCKTON**

parents: Preston Stockton and Mary Hardin

William Henry Perrin's History of Bourbon, Scott, Harrison and Nicholas Counties, Kentucky (1882), at p. 721, states:

THOMAS D. BASSETT, farmer; P. O., Cynthiana; is a native of Bracken County, having been born there in the year 1837; the son of Jonathan S. Bassett, who was a native of Harrison County, who emigrated to Bracken and died in the year 1862. His grandfather was Amos Bassett, who came from New Jersey to Harrison County at an early day. His mother was Elizabeth Disher, who was of German ancestry. He married Miss Sallie Stockton, daughter of Preston and Mary (Hardin) Stockton, of Franklin County, Ky. By this marriage they have four children living, named Bessie, Harry P., Katie L., and an infant unnamed. He is owner of 133 acres of fine land, five miles from Cynthiana, along the Turnpike that leads from Cynthiana to Connersville, and in this Pike Mr. Bassett holds stock and is one of its directors. He votes the straight Democratic ticket, and his wife is a member of the Free Will Baptist Church.

Children: (Bassett)

7G1. Bessie

7G2. Harry P.

7G3. Katie L.

i. Ruth M. Slevin, Fayette County Indiana Will Records 1819-1895 at p. 101 (original will book B, p. 28).

ii. DAR, Tax Lists Indiana at p. 12 (1983) (original list contains more information).

iii. Jean C. & Wendell Tombaugh, Fulton County, Indiana Court Records 1836-1872 at 34, 138 (1982).

iv. Birthdate and parentage of James A. Stallard taken from Nancy C. Baker, Gladys J. Stallard & Margaret R. Stallard, The Stallard Connection: A Family History at 767, which cites the James W. Stallard Bible, owned in 1970 by Mrs. Julia Ackerman of La Porte, Indiana.

v. DAR, Tax Lists Indiana at p. 30 (1983) (original list contains more information).

vi. The Stallard Connection gives Nancy's middle initial as "S" and William's name as Kaiser. Their marriage record says Nancy "A" and William H. "Hiser." The suit brought against Stephen Disher's widow mentions Kaisers and leads me to use that name.

vii. Nina (Disher) Perry indicates that there was also a daughter Sarah, born in 1852, who died in infancy.

viii. Janet C. Cowan, Marriage Records of Fayette County, Indiana 1819 - July 1845 at 101 (orig. p. 11) (1978).

ix. DAR, Tax Lists Indiana at p. 29 (1983) (original list contains more information).

x. A Mathew Taggart is found in Etna township in Kosciusko County, Indiana in 1860 (p. 181, ln 7; 1284/1290):

Mathew Taggart	33	Lumberman	1700	200	Ohio
Hannah	31		"		
Newton	8		"		
Harris	6		"		
Judson	2		"		
? Smith Jones	24		"		

In 1870, Mathew is listed in Etna Green, Etna township (p. 3 (307), ln 37; 26/27; same household as John C. David, age 30 & b. Ohio, and wife Mary E, age 28):

Taggart, Mathew 46 Dry goods Merchant 3000/2000

Ohio

Lavina	26	Keeping house	Indiana
Newton	18	Clerk in Store	Ohio
Harris	16	" "	"
Judson	12		Ohio AS
Homer	5		Indiana
Caty	3		"

Na[th]an 1/12 " b. May

In 1880, Mathew was still in Etna township, apparently with a new wife (E.D. 49, p. 8, ln 18; 69/70):

Taggart, Mathew 57 Farmer Ohio Penn Penn
Lavina 37 wf K H Ind Ky Ind
Homer 14 son Ind at school
Kittie C 13 dau Ind " "
Quimby 10 son Ind
Gertrude 8 dau Ind

The Marshall County marriage records mention the marriage of Mathew Taggart to Lavina J. Park on 5 Nov 1863. (B:100)

Matthew and Lavina Taggart sold parts of two lots in Etna Green on 8 May 1871 to Josiah R. Jordon. (Kosc Co 36:387) Mathew and Lavina sold land in section 29 in Marshall County to Peter T. Disher on 27 Jan 1875. (12:96) They sold two more lots in Etna Green to Matilda Disher on 14 May 1886. (64:169)

xi. There is a John W. and Mary Young in Tippecanoe township, Marshall County, Indiana in 1860 (p. 145; 1020/1058), 1870 (p. 8, ln 12) and 1880 (p. 26; 233/286):

1860

J. W. Young 33 Farmer 2000 490 N. Carolina
Mary 30 Housekeeper Ohio
Samantha 9 Ind
Wm T 7 "
John W 5 "
Amanda 3 "
Benjamin N 9/12 "

1870

Young, John W 45 Farmer 4000 600 North Carolina
Mary 41 K H Ohio
Samantha 19 Ast Housekeeper Indiana
William 17 "
John W 15 "
Amanda 13 "
Benjamin 10 "
Susannah 7 "
James R 4 "
Infant 10/12 " Aug

1880

Young, John 55 Farmer NC NC NC
Mary 51 wf KH Ohio Germy Ohio
Samantha 21 dau Ind
Annie 16 dau " At Sch
James R 14 son " At Home
Estella 10 dau " At Sch

xii. Mason Co. Geneal. Soc. Newsletter, vol. 8, # 2, p. 35 (1990)