

HAROLD VERNON NELSON, JR

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Item Rec'd 28 MAR 1998 by RPA from Mrs H V N, Jr per
request of RPA

Lucy Nelson
1506 N. Cherokee Ave.
Dothan, AL 36303

Harold Vernon Nelson

Harold Vernon Nelson, 77, of 1506 N. Cherokee, passed away Tuesday, Jan. 20, 1998, at Southeast Alabama Medical Center in Dothan.

Graveside services will be held at 10:30 a.m. in Memory Hill Cemetery with the Rev. Charles Minyard officiating. Kent-Thornton Funeral Home will be directing.

The family will be receiving friends from 6 until 9 tonight at Kent-Thornton Funeral Home. At other times the family will be at the residence. The family suggested that in lieu of flowers, memorial donations be made to the First Christian Church, 1401 N. Cherokee Ave., Dothan.

Mr. Nelson was appointed by the President as National Defense Transportation Director for the Southeastern United States. He was a trainmaster for 43 years with CSX Railroad. He was an officer of the Dothan Genealogical Organization. He was a member and Deacon Emeritus at First Christian Church.

Mr. Nelson was preceded in death by a sister, Hilda Jaudon, of Charleston, S.C., a brother, Fred Nelson, of Charleston, S.C., and a great-grandson, Tyler Nelson, of Dothan.

Survivors include his wife, Lucy Mobley Nelson, Dothan; two sons and daughters-in-law, Harry and Paula Nelson, Dothan, Kelly and Carol Nelson, Dothan; two grandsons and granddaughters-in-law, Chris and April Nelson, Dothan, Will and Debbie Chadwick, Dothan; three granddaughters, Annie Nelson, Dothan, Michelle Lloyd, Dothan, Amy Michelle Darts, Dothan; two sisters and a brother-in-law, Myrtle and Lindsey Mann, Greenville, S.C., Francis Davis, Fort Worth, Texas; six great-grandchildren.

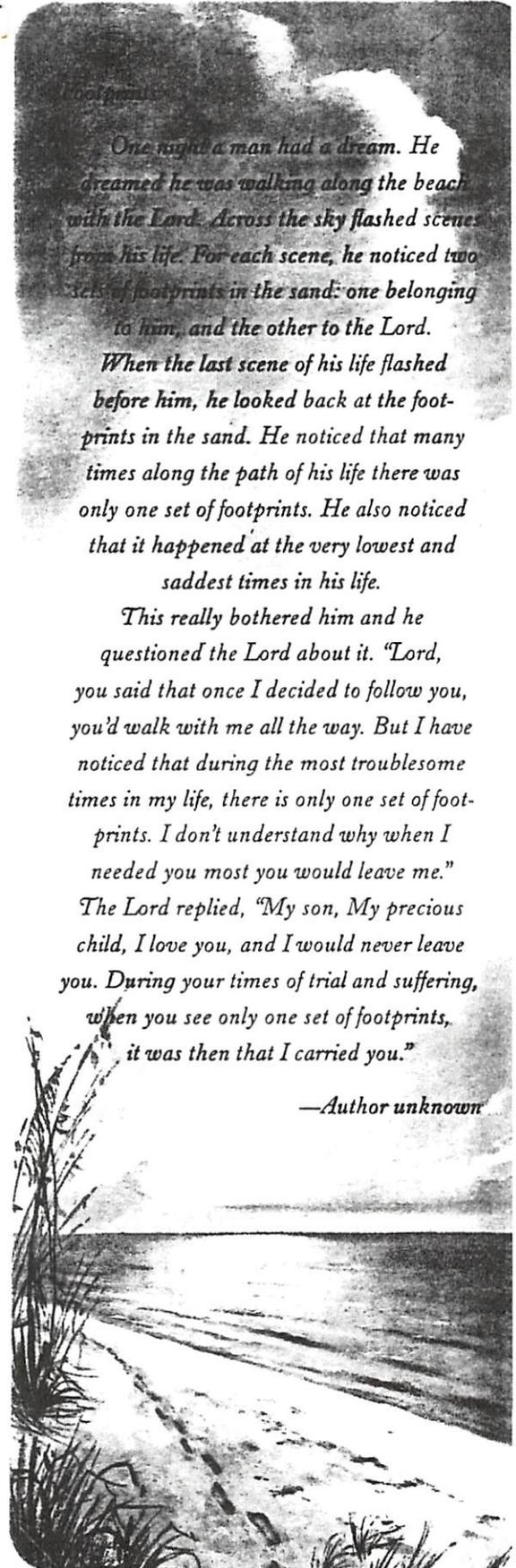
Pallbearers will be Chris Nelson, Will Chadwick, Harrison Parrish, Tom Jones, Roger Overton and Fred Pierce.

One night a man had a dream. He dreamed he was walking along the beach with the Lord. Across the sky flashed scenes from his life. For each scene, he noticed two sets of footprints in the sand: one belonging to him, and the other to the Lord.

When the last scene of his life flashed before him, he looked back at the footprints in the sand. He noticed that many times along the path of his life there was only one set of footprints. He also noticed that it happened at the very lowest and saddest times in his life.

This really bothered him and he questioned the Lord about it. "Lord, you said that once I decided to follow you, you'd walk with me all the way. But I have noticed that during the most troublesome times in my life, there is only one set of footprints. I don't understand why when I needed you most you would leave me." The Lord replied, "My son, My precious child, I love you, and I would never leave you. During your times of trial and suffering, when you see only one set of footprints, it was then that I carried you."

—Author unknown



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③ see Note from Lory Faye Mahely 16 MAR 1998 who indicated that her husband, HVN, Jr, passed away 20 JAN 1998

Phil,

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18 JUL 1997

7-15-97

V. Nelson
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Based on info in last U.B. I ordered from Jim Taylor, Houston, TX, Belle Linder that is "Upchurch Family - - - - -" & rec'd. it yesterday I was, and am thrilled to get it.

I note whom Sims apparently named son, b. 27 June 1863 after my Paschal (D) who was fatally injured 4 July 1863. near Richmond, Va.

I don't recall whether I told you or not but my gm, dtr of P.B.U. and Felitha Olive, was named Nancy Paschal U. She was b. 7 days after his death.

I also note that the name Paschal was passed on down to other generations.

Vernon Nelson

P.S. - next page.

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I plan to make in addendum re my family & attach to the final page of this book.

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23 JUN 1997

6-20-97

Phil,

Thanks for yours 12 Jun '97.

As to letter to you from Ethel
Mills as to U info. I, too, noted
error in her reference to Mary & Clara
being children of P. B. & J. O. Paschal
B. H. and Talitha Olive had 4 children.
Sarah, Eddie (Edward), Mollie &
my gm Nancy Paschal.

Possible lecture in Jacksonville,
Fla.? sounds like a subject to
me.

Happy "Reunion"

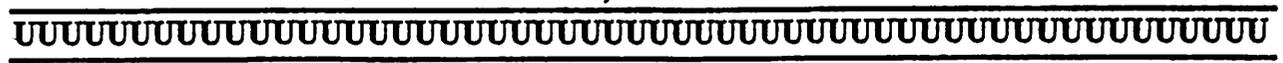
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12 JUN 1997

VERNON NELSON
1506 N. CHEROKEE
DOTHAN, AL 36303

Dear Cousin Vernon,

Thank you very much for your letter of 2 JUN 1997 and for the enclosure. I have now processed them as fully as possible.

Terri Jean Adams is a new contact for me and I have written her and hope to exchange information. I am quite familiar with the Edgar Eble II family she mentions and I was able to acquire one or two bits of new information from what she sent you. However, I could not see how she was connected to the Upchurch family but perhaps that will become clear as we exchange letters. Edgar Eble II is descended from Abel Upchurch, a brother of your mother and my Nathan II, I.

I think it is great that Irene Kitzinger is on the NC scene and is working on an Oblee book. I certainly want a copy when it appears.

The 1997 letter to me from Ethel (U) Mills makes a nice addition to my files. I never met her but I knew her sister Adelia very well. There is some of Ethel's letters that does not fit in. Perhaps you will be able to shed some light on the matter. She refers to Paschal and Telitha (Elin) & having two children MARY & CLARY. They would have been your Great-aunts (sister of Nancy Paschal U). I do not have any such daughters for Paschal B. Upchurch, do you? I suspect she may have been in error and that the Mary & Clary she is referring to are sisters of Paschal B U as he did in fact have two sisters so named.

Also I cannot find where a granddaughter of Telitha married a Penny.

It is really unfortunate that you cannot attend the Oline reunion in Henry Co, TN. I enjoyed my one and only visit there in 1995. There is a lot of Upchurch history there.

You asked about future Upchurch lectures. I have none planned at the present. However,

I have long wanted to visit a lot of upchurch sites in Florida and one of these days we will make firm plans. When we do make the trip it is quite possible that we will give one or more lectures. One would probably be in the area of Jacksonville, FL. I don't know if that is in driving distance of Dothan or not. I hope we can work out a way to get together sooner or later.

You are right about retirement. How did we ever find time to work? I am doing a lot more on family history now and that is a great satisfaction. Also I am enjoying being close to our farming operations. What could be better than doing what you want to do?

With All Best Wishes.

Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch
 { ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH

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REC'D
6 JUN 1997

1506 N. Cherokee
Dathan, IL 36303
2 June, 1997

Phil,

V. Nelson
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Dathan, IL 36303

How's life in retirement? If you are like me, you wonder how you ever had time for your work & stay busy all of the time!

Attached I received from Irene Kittinger recently, which is self-explanatory. As you are aware, Irene is an Olive researcher, my mother's line. My grandmother's mother was Talitha Olive, who married Paschal B.W. You know the story.

Irene and I have corresponded in the past, thanks to you for info on her & her research. It so happened that my Talitha was blank in her research, as she did not know what happened to her after death of P.B.W. I filled in the blanks.

I recently heard from Irene again, advising me that Olives were having a family reunion June 6-8 in Paris, Tenn.,

asked that I attend and present brief history of Talitha through me & my family. Strangely, there will be a Nelson reunion the same dates, June 6-8 in Sycamore, Ga. Months prior to Annes's request I had received request to present my latest success in Nelson research (quite significant). I had a big decision to make & due to earlier commitment to Delcarr, I felt obligated to attend Nelson in the lieu of Olive. I did prepare for Annes's use several copies of family history, to be made available to anyone wanting it. 365 days a year, & both decided to have reunion at same time. What a coincidence!

Note in letter from Mrs. C. R. Mills of 4/11/74 & her reference to both Olives & U.S. Sims II. was P.B.N.'s brother. I thought that you'd be interested in original from Mrs. Mills.

By the way, are you planning a visit some time soon within reasonable driving distance from Datter? I would like to attend & personally meet you.

Another attachment is ~~the~~ letter from
 Jessi J. Adams. Note her reference
 to U.S. I referred her to you on
 11 May '97. Has she contacted you?
 I believe that within the past year
 or so, she is the third person to have
 been referred to you by me. Also
 included is her F.B.I. on U.S.

Have fun!

Vernon Nelson

↑ It's 26 APR 1997 Terri Jean Haphine to Vernon
 Nelson placed in her profile.
 It's from Julia Ethel U placed in
 her profile

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Rec'd
22 MAR 1996

NOTE: No address
required - RPU

3-15-96

Phil -

2-3 hours after mailing you a memo date I rec'd. U.B. & changed address. Attached is copy of what I sent you, just in case mail is not forwarded to you at new address.

I note in U.B. Vol 17, No. 1, page 15, 1st. If you refer to it in Wayne ~~Co.~~ Co., Ky. Possibly you have some info for Pauline Redd. I have a hunch that Mr "Moses" is actually someone else - another U., etc.



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Vernon Nelson

P.S.: I like your new U.B.!

12 March 1996

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H. Vernon Nelson
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Dear Mr. Nelson,

Norma Tarbutton, a cousin, gave me your name as a source for Upchurches. I am searching for information on Lucinda Upchurch Privett. Lucinda was born ca 1826 in KY: probably Wayne Co. On 19 September 1844 she married Milis Privett in Wayne Co., KY.

I believe her to be the daughter of Moses Upchurch and Catherine -----? Moses was born ca 1790 in NC. Catherine ca 1795 in VA. They had a son John who migrated to Douglas Co. MO. about the same time as Geo. Washington Privett, son of Milis and Lucinda.

George Washington Privett is my great grandfather (maternal).

I would appreciate any information you have on Lucinda Upchurch.

Many thanks,

(Mrs) Pauline M. Redd

Pauline M. Redd
Rt. 1 Box 29
Newellton, La. 71357-9700

Mon 12, 1996

Phil -

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Hello again. Hope you're still enjoying Missouri.

I am attaching letter I received today from Pauline M. Redd. I have advised her that if anyone can answer her query, it will be you.

Info that I have is that Moss is Mr. Mary Sims. Could her name have been Mary ~~Elizabeth~~ Catherine? Anyway, the name Prunett doesn't show up in any of my records.

Will appreciate your help, writing her direct. If you helped her, let me know.

The best to you!

Vernon Nelson

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20 MAR 1996

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Dear Louis Vernon,

Thanks for the information about the interest of Pauline M. Redd. She belongs to the George W. Meser & Subclan and to the founder of the line in that Subclan. I have a great deal of information on her GGF George Washington Proutt and thus have much to share with Pauline. However, I do not have Pauline in my files. I have written to her and hope for a useful exchange. I am most grateful to you for putting me in touch.

I am spending a great deal of time on family history now and finding it most enjoyable (it is 5:10 AM as I write this letter). We are now heavily involved in our planned Texas Exp. It appears that

it will be a very productive exp.

I am just pushing a big project of creating a profile for each person with an upchurch name listed in the computerized nationwide phone listings and for the 1993 social security computer output. The latter covers all enclaves who have died and gives their name with date & place & death date and place. This will provide several thousand new entries in my profile system and make it that much more useful.

We are on the verge of spring and looking forward to it. Sallaine has already been shopping for roses but the stores don't have them yet.

Thanks for your continued interest and help.

P.S.

Please note enclosed address change sheet

Phil U.



Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

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REC'D
19 MAR 1996

Mar 15, 1996



H. V. Nelson
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Phil -

Hello again. Hope you're still enjoying Missouri.

I am attaching letter I received today from Pauline M. Redd. I have advised her that if anyone can answer her query, it will be you.

Info that I have is that Moses W. M. Mary Sims. Could her name have been Mary ~~Elizabeth~~ Catherine? Anyhow, the record Pruitt doesn't show up in any of my records.

Will appreciate your help, writing her direct. If you helped her, let me know.

The best to you!

Vernon Nelson

did not seem to include a "B". None of his Upchurch
 Under had the name B-. However his father
 Munday U did have an Uncle named Benjamin.
 This is not a critical matter but one likes to
 think about such matters.

Enclosed is a copy of the Master slide for
 The Passal B. U. Line in the case U/Munday U
 Subclan (including continuation sections 66 & 67)
 as it now stands. Perhaps you would
 scan this to see if you have picked up any
 of the missing items. The main base of data
 includes dates of births, marriage & death and place
 of birth, marriage, death & burial. Of course, I am
 always anxious to have other details if they
 are available.

We are a little over a year into retirement
 and are gradually learning how. Family history
 & farming are going great. I am gradually folding
 real estate operations into land operations which
 ties into farming - a good fit for me.

Thank you for your continued interest
 in our shared family history.

With All Best Wishes for a Merry Christmas
 and a Blessed New Year.



Sincerely yours,
 Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

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11/30/95

Phil - REC'D
4 DEC 1995



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Time to renew & here's my \$15⁰⁰.

How's the retirement? If you are, as I was & am, wonder how you ever had time to "work". I'm involved in several things. The advantage - I do it by my schedule & not someone else.

I have done little in U. research lately except efforts to locate burial sites of my Paschal B. U. who was fatally wounded 4 July 1863 at skirmish at junction of South Anna River and R.F. & P. R.R. about 15 miles north of Richmond, Va.

In answer to a query in Southern Genealogy some time ago, seeking PBU burial info I was fortunate to have received an answer from someone who lived about 3 miles from battle site & had done research about the incident. Through him, cemeteries at Richmond, Fredericksburg and Ashland, all in Va., were checked but to no avail, however, all had numbers of unidentified Civil War

graves. Due to damage to railroad it is

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OF
PASCHAL
B. U.

Doubtful that any effort was made to
move the remains to any of these. At
Taylorsville Baptist Church, located about
1 1/2 miles from site of battle, are buried
several unidentified Civil War vets. I
presume that PBT is buried there. Church
records for that period of time have been
lost, that is if they - the burials - were
ever recorded.

Attached is copy of info about
battle area referred to. Only 1 soldier
was killed 4 July 1863 & that had to be
my PBT. Date, time (11³⁰±) and place
I have documented.

△+△ By the way, I gave you my gm's
△+□ name as Nancy (Nannie) Upchurch. I have
△ developed info. that her name was actually
△ Nancy Pascal Upchurch.

Hang in there & don't mark too hard.

Vernon Nelson

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★ Military ops in Hanover Co
John W. GABBERT - 1989

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EXPEDITIONS TO THE SOUTH ANNA RIVER

(Hanover Courthouse - Ashland Station - South Anna River)

Lee's Supply Line Is Saved

June 26 and July 4, 1863

A more successful attempt was made to destroy the railroad bridges over the South Anna River in late June. The Federal cavalry involved was comprised of eleven companies of the 11th Pennsylvania of Lieutenant Colonel Hasbrouck Davis, who was familiar with the area from the raid conducted in May, and a detachment comprised of men from the 12th Illinois and 2nd Massachusetts, in all about 1,050 men, all under the command of Colonel Samuel P. Spear. This force began its raid from White House in the early morning hours of June 26, riding to Tunstall Station. From there, Spear proceeded along the south bank of the Pamunkey River until he reached Hanover Courthouse, where he burned and ransacked a train and depot, which contained a large quantity of food and supplies. He then proceeded to the Virginia Central Railroad bridge over the South Anna River, where forty men of the 44th North Carolina awaited him, about 11:00 A.M..

The 44th North Carolina had been in transit from their home state to northern Virginia. Upon their arrival in Richmond, they were sent immediately to relieve Brigadier General Montgomery D. Corse's brigade of Pickett's division. Corse's brigade had been left behind by Longstreet, while en route from Petersburg to join Lee, with orders to protect the Junction and railroad bridges north of the city in Hanover County. Colonel Thomas C. Singletary, the regiment's commander, and two companies remained at Hanover Junction, while Major Charles M. Stedman with four companies guarded the bridges north of Hanover Junction. The remaining railroad bridges over the South Anna and Little Rivers south of the junction were placed under Lieutenant Colonel Tazwell L. Hargrove, who placed one of each of his four companies at each bridge. Hargrove remained with Company A, led by Captain Robert L. Rice, at the Virginia Central Railroad bridge over the South Anna.

Hargrove, who was behind breastworks on the south bank of the river, fell back across the bridge after Spear's arrival and

I have seen only one fatality
7/4/1863 at South Anna and that
was my gsf Paschal B. Upchurch

NOTE: This article
in Ltr 30 NOV 1993
Harold Vernon
Nelson, Jr to RPA.
This article concerns
operations of the
Civil War in
HANOVER CO, VA
Vernon concludes
that his GGF
Paschal B. U was
the lone fatality
referred to on
page 55

DISPOSITION:
PASCAL B. U
HAROLD VERNON U, JR
VIRGINIA
CIVIL WAR

Vernon Nelson

handful of men. Your resistance is the most stubborn known to me during the whole war."

Besides Hargrove, Spear's expedition also returned with another captured "gem". Brigadier General "Rooney" Lee, Lee's second eldest son, also was taken prisoner. As with Wickham the previous year, Rooney Lee was captured at Hickory Hill while recuperating from a leg wound he received in the cavalry fight at Brandy Station earlier in the month. Leaving the severely wounded rebels behind, Spear set out for White House. Returning through Hanover Courthouse, New Castle, and King William Courthouse, Spear arrived at White House on the morning of June 27.

Singletary reported 5 killed, 19 wounded and about 50 of his men captured. Captain Allen lost two men. Companies A and G, 44th North Carolina, lost 9 killed, 13 wounded and the majority captured. Federal losses according to rebel reports were 6 killed, 13 wounded, and 1 captured. Although Spear's mission was a successful one, Lee still had one link with Richmond.

After Spear's return, another expedition was quickly organized to neutralize the remaining railroad bridge over the South Anna. Lee was in Pennsylvania, and this was an important link in his line to Richmond. The expedition was placed under the command of Brigadier General George W. Getty. With Spear's report in hand of the fortifications at the bridge, Getty organized a force of about 10,000 men, consisting of Getty's own 2nd Division, 7th Army Corps, less the 21st Connecticut, two regiments under Colonel David W. Wardrop, Brigadier General Robert S. Foster's five regiments with Captain Phineas A. Davis' 7th Massachusetts battery, and Colonel Spear's 11th Pennsylvania Cavalry with five small companies of the 2nd Massachusetts Cavalry.

Getty's large force left White House July 1 at dawn and camped that night at King William Courthouse, while Spear camped at nearby Brandywine. The next day the expedition moved to Brandywine and then to Taylor's Ferry on July 3. On July 4, Getty left the 2nd Brigade, 2nd Division, 7th Army Corps under Colonel Griffin A. Stedman Jr., along with James Gilliss' and John G. Simpson's batteries, at Taylor's Ferry, and advanced to Littlepage's Bridge. Leaving the 3rd Brigade, 2nd Division, 7th Army Corps to guard the crossing there, Getty crossed the Pamunkey River and occupied Hanover Courthouse, scattering the rebel pickets found there. Colonel Samuel M. Alford, commanding the 1st Brigade, 2nd Division, was left at Hanover Courthouse, and the remainder of Getty's force moved

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prior to his initial assault, as the entrenchments at that end of the bridge were not defensible by so few men. From his new position on the north bank of the river, Hargrove fended off numerous frontal assaults, fighting gallantly for over an hour from behind trees and bushes. Spear, unable to gain the bridge with frontal assaults, sent between 300 and 400 men upstream, where they forded the river and proceeded to surround Hargrove. About that time, forty men of Captain Robert Bingham's Company G, 44th North Carolina, arrived from the railroad bridge over the Little River near Taylorsville, four miles distant. This caught the flanking Federal cavalry off guard, resulting in their temporary withdrawal. Two other unsuccessful charges were made against Company G, now behind the breastworks on the north bank of the river, about 200 yards from the railroad bridge. More Federal cavalry crossed the river, and as Spear's men struck Rice's flank at the bridge abutment and became intermingled with Hargrove's men in hand to hand combat, Company G was unable to fire. This allowed Spear's men to capture most of Company A, while Company G could only watch helplessly. Company G soon found themselves surrounded, and realizing the futility of continuing against such overwhelming numbers, surrendered. Spear then burned the bridge, remaining until the last burning embers fell into the river below.

After the bridge was destroyed, Spear sent a scouting party toward the Richmond, Fredricksburg and Potomac Railroad bridge near Ashland. The Federal cavalry that approached the bridge north of the river was met by Captain L.W. Allen's cavalry company, and was forced to retire back across the river where they rejoined Spear. The scouting party reported the bridge defended by Colonel T.C. Singletary and three infantry companies, also of the 44th North Carolina. Since it had taken almost four hours to take the first bridge, Spear concluded that his presence and purpose was known, and, as evidenced by the report of his scouting party, the enemy had had ample time to prepare their defense of the remaining bridges. Spear decided to assemble his captives and return to White House.

Colonel Hargrove, himself wounded at least four times, was among those captured. Spear, confronting Hargrove asked, "Colonel Hargrove, where are your men?" Hargrove replied, "I had only eighty at first and these are what is left of them." To this Spear responded, "It was reported to me that there were at least four hundred infantry in those breastworks. Colonel Hargrove, you have ruined my reputation. I came here to destroy all four of the bridges and the Junction, and I must retreat after burning only one bridge, and capturing only this

toward the remaining railroad bridge over the South Anna River, Spear's cavalry leading the way.

Spear arrived at the bridge, a wooden trestle about one hundred yards long and seventy feet high at the center, about 6:00 P.M.. He drew immediate fire from companies of Colonels E.D. Hall's and William MacRae's regiments of Brigadier General John R. Cooke's North Carolinian brigade. The defending companies were commanded by Major A.C. McAlister. Spear dismounted and waited for General Foster's anticipated arrival, which came about 7:30 P.M.. Foster did not respond to the three pieces of rebel artillery, which were totally ineffective, as he did not want to reveal his position. Information gathered from nearby citizens indicated that the bridge was defended by as many as 8,000 men, far more than Foster or Getty had expected.

This was due in part to the failure of Major General Erasmus D. Keyes' 4th Army Corps to convincingly demonstrate against the rebel defenses east of Richmond near Bottom's Bridge and Baltimore Crossroads, held by two brigades under the command of Major General D.H. Hill. This feint was made July 1 in hopes of drawing men away from the railroad bridge north of Richmond, leaving the bridge lightly defended and therefore vulnerable to Getty's attack. However, Keyes failed to press the attack and his withdrawal the next day to White House allowed Hill to send reinforcements to the bridge.

Foster sent Major George F. Nichols with two companies of his 118th New York and one company of the 99th New York as skirmishers, to ascertain the true defender strength at the bridge. They were repulsed twice, but did capture ten men. After interrogating the captured men, Foster decided that the bridge was too well fortified to take, so he ordered track in the area torn up instead. This was done for a distance of three miles below the bridge. Foster reported the situation to Getty who had remained at Hanover Courthouse, and awaited further instructions. Getty, seeing the futility of the situation, ordered Foster's withdrawal, which began about 2:30 A.M., July 5.

Meanwhile, during the afternoon of July 4, Getty had sent Major Franklin A. Stratton and a squadron of the 11th Pennsylvania Cavalry to locate and destroy a bridge across the North Anna reportedly four or five miles above Littlepage's Bridge. Upon his return at 8:00 P.M., Stratton was sent with Companies G and M, 11th Pennsylvania Cavalry to destroy Ashland Station on the Richmond, Fredricksburg and Potomac Railroad. He arrived at the station at 1:30 A.M., and proceeded to destroy track, telegraph lines for a half mile, railroad buildings and property, burned a trestle a mile south of

Ashland, and carried off the telegraph machine. He returned to Hanover Courthouse and rejoined the main force at 6:00 A.M..

An hour after Foster's arrival, Getty's expedition crossed the Pamunkey River, burning Littlepage's Bridge behind them. They arrived in White House on July 7. Getty reported 2 killed, 10 wounded and 4 missing. Confederate losses, as reported by Cooke, were 1 killed and 6 wounded.

Although the expedition failed to destroy the Richmond, Fredricksburg and Potomac Railroad bridge over the South Anna, it was not a total failure. Communications and rail service were disrupted. Rails, becoming increasingly harder to locate, had to be replaced, and soldiers would go hungry for lack of food destroyed in the raid. The rebel "victory" in holding the last bridge on the South Anna became of less significance when word arrived of Lee's defeat at Gettysburg and his return to Virginia.

Silence once again settled over the Hanover countryside. The Federals once again were gone. The silence lasted until early in 1864, when the thunder of opposing guns would announce the war's return.

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21 APR 1994

VERNON NELSON
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Dear Lemm'n Vernon,

Thanks for your letter of 14 APR 1994
and for the details on the melted Ice (panel)
York Family. The information has been
properly extracted and recorded. I am glad
you were able to "py" these details from
your scanner. There is more that yet needs
to be learned about this family and I
am sure you will be able to project for
getting more details.

With All Best wishes!

☺ Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

4/14/99

Cami Phil.

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19 APR 1999

The last issue of UB, Vol 15, No. 1, contained a lot of info about my ancestors. Thanks.

A little info:

Mildred Lee Jarnell, b. 17 Oct. 1900 + d. 14 July 1989. She was gd of Paschal B. N. Her husband, Paul Glenn York, was b. 10 Oct 1898 + d. 26 Sept. 1947.

Both are buried Jonesboro Cemetery, Sanford, N.C.

Sorry it took so long to get this info. It took a little begging from my contacts to get this



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17 APR 1994

H. V. NELSON, JR
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Dear Cousin Vernon,

This past week on 11 APR 1994 I received a copy of your letter of 8 MAR 1990 to Josephine M. U¹ in Mesa, AZ from her husband, ^{Wife} Charles U, Jr. Clyde sent this along with two other letters addressed to Joy. He indicated that Joy has been having some tests at the Mayo Clinic lately and I presume she may have "set genealogy aside" for the moment. In any event I think you and I are already engaged in exchanging details and I see nothing in the enclosed letter I need respond to.

Clyde was born in Raleigh, NC and is of the Moses U/whitney U Sabidan (vs your Moses U/Murray U Sabidan). Clyde is a great guy & I have visited him a couple of times in Mesa. He is now of the Norman faith. I think Joy, her second wife, is respectable.

☺ Sincerely yours
Phil Uchurich
[ROBERT PHILIP UCHURICH]

HAROLD VERNON NELSON, JR. ① XII-29508

This letter sent to RPA in a letter 11 APR
1994 Clyde Charles W, Jr to RPA

1506 N. Cherokee
Dothan, Ala. 36303
March 8, 1990

Josephine W. Upchurch
Mesa, Az.

Dear Ms. Upchurch:

I have been doing some genealogical research on the maternal side of my family - Jewell-Upchurch family from North Carolina. Correspondence with the Moore County Genealogical Society, Carthage, N.C., developed that you, in early 80's, made inquiry about the Upchurch family.

My maternal grandparents were Frederick Ralston Jewell and Nannie (Nancy) Upchurch, and resided in the Jonesboro, N.C. area (New Jonesboro Heights section of Sanford, N.C.). My mother was Edna Olive Jewell, oldest daughter of this marriage. She married Harold V. Nelson of Florence, S.C. Both are now deceased.

I know very little about the Jewell-Upchurch ancestry. On a recent visit to the N.C. Dept. Archives in Raleigh, N.C., I did develop that Nannie (Nancy) Upchurch was the

(2)

Daughter of Pascal Upchurch, but mother was not found. This info from her death certificate. 1910 census reveals that they lived in Jonesboro, N.C.

I have found three Upchurch families in the Wake County area, but no others in the Moore and Lee County area. As info, Lee County was formed in 1907 (?) from portion of Moore County and Farrell City.

It is possible that Nannie Upchurch had a sister Sarah Upchurch. I do not have that documented.

Have you, in your research, found any info about the Jossell-Upchurch family? If so, I would be grateful to you if you would give me benefit of such info. I have had little success thus far!

I include SA SE.

Yours truly,
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6 SEP 1993

17. VERNON NELSON
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Dear Cousin Vernon,

Thanks for your letter of 24+28 AUG 1993. They were waiting for us when we returned to Tucson on 3 SEP 93 after an 11-day stay in Missouri. I was sorry to learn of the death of your nephew but appreciate your sending me the details. Please accept my apologies for getting your name wrong in the U.S.. I have corrected it on the master copy of that issue of the U.S.. It is correct in my files otherwise.

New to the issue of the SAR/DAR, I think you would qualify by virtue of your ancestor Moses U (XFD-1) having served in the Revolution. The question becomes getting all the necessary proof. I have never done this although my ancestor Nathan U, I (brother of your Moses U) served in the Revolution.

I am keeping a file on the SAR/DAR to help with questions such as you pose. It does not have a great deal in it. I do have copies of certain pages of the 1993 Membership Directory for the National Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. It shows Nathan U. as a proper ancestor with his descendant Ben Charles U. Harris having gained SAR membership on the strength of Nathan's service. It does not list Moses U. as an ancestor on which someone has entered the SAR. I feel that Moses U. has been validated for DAR but that would not be in this particular book. The only Uphurch member listed in "Thomas J. Uphurch, Jr 109455 TX, 3310 I-40, W. JULIAN, AMARILLO, TX 79102" His Revolutionary war ancestor is not listed but it could not have been an Uphurch as he belongs to the Richard U. III / Calvin U. I subclan. Richard U. III was a brother to Moses & Nathan but I have never seen any indication that Richard U. III served in the Revolution.

Enclosed is a copy of my 10 page 39 item Biofile on Moses U. You will note in it some reference to DAR work. Also provided is a copy of my 6 page 17 items for your ancestor

Murray U (XID-14). Also provided one copy
of pages 30-37 from Muto's book. All
of this should serve to get you started.
If there is anything in my files that
would be useful to you please let me
know.

I have made a note in my SAR
File that you are working on membership
under MURU. Please let me know
your progress from time-to-time.



Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

8/24/93

Phil. REC'D
33 SEP 1993

Hope things are well with you. Back in N.C. twice this summer & as always, had some of our favorite BBQ. Food, too!

I regret to inform you of the death of my nephew Lindsey Eugene Mann, Jr. on June 23, 1993 in Orlando, Fla. You may wish to place in your files.

I am investigating possible memberships in the SAR & hope to join through Moses U. Documenting all the info required is going to be difficult. I note in DAR index several women are members than Moses U. so they have done a lot of the work necessary. No year files have any references to DAR or SAR & and indicate anyone relatively close to my line who has worked on this? Could be that could get some help from someone. Requirements of DAR & SAR are tight. Any help will be appreciated.

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REC'D
3 SEP 1993

8/28/93

Phil-

Rec'd date current issue Vol 14, No. 3
of the UCB, and, as always is great &
very informative.

A small error, though: P. 117 in
it about U-Bright Newsletter you refer
to "Howard Vernon Nelson" - make that
"Harold Vernon Nelson" - I believe your
records have it Harold, but current issue
of UCB is an error.

Keep up the good work!

Correction
entered on
master copy

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Dear Cousin Vernon,

Thanks for your note of 6 APR 93 regarding the Bought-Whitcomb Family Newsletter. She also sent me a copy of Vol 4 Issue I (March, 1993). In fact, she has not yet written to me except for her open letter which appears on page 17. I am not uptight about this arrangement as we need to encourage any interested party to do what they can to help with family history. I am anxious to obtain all back copies of her newsletters as the sample copy I have shown she has some data on Whitcomb family members which I do not have.

I have yet to remember fully the details on her line. She is correct

that earlier writings on her line got things out of order. I am to be faulted for this in that I used an outline prepared by Olive Morgan and published in her Uphurst Book. Upon close examination it was clear she had made an error. I think I published this complication in a later issue of the U B which you may not see. I'll have to look it up and draw her attention to the matter.

I am most grateful to you for putting me in touch with Sue and I feel that we will be able to help her & vice versa.

With All Best wishes.



Sincerely yours
 Phil Uphurst
 { ROBERT PHILLIP UPHURST }

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4/4/93

Phil - REC'D
10 APR 93

Yesterday I received copy of
the Bright-Repchurch Family
Newsletter (Complimenting Cy) which
included our correspondence and
Sue's replies - replies. Can't spell
anymore.

I thought it strange that
she had heard of you and ~~that~~ ^{your} work
but had not followed through.

I hope good things come from this.

If you & she have any luck,
would be interested in hearing
about it.

I commend you for your
continued efforts.

Vernon Nelson

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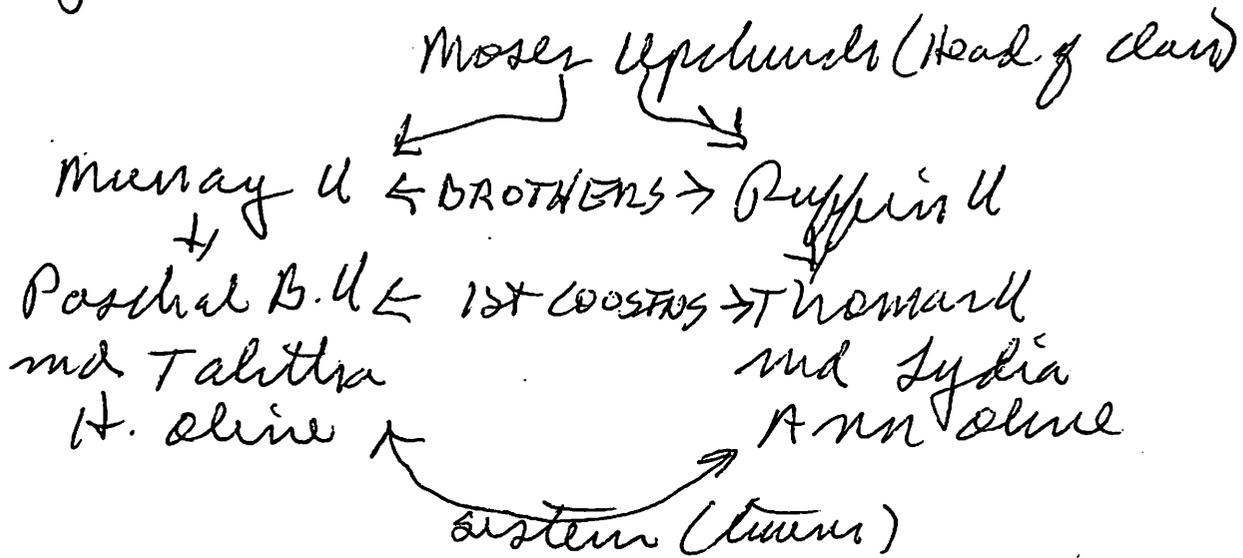
Dear Cousin Vernon,

Thanks very much for your letter of 26 FEB 1993. It has now been properly processed. I have written to Sue Bright Rights and hope we can exchange information. I know quite a bit about her ancestor James S. Uphunk and have encountered the puzzle of identifying his father. Maybe she and I working together can sort it out. I had not heard of her Uphunk-Bright Newsletter and hope I can become a subscriber. Thanks again for getting me into the loop.

The details on the mixed fee (Janell) York family have been entered on the Master Outline. Every letter

but helps. Maybe some of these cousins or their children will show an interest sooner or later.

I had the details on Talitha H. Olive and on Lydia Ann Olive but did not know they were sisters. Here is the relationship



Puffin U had 22 known children and over the years I have made good progress in sorting them out. However, details on Thomas U & his family are scarce. See enclosed Master outline sheet for him. This is all I have. If you can plug me into someone or an information stream about this family I will be grateful.

I'll be looking forward to more details as you can acquire

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them. It is good to learn that
your heart is behaving these days.
Hope you continue to do well and
that you can resume your travels
and enjoy life in a variety of
ways. I guess we all have to
learn how to face ourselves.

At the end of each day I let my body
tell me what I can do, often that
means just lying on the floor and
putting my mind out of gear while
I watch some senseless TV program.
Football is the best with its endless
series of critical third downs. My body
also tells me when to get going in
the AM - usually between 4:00 AM - &
6:00 AM.

with all best wishes.



Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

(ROBERT PATRICK UPCHURCH)

①

REC'D
5 MAR 1993

Feb. 26, 1993

Camin Phil - [Filed under Sue Bright]

I am attaching self-explanatory letter from Sue Bright relative to certain desired info about Paschal B. U. which I have furnished. I have also referred her to you. Do you know about her?

Note she apparently needs info about some of her family. I advised her that you probably could help as I note in the Ypsoworth y bulletin references to James, Samuel Joseph & other U's mentioned.

You may wish to contact her if you have not as of now.

Question: I have just learned that
 + Valitha Olive, wife of Paschal U., had a twin
 sister Lydia, who also married an U.,
 + Homer U., to be exact. Was he related in
 any way to Paschal U.?

I don't have any particular info for you as of now but hope to before long. My heart has been kinda contrary but is about straight

2.

now and maybe I'll be able to travel some
soon.

Jesson Nelson
1506 N. Cherokee
Dasher, Al. 36803

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Compiler V. Y. Nelson Jr
 Address 1506 N. Cherokee
 City Dallas, TX 75203
 Date _____

Family Group Sheet

ID number: _____

Full Name of Husband

ID No. Paul Glenn York

Born _____ Day / Month / Year Address, City, County, State, Country
 Marriage _____
 Died _____
 Burial Date / Cemetery / City / County / State _____
 HUSBAND'S OTHER SPOUSE(s): _____
 OCCUPATION: _____ Church Affiliation: _____
 Military / Fraternal Organizations / Misc. Remarks _____

HUSBAND'S FATHER: _____ Birth Date _____ Death Date _____ ID# _____
 Birth Place _____ Death Place _____
 HUSBAND'S MOTHER: _____ Birth Date _____ Death Date _____ ID# _____
 Birth Place _____ Death Place _____

Full Maiden Name of Wife ID No. 29506 Mildred Lee Jewell

Born _____ Day / Month / Year Address, City, County, State, Country
 Died _____
 Burial Date / Cemetery / City / County / State _____

OTHER HUSBAND(s) _____
 Remarks _____

WIFE'S FATHER: Jessie R. Jewell Birth Date _____ Death Date _____ ID# _____
 Birth Place _____ Death Place _____
 WIFE'S MOTHER: Nancy (Nannie) Spchurch Birth Date _____ Death Date _____ ID# _____
 Birth Place _____ Death Place _____

Comments About Family:

CHILDREN (Given Names)	BORN		DIED		MARRIAGE DATA			ID #
	WHEN	WHERE	WHEN	WHERE	TO WHOM	WHEN	WHERE	
1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Nancy Elizabeth		<u>Lee Co. NC</u>						
2. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mary Edna		<u>Lee Co. NC</u>						
3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Paul Glenn		<u>Lee Co. NC</u>						
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Phil -
 I can't get these
 cousins interested & so
 I don't have any info for
 you except their names.
 You may wish to put
 their names in the
 computer & some day I
 will get dates, etc.

V. Nelson

Sources listed on back of Sheet

Problems with numbering systems? Write Heritage Quest for back issue #13, featuring "Genealogy by the Numbers". Enclose \$6.00 plus \$1.00 p&h, Washington State Residents add sales tax.

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8 JUL 1992

H. V. NELSON, JR.
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Dear Cousin Vernon

Thank so much for your letter of 26 MAY 1992.
and for all the details. They have all been extracted
& placed on the master outline and in the
respective profiles. The master outline for Paschal
B. U has been rescoped and a set of the pages
including continuation section 66 is provided
herewith for your use. Relevant questions have
also been included. Will appreciate any of
the answers you have or can get. I am also
including a copy of the four-page profile on
Paschal B. U as a scanning of our correspondence
does not reveal that I have sent this before.

We have now received an airmail shipment
of N.C. Barbeque from KING'S in Kinston. Also
my wife's sister from Newbern was out recently
and brought two packets. We feel twice blessed!

It is strange that Talitha Oline Jewell was
born in VA and yet named someone on the
Wake/Franklin Co border. There were Olines in
the Wake/Franklin border area before 1800 and

I just assumed she was descended from there earlier Oline and was not a later arrival from VA. Oline family historian Irene Oline Kittinger might be helpful on this matter.

Hope you can get more details from Mrs. Celeste Knight U of Dalton, AL. I cannot fit Charles Bernard U or Charles Fatesmire U into the overall picture and would like to do so.

I have corrected your birth date in my master copy of the U.B. Sorry for the error. Thanks for the reminder.

Harold, it is great to have you as a cooperator & to be making such splendid progress on the Paschal B. Upchurch line. Will look forward to our continued interactions.

☺ sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

③
MISSING DETAILS ON PASCAL

8 JUL 1992

B. UPCHURCH, HIS CHILDREN & GRANDCHILDREN

1) For Pascal B. U

a) what does the "B" stand for?

b) where was he born?

c) where is he married?

d) For Talitha H. Oline

i) what does the "H" stand for?

ii) where in VA was she born?

2) For Sarah E. U

a) what does the "E." stand for?

b) when and where did she marry?

c) did she have just two children?

d) For John D. Mann

i) what does the "D" stand for?

ii) where was he born?

3) For Grace Mann

a) what is her full maiden name?

b) where was she born?

c) where died & where buried?

d) when & where married?

e) For James Truitt

i) what is his full name?

ii) when & where born?

iii) when & where died & where buried?

f) Need details on her three children & descendants.

4) For Greta Elyzabeth Mann

a) where born?

b) where died?

c) where buried?

PASCAL B. U - ² CONTINUED

(4)

- 5) For Edward U
 - a) what was his full name?
 - b) when in 1859 born?
 - c) when & where died & where buried?
 - d) Did he marry/have children? If so, details?
- 6) For Melley (Mellie) U
 - a) what is her full maiden name?
 - b) when in 1861 born?
 - c) when & where died & where buried?
 - d) Did she ever marry/have children? If so, details?
- 7) For Nancy P. U
 - a) what does the "P." stand for?
 - b) when in 1897 did she marry? & did she marry in Wake Co, NC?
- 8) For Katie Janell
 - a) what was her full maiden name?
 - b) when born?
 - c) where in SC born?
 - d) when died & where buried?
 - e) Did she marry/have children? If so, details?
- 9) For Edna Eline Janell - see separate list.
- 10) For Mildred Lee Janell
 - a) when in 1902 born?
 - b) when in 1988 died & where buried?
 - c) when & where married?
 - d) Full name of P. G. York, when & where born, when & where died & where buried?
 - e) Did she have children? If so, details?
- 11) For Hilda Janell - Full name, when in 1902 born, where born, when & where died & where buried?

MISSING DETAILS ON THE EDNA 8 JUL 1992
OLIVE (JARRELL) NELSON FAMILY (5)

- 1) For Edna Olive Jarrell & husband - All OK
- 2) For Harold Vernon Nelson, Jr.
 - a) Did you have just two children & just five grandchildren? (including the two Chadwick children).
 - b) For Frederick Kelly Nelson
 - i) when & where married the first time?
 - ii) Full maiden name of his first wife and when and where was she born?
 - iii) when and where married the second time?
- 3) For Frederick Thomas Nelson
 - a) when did he die?
 - b) when and where married?
 - c) Full maiden name of his wife & when & where was she born? Still living?
- 4) For Mildred Myrtle Nelson
 - a) Did she have just three children?
 - b) Can we confirm the spelling of LINDSEY vs LINDSAT? (The latter is common in the Mann family)
 - c) For Virginia Ellen Mann
 - i) when and where married?
 - ii) where was Perry Lee Sapp born?
 - iii) Did she have children? If so, details?
 - d) For Lindsey Eugene Mann, Jr.
 - i) Did he marry / have children? If so, details?
 - e) For Frances Nell Mann
 - i) when & where married?
 - ii) where was Harold William Ashen born?
 - iii) Did she have children? If so details?

5) For Frances Edna Nelson

- a) when & where did she marry?
- b) Full name of William Davis & when & where was he born?
- c) Did she have just two children?

d) For Randy Davis

- i) what is his full name
- ii) where was he born?
- iii) Did he marry/have children? If so, details?

e) For Clayton Nelson Davis

- i) where was he born?
- ii) where did & where buried?
- iii) Did he ever marry/have children? If so, details?

b) For Wilda Mae Nelson.

- a) where was she born?
- b) when died?
- c) when and where married?
- d) Full name of Edward JANDON and where was he born?

e) Did she have just two children?

f) For Edward JANDON (her son)

- i) what is his full name?
- ii) when & where born?
- iii) Did he marry/have children? If so, details?

g) For Catherine JANDON

- i) what is her full maiden name?
- ii) when & where born?
- iii) Did she marry/have children? If so, details?

12/16/92

Phil-

Please note following corrections:

XID Nos. 30563, -64 and -65 should read JAUDON, and not JANON.

Tony was in Rocky M. last week due to the death of her brother. I could not accompany her due to recurrence of my heart problems. I believe it's now stabilized and am getting back into my normal activities.

She brought some N.C. BBQ. It's not on my diet, but in this case, I'll cheat a little. I don't believe the Lord will hold that against me, do you? It's worth the chance.

I appreciate your reference to me in the last issue of the Upchurch Bulletin. Hopefully I'll be able to help even more.

Happy Holidays!

Vernon Nelson

REC'D
JUL 92

5/26/92

TV. NELSON

1506 N. CHEROKEE

DOTHAN, AL 36303

Phil -

I've been a little slow in getting needed info & can about my family, but have not been too successful in getting answers from letters I mailed to various family members.

Tuey & I were in Rocky Mount several weeks ago for her brother's 50th wedding anniversary & just had to go to Bob Melton - it's still good! Came back through Sanford (Lee Co.) and learned a few facts of interest.

Re your letter of 15 Feb., 1992:

1) (a) As I related to you earlier, my Grn's name was Nannie Ychurch, however I have seen her name listed as Nancy in a place or two, & in Sanford recently I found her listed as Nancy P. That is the first time I had seen the "P" and have no idea what it stands for. I'm curious. Nannie is on her death certificate, but the info was furnished by my aunt, & her daughter Mildred Lee Jersell York. I am now of the belief that

- △ her birth name was Nancy P(?) U.
- (b) She was born July 10, 1863 in Wake Cty.
& died Dec. 13, 1944
- (c) She is buried in Jonesboro Cemetery.
Jonesboro is now a part of Sanford, and is
known as Jonesboro Heights.
- (d) I don't know exact date, nor location
of marriage, but ca 1897.
- (e) She had three children: Edna Olive, my
mother, Mildred Lee, and Hilda, b. 1902, date
not known, but died in early years. I will
get that info some day.
- (f) (i). Frederick Ralston Jansell was born
Feb. 17, 1854, Randolph Cty., N.C. and died
Feb. 19, 1928, Jonesboro, N.C. 1854 is correct
year of birth.
- △ (a) Edna Olive Jansell died Aug. 31, 1967
- △ (b) (i) H. V. N. Sr. died April 27, 1966
- (ii) He died in Veterans Hospital in St. Petersburg,
Fla., but actually lived in Altamonte Springs,
Fla.

□+□ (C). They had 5 children - info furnished earlier.

□3 N.Y.N.J. (me)

a) Married Sept 23, 1943, in Rocky Mount, N.C.

b) Married Lucy Faye Mobley

c) See attached Family Group Record.

△4 Frederick Thomas Nelson

a) Born 1/8/1922

b)

c) North Charleston, S.C.

d) M. Anne? No children.

□5. Mildred Myrtle Nelson

a) B. 9/12/1923

b) M. Lindsey Eugene Mann 8/16/1950

See attached Family Group Record for children.

△6. Frances Edna Nelson

□ a) B. 7/24/1925 - Was a twin to Hilda.

△ b) M. Wm. Davis.

△ Children: Randy Davis b. 10/16/1948

△ Clayton Nelson Davis b. 9/18/1949 d. 1/5/1990

△7. Hilda Mae Nelson

a) ?

b) North Charleston, S.C.

c) M. Edward Ganson. Two children Edward and Catherine. Dates, etc. unknown.

Remainder of info desired will be furnished later when I receive it, or develop it.

Update on Talitha Olive Gansell: I have now developed that she was b. 9/15/1853 in Virginia and d. 8/26/1916, Sanford, N.C. and is buried in Shallow Hall Cemetery, near Sanford. I note, with interest, that several records indicate her name to have been Talitha H. - have no idea what the H stands for. Am still searching for her parents: I am attempting to get a copy of her death certificate. Possible it has the names. I have searched 1850 Census records til exhausted, but with no luck. She was 17 yoa at that time, but have not been able to find her. Still looking, though.

As info; Sarah E. U. b 5/10/1857 had two children: Grace Mann Pruitt, b. 4/6/1894 and d. 6/7/1989, and Greta Elizabeth Mann, never married; b 4/6/1894, d. 6/7/1989(?) - DOD is probably wrong.

Was talking with Mrs. Celeste Knight-
 Upchurch, Dethan resident, seeking family (U) info
 and she advised her husband was Charles
 Bernard U., now deceased, and his father
 was Charles Latisimus U., possibly b near
 Gumtaro, N.C. She didn't know too much
 but thought the U family originally came
 from Wake Co. She is trying to get other info
 for me. Do these names show up in your
 files? Maybe this family is one of us.

6/15

Have now received death certificate for
 Jalithe Olive U. Her father was
 Aso (Ocie) Olive & mother was Elizabeth Gray.
 They were m. 7/31/1823. Aso later m. Polly
 Baker, 11/23/1858.

I note that last issue of U Bulletin
 gives my birth date as 16 July, 1920. It
 is actually 10 June, 1920.

Regards
 Vernon Nelson

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FAMILY UPCHURCH, P.B.
 HUSBAND'S NAME PASCHAH, B. UPCHURCH
 Residence WAKE COUNTY, N.C.
 Birthdate c. 1830 Where N.C.
 Marriage date 12/5/1855 Where WAKE COUNTY, N.C.
 Married 1 times. LIST OTHER WIVES ON SEPARATE PAGE.
 Death date 7/4/1863 Buried.....
 His father's name MURRAY UPCHURCH
 Mother's maiden name NANCY SCOTT

GENERATION _____
 WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME TALITHA OLIVE
 Residence WAKE COUNTY, N.C.
 Birthdate 9/15/1833 Where VA.
 Other marriages. LIST OTHER HUSBANDS ON SEPARATE PAGE.
 Other husbands' names.....
 Death date 8/26/1916 Buried SHALLOW WELL CH. SANFORD, N.C.
 Her father's name ASA (OCIE) OLIVE
 Mother's maiden name ELIZABETH GRAY

CHILDREN	When BORN	Where	When MARRIED	Where	When DIED	Where	MARRIED TO:	Chart
1 SARAH E.	5/10/1857	WAKE CTY			8/7/1942	JONESBORO	JOHN D. MANN	
2 EDDIE (EDWARD)		L						
3 MOLLIE		L						
4 NANCY (NANNIE)	7/10/1863	L	3/1897		12/13/1944	JONESBORO	FREDRICK P. TARRELL	
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11								
12								

COMMENTS:

*Jonesboro, N.C. now part of Sanford N.C.
 Shallow Well Church Cemetery is near Sanford, N.C.*

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
<input type="checkbox"/> SARAH UPCHURCH	Name	John D. Mann	
WAKE CTY, N.C.	Born	9/10/1855	
	Married		
SANFORD, N.C.	Died	12/15/1904	SANFORD, N.C.
	Burial		
	Father		
	Mother		
	husband	(Other if any)	wife
Notes Both buried Shallow Well Church Cem. near Sanford, N.C. Grace & James Truitt had 3 children: trying to get info.			

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Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
1	F	GRACE	4/6/1894		6/5/1989	
		JAMES TRUITT				
2	F	GRETA ELIZABETH	4/6/1894		7/7/1984	

FAMILY NELSON
 HUSBAND'S NAME FREDRICK... KELLY... NELSON
 Residence DOTMAN, ALA
 Birthdate 19 OCT 1948 Where WILMINGTON, N.C.
 Marriage date..... Where DOTMAN, ALA
 Married 2 times. LIST OTHER WIVES ON SEPARATE PAGE.
 Death date..... Buried.....
 His father's name HAROLD... VERMAN... NELSON... #12
 Mother's maiden name LUCY... FAYE... MOBLEY

GENERATION 1
 WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME #2 CAROLYN... JAYE... ZORN
 Residence DOTMAN, ALA
 Birthdate 11/19/1950 Where DOTMAN, ALA
 Other marriages. LIST OTHER HUSBANDS ON SEPARATE PAGE.
 Other husbands' names DONALD... CHADWICK
 Death date..... Buried.....
 Her father's name WILLIAM... CARMIE... ZORN
 Mother's maiden name ANNIE... JAYE... LORD

CHILDREN	When BORN	Where	When MARRIED	Where	When DIED	Where	MARRIED TO:	Chart
¹ W ^M DONALD	11 14 70	ORLANDO						
² AMY MICHELLE	8 30 73	DOTMAN						
³ TAMARA ANNE	4 19 85	DOTMAN						
4								
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9								
10								
11								
12								

COMMENTS:

¹ W^M DONALD CHADWICK AND ² AMY MICHELLE CHADWICK, CAROLYN'S CHILDREN 1ST. MARRIAGE. ³ TAMARA ANNE DR. OF ¹ KELLY AND ² CAROLYN.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

Wife		Husband	
△ MILDRED MYRTLE NELSON	Name	△ LINDSEY EUGENE MANN	
- FLORENCE S.C.	Born	3/8/25 WAKE CTY., N.C.	
- ORLANDO, FLA.	8/12/23	Married	8/16/50
	8/16/50	Died	
		Burial	
□ HAROLD VERNON NELSON	Father		
□ EDNA OLIVE JARRELL NELSON	Mother		
	husband	Other (if any)	wife
Notes			

Date married & spouse

#	Sex	Children in order of birth	Born Day Month Year	Where born	Died Day Month Year	Where died
△ 1	F	VIRGINIA ELLEN MANN	1/22/52	ORLANDO, FLA.		
△		PERRY LEE SAPP	7/4/57			
△ 2	M	LINDSEY EUGENE MANN, JR.	5/16/56	ORLANDO, FLA.		
△ 3	F	FRANCES NELL MANN	4/14/59	ORLANDO, FLA.		
△		HAROLD W ^m AIKEN	4/14/51			

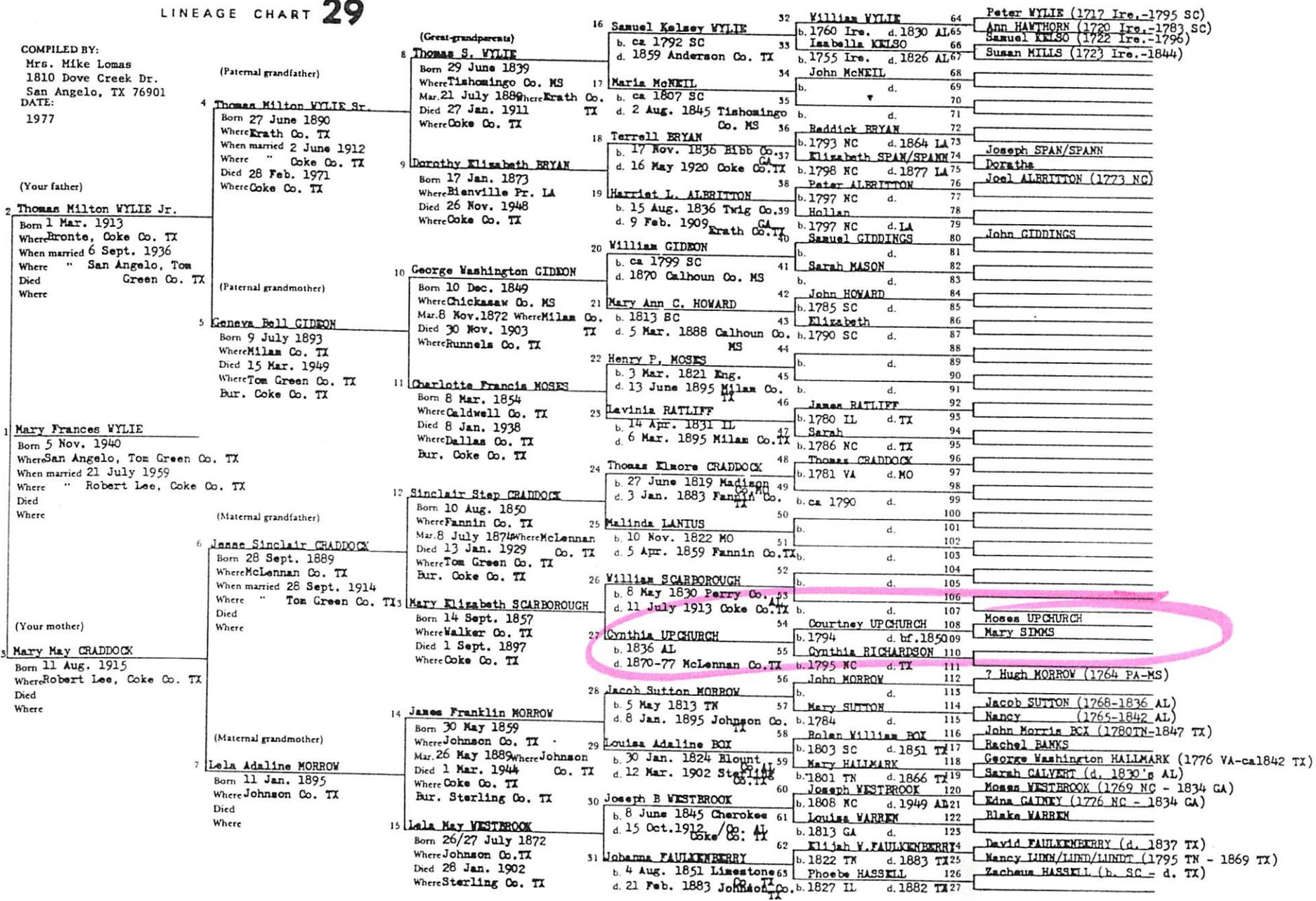
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4 APR 1992

H. V. NELSON, JR
1506 N. CHEROKEE ST
DOTHAN, AL 36303

Dear Cousin Vernon,
your letter of 31 MAR arrived today and
is much appreciated. I'll look forward to
the details you are collecting in due
course.

As regards Martin Co, NC and the Hoptine
Family - perhaps you or Lucy know the Bellflower
Family of Martin Co, NC. My uncles late brother
John Sledge married Judell Bellflower about
1947. Subsequently he moved to the Bellflower
home place just outside of Oak City at Hopgood.
Johnny bought a place there of his own and
farmed for quite a few years. Later he became
President of the N.C. Farm Bureau & spent
much of his time in Raleigh while still
maintaining a home & farming operation
in Martin Co. Since his death several years ago
Judell has moved back to the farm for good.

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My wife's sister Joyce Sledge married William V. Griffin about 1950 and they lived in Rocky Mount for a couple of years. He was coach at a local high school and she worked for ACL in Rocky Mount as you did.

As regards the Moore/Whitney subdan I am sending herewith the carded sections of this subdan with red answer for your attention. Also provided is Continuation Section 17 which is where you find Myrtle & Lindsey (Lindsay). I will be happy to have input to improve this Master Outline. However, you might wish to write the real expert on the Mann Family. His address, in case you are not already in touch is: CLAYTON PHILIP MANN, 415 BILLINGHAM DR, BOALINGTON, NC 27215.

With regards to the Upchurch/Oline connections there are a number. The one which strikes in my mind most is Mary Oline b 1813 (NC) and 30 MAR 1833 (Wake Co, NC) A child L. U b 1805 (NC). He was my great uncle. They moved to TN soon after marrying. I am interested in the Oline lines where they interact with Upchurch lines and would appreciate relevant input.

However, the real expert on the Olives
of Wake Co, NC is writing a book on
the Olives. I have been anxious for
it to be completed. You might want
to hear if you have not done so:

IRENE OLIVE KITTINGER, 1218 SCOTT PLACE,
CARY, NC 27511.

As regards Belle Semler West - I know her
well in her later years and visited in her home
in Durham, NC several times prior to her
death about ten years ago. We corresponded
extensively. She was of the Mosely/Murray &
Sullivan - Isham family line.

Thanks for your background. To recapitulate:

I was born 1928 in the Inwood Church (Water
mill / Ramhatts) area of Southern Wake Co, NC
on a 43 acre farm which was 1/2 washed
away. I attended Sump Creek Elementary School,
Hoyt Mason High School in Raleigh two years,
Cary High School 1 year [never have graduated
from High School] - B.S. Agronomy N.C. State
& M.S. Agronomy N.C. State - both in 1949 -
Ph.D. Plant Physiology Univ CA - Davis 1953 -
Assistant Professor -> Professor in Med Science
N.C. State 1953 -> 1965 with 2 yr out for
U.S. Air Force Eglin AFB Florida 1955-1957. Then

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with Monsanto Co in St Louis, MO 1965-1975
in Agricultural R & D - then to Univ
of AZ in 1975 where I have been for the
last 17 yrs (with 3 more to go). - All
an Ag Administrator. You are better
an hobbyist than I am - no music,
no art, no talent - just good at
organization, a driven person lucky
enough to be born with champagne
in my blood - I enjoy genealogy
and plan to generate a foundation
to support family history in the
next several years. For the present I
spend 50 hrs/week for the University, 15 hrs
on genealogy & 5 hours on farming (long
distance). It's all great fun as long
as I can keep up the pace.

I'll be anxious to hear from you
and to keep up our exchange to
improve family history of mutual
interest.

Sincerely yours
Phil Church

[ROBERT WILLIAM UPCHURCH]

HAROLD VERNON NELSON, JR ①

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4 APR 1992

3/31

H. V. NELSON, JR

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Phillips:

I appreciate your letter of 3/21 and am working on the info you requested & will get it to you before long.

I was especially interested in your comments about N.C., especially the Py. Mt. area. We, too, love the N.C. Bee-h-Sue, cooked that way no other place I know of. We've eaten at Bob Melton's many times, but the last few years and we go there about twice a year. Gordon's seems the place to go, it, too, is delicious.

Fuzzy and I were in Martin County last Nov. - attended the first reunion of the Hopkins side

of her family. We apparently were the stars because we had done family research for several years. Others had not but were interested in info we had.

Let me tell you briefly something about me: I was born in Florence, S.C. you have my parentage. I completed high school there & attended Clemson for a short while, but finances were a problem. This was not too long after the depression years. I had an opportunity to go with the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad in Ry. M.V. so I decided to work for a year, then back to Clemson, but world situation, etc., at that time resulted in my staying with A.C.L. for 43 yrs. I worked out of Ry. M.V. and Wilmington and was fortunate enough to have received 5 promotions along the way. In Oct., 1950, I was transferred to Jacksonville, Fla., and then later to Sanford, Fla., Ocala, Fla. and then to DeLeon. I had cardiac problems in 1982, with by-pass surgery at Birmingham and was forced to retire. We love the DeLeon area so we decided to remain here.

My hobbies are varied & many. I was a band student, so music remains one, I, too, love to paint, sing, church, affair in area but

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League, member of South East Alabama
Genealogical Society. I love the
out doors, and, at one time, did a lot
of hunting & fishing. I ~~do~~ do very
little now, though - a little back
problem

You mentioned that Myrtle's
husband Lindsey Eugene Mann
is descended from the Mann of
Whitney N. Carolina. I did not
know that and I am sure that
he, too, does not know. An
interesting development. I wrote
him this AM and asked about his
parents, g. parents, etc. Just might
visit him again soon. I am
interested in pursuing this further
& will appreciate any info you might
have in this connection. As a matter
of fact, I know nothing about
Whitney N., except I have brief
info that he was b. 1793 in
Franklin Cty. N.C., in Jan. 1811
to Elizabeth Adams in Wake Cty,
N.C. I believe that Lindsey Eugene
Mann was born in either Wake
or Chatham County, N.C. and I
know his family always lived in
that general area. It's an interesting

possibilities. I'll confirm info on Lindsey soon as I get it.

As info, I was checking some census records of Wake County, especially Parshal B. W. and his family. Parshal Olive W., his widow after 7/4/1863, lived near & adjacent to Olive and Upchurchs. There has to be relationships there, but I have never definitely proven her parentage, even though I have washed several possibilities some day I will, though unfortunately I had little to go on on either the Upchurch or Olive families & have washed it from scratch until I began corresponding with you & did get a break, though in Feb. 7 '91. I placed a Query in The Family Puzzler Magazine,

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a genealogical magazine published
in Athens, Ga, to which I subscribe.
I received an answer from a
Mrs. Kate Nesbit of McDonough, Ga.
who had a copy of the book by
Belle West and she Xeroxed
pages relative to Paschal B. I
have attempted to correspond with
her since but my letters have
gone unanswered. I was interested
in knowing why she had this
book, thinking that she might
be an Upshur descendant. Have
you ever heard of her?

Again, will furnish you
other info when I get it.

Many thanks.

Vernon DeLo

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21 MAR 1994
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H. V. NELSON, JR
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Dear Cousin Vernon,

Thanks for your letter of 9 MAR 1992 and for the order for the U B for 1986. You should have it by now or well as 1992 Vol 13 #1. I have extracted all the details in your letter for the Mansie Biopics and the Murder outline. I'll all fit together nicely. Enclosed is a recap of what is missing on your Mother's family. I have not raised questions about the marriage of any of her grandchildren or of the existence of any great-grandchildren but trust you will send such details along if you have or can get them.

Are you aware that the husband of your sister Myrtle is descended from the Moseley/Whitney U Subclan?

I note that you and Lucy have some connection with the Rocky Mount/Janesville area of NC. My wife is from Mameyer which is between Zebulon & Rocky Mount. During the period 1942 - 1965 when I was with

The N.C. State University College of Agriculture I had projects at the Rocky Mount Field Station just east of Rocky Mount and also the Indemater Field Station at Plymouth. My wife and I are very fond of N.C. peach barbecue and hold Bob Melton's in Rocky Mount as a prime place. There are Upchurch relatives in Rocky Mt, Fanesville, Plymouth - & all over the place.

I will be waiting for your next input. In the meantime please let me know if you have special questions. I am anxious to do what we can to upgrade the Paschal B. Upchurch Meters outline.

Sincerely yours

Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY ③ 21 MAR 1992
OF EDNA OLIVE (JARRELL) NELSON

- 1) For Edna Olive Jarrell
 - a) when in 1967 did she die?
 - b) when in 1966 did Harold Vernon Nelson, Sr die?
- 2) For Harold Vernon Nelson, Jr
 - a) Do you have children? If so, need details.
- 3) For Frederick Thomas Nelson
 - a) when died?
 - b) when & where married?
 - c) Full maiden name of wife & when & where was she born?
- 4) For Mildred Myrtle Nelson
 - a) when & where married?
 - b) For Her Husband L.E. Mann
 - i) Is LINDSEY or LINDSAY correct?
 - ii) what does the "E" stand for?
 - iii) when and where was he born?
 - c) Need details on her three children.
- 5) For Frances Edna Nelson
 - a) when and where was she married?
 - b) Full name of her husband & when & where was he born?
 - c) Need details on her three children?
- 6) For Hilda Mae Nelson
 - a) when did she die?
 - b) where is she buried?
 - c) when & where did she marry?
 - d) Full name of her husband & when & where was he born?
 - e) Need details on her two children.

HAROLD VERNON NELSON, JR

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REC'D
13 MAR 1992

3/9/92

H. V. Nelson, Jr.
1826 N. CHESTER ST.
TOMPA, AR. 36303

Dear Phil -

I appreciate your letter of 3/15/92 and am furnishing you the info you requested.

You mention the fact that I am the first descendant of Paschal B. Upchurch from whom you have heard I suspected that. In all my research I found nothing that would indicate any research from any member of my family, present or past. I am glad to furnish records from Paschal B. to the present.

Again let me say that Paschal B. Upchurch was a soldier in the Civil War and was fatally injured on July 4, 1863 at the skirmish, or

battle at South Loma Pine Bridge over the R. F. & P. Railroad. For a long time I did not have this info. In my research I found him in the 1860 Fed. Census, but

COPIED FOR
PASCAL
B. U.

not in the 1870 Census. It was obvious that something had happened to him between 1860 and 1870. I found ^{Fannie} ~~Thomas~~ & her children in the 1870 Census. Research at the F.P.C. Archives confirmed my suspicions, proven by my finding records of his death. I later learned of his parentage and ancestry - part of the thrill of genealogy! I am glad that I am able to add the Paschal B. descendants to your records.

The additional info you wanted is attached:

- 1 - For Nancy "Nannie" Lynch.
- (a) Her full maiden name was Nannie. I found one census where she was listed as Nancy, but family records, including death certificate, was Nannie.
- (b) She was born 7/10/1863
- (c) City Cemetery, Jonestown, N.C. Jontown is now known as Jontown Heights after merger with Sanford, N.C.
- (d) I don't know where or when she was married, but ca 1897 & possibly in Wake Co.

(e) She had three children - Edna Olive and Mildred Lee. Another, Hilda, died in infancy, dates unknown.

(f) (1) Born 2/17/1854 (Fred. P. Jewell)

2 - For Edna Olive Jewell (my mother)

(a) Have misplaced my records. Advice later.

(b) "

(1) - V.A. Hospital in St. Petersburg, Fla.

but he was a resident of Altamonte Springs, Fla.

(c) Just 5 children as I advised.

3. For Harold Vernon Nelson Jr (son)

(a) Married 9/23/1943 in Rocky Mount, N.C.

(b) Full name is Lucy Faye Mobley

4 - For Frederick Thomas Nelson

(a) Born Jan. 8, 1922.

(b) Will advise later. OOD

(c) Charleston, S.C.

(d) Married Anne?, no children.

5. For Michael Myrtle Nelson

(a) Born 9/12/1923

(b) Married Lindsey E. Mann &
3 children. Advise this info
to you later.

6. Frances Edna Nelson

(a) Born 7/24/25

(b) Married & two children. This
info to you later.

7. Hilda Mae Nelson

(a) Born 7/24/25

(b) Married & two children.
Info to you later about
dates of death, etc.

I have lost or misplaced
the info you wanted, but am
searching it. Hope to have it to
you in next few weeks.

Jesson Nelson

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Phil -

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"Vernon"

I may possibly want certain back volumes if I knew their content. Do you have an index?

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15 FEB 1992

VERNON NELSON
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Dear Cousin Vernon,

Thanks for your order for the U B for 1992 and for all the details on your part of the family. The January 1992 issue of the U B will be ready for mailing in early March as usual. As regards back volumes of the U B I think you would find them all of interest. However, you might wish to try 1986 (Volume 7) for a good sample. It has an outline of the more upland Murray Upland subclan to which you belong. An order blank is enclosed.

Provided herewith is a write-up on "The Michael Enterprises Family History System". Let me know if you have any questions.

I am providing herewith a list of the missing details on your part of the family and will appreciate any answer you have or can get. In due course I will have more details to send to you and more questions to ask. I am sure we have a lot to share. In the meantime let me know if you have any questions.

you are the first descendant of Paschal B. Uphurch with whom I have had contact. However, I have been in touch with descendants of his brothers and sisters and my master outline for the Moser U / Murray U subclan has been expanding nicely over the years. of course there is always more to do.

My GGGF Nathan U, I was a brother of your ancestor Moser U. They were the sons of Richard U, II who arrived in the Mountain Creek Area of present day Franklin Co, NC about 1755. About 1802 Nathan U, I & Moser left Franklin Co, NC with their several children and moved about 40 miles west. Nathan U, I settled just inside Wake Co, NC at Green Level. Moser settled about 2-3 miles west just inside Chatham Co, NC. There are still Uphurches there. My grandfather Bartley Jefferson U was born there in 1843. He also fought in the Civil War. He was a 2nd cousin of your Paschal B. U.

The Yates & Oline families mentioned in your records are prominent on the Wake/Chatham Border & members of these families often intermarried with each other and with Uphurches. Somehow, I may be able to help on your Yates & Oline lines in due course. I was born & raised about 8 miles from New Hill in Wake Co, NC where your ancestor lived. Since 1975 I have owned the New Hill

Area of Wake Co, NC looking over the area
in general and the cemeteries in particular.

Do let me hear from you soon
so we can continue our exchange.

Sincerely yours
Phil Yarbrough

[ROBERT PHILIP YARBROUGH]

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY OF
EDNA OLIVE (JARRELL) NELSON

15 FEB
1992

- 1) For Nancy "Nannie" U [mother of Edna]
 - a) what is her full maiden name?
 - b) when in JUL 1863 was she born?
 - c) where is she buried?
 - d) when and where did she marry?
 - e) Did she have just two children?
 - f) For Frederick Ralston Jarrell
 - i) when in FEB 1864 was he born?
 - ii) you have 1854 in your record at one place - I assume 1864 is correct.
- 2) For Edna Olive Jarrell
 - a) when in 1967 did she die?
 - b) For Harold Vernon Nelson, Sr
 - i) when in 1966 did he die?
 - ii) where did he die?
 - c) Did she have just five children?
- 3) For Harold Vernon Nelson, Jr
 - a) when and where did you marry?
 - b) For Lucy F. Mobley
 - i) what does the "F" stand for?
 - c) Details on your children and grandchildren, if any?
- 4) For Frederick Thomas Nelson
 - a) when was he born?
 - b) when did he die?
 - c) where is he buried?
 - d) Did he ever marry/have children? If so, details?

(5)

- 5) For Mildred Myrtle Nelson
- when in 1923 was she born?
 - Did she ever marry / have children? If so, details?
- 6) For Frances Edna Nelson
- when in 1925 was she born?
 - Did she ever marry / have children? If so, details?
- 7) For Hilda Mae Nelson
- when did she die?
 - where in she married?
 - Did she ever marry / have children? If so, details?

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Feb. 11, 1992

Mr. Phillip Upchurch
- P.O. Box 35804
- Tucson, Az 85740

I appreciate your letter of 2/6/92
relative to the Upchurch Family.

I have done extensive research into
the Upchurch Family, however, progress was
rather poor until I located & received
a Xerox of certain info contained in a book
I believe to have been written by Belle
Lutter West.

I had traced my ancestry back to
Paschal B. Upchurch, but was not certain
as to his parentage. I now know that
his father was Murray Upchurch and his
mother was Nancy Scott. I was confused
about Simms Upchurch, who was the
bestman at the wedding of Paschal B.
and Talitha Olive on 12/5/1855. I now
know that Simms was the brother of
Paschal B.

Paschal B. Upchurch enlisted in Co. D, 15th
Regiment, U.S. State Troops on 7/18/1862. He

was fatally wounded on 7/4/1863 at
skirmish at the South Anna River Bridge
over the Richmond, Fredericksburg, Railroad in
Virginia. I have not learned of his burial
location.

I am attaching ancestry charts
pertaining to descendants of Paschal B.
Upchurch, from which you will note that
Paschal B. was my ggf and Nannie Upchurch
Garnett was my gm.

I will be glad to exchange information
concerning my ancestry. As info, I am 71 years
of age and am retired. For 43 years I was
a supervisory official on the Seacoast Coast
Line Railroad.

I attach check for \$15.00 for 1992 bulletin.

Yours truly,
Vernon DeLeon
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No. _____ on chart No. _____

b Date of birth
pb Place of birth
m Date of marriage
d Date of death
pd Place of death

4 CHARLES THOMAS NELSON
(Father of No. 2)
b 9/28/1864
pb NELSON, GA.
m
d 4/26/1941
pd FLORENCE, S.C.

2 HAROLD VERNON NELSON
(Father of No. 1)
b 2/14/1898
pb BLUE RIDGE, GA.
m 4/29/1918
d 1966
pd FLORIDA

5 SARA CATHERINE WOOD
(Mother of No. 2)
b 11/5/1863
pb NELSON, GA.
d 12/27/1943
pd FLORENCE, S.C.

1 HAROLD VERNON NELSON, JR.
b 6/10/1920
pb FLORENCE, S.C.
m 9/23/1944
d
pd

3 EDNA OLIVE JARRELL
(Mother of No. 1)
b 8/25/1898
pb JAMESBORO, N.C.
d 1967
pd FLORIDA

6 FREDRICK RALSTON JARRELL
(Father of No. 3)
b 2/1854 → [vs 2/1864?? - RPL]
pb N.C.
m
d 2/19/1928
pd JAMESBORO, N.C.

7 NANNIE UPCHURCH
(Mother of No. 3)
b 7/1863
pb WAKE CTY, N.C.
d JAMESBORO, N.C.
pd 12/13/1944

8 JOHN DANIEL NELSON
(Father of No. 4)
b 5/2/1828
pb
m
d 1/4/1918
pd DALTON, GA.

9 COMFORT JONES
(Mother of No. 4)
b 3/13/1829
pb
d 6/2/1888
pd NELSON, GA.

10 SOLOMON WOOD
(Father of No. 5)
b ca 1823 4/21/1823
pb
m 10/13/1844
d 12/4/1903
pd CHEROKEE CTY., GA.

11 JANE CATHERINE TARBUTTON
(Mother of No. 5)
b ca 1827
pb CHEROKEE CTY., GA.
d 1/20/1907
pd CHEROKEE CTY., GA.

12 ABSOLON TARBELL
(Father of No. 6)
b c 1827
pb N.C.
m
d
pd

13 ELIZABETH YATES
b c 1822
pb N.C.
d
pd

14 PASCAL B UPCHURCH
(Father of No. 7)
b c 1830
pb N.C.
m 12/5/1855
d 7/4/1863
pd SOUTH ANNA, VA.

15 TILITHIA OLIVE
(Mother of No. 7)
b 1854
pb Va.
d SANFORD, N.C.
pd

16 _____
(Father of No. 8) Continued on chart _____

17 _____
(Mother of No. 8) Continued on chart _____

18 _____
(Father of No. 9) Continued on chart _____

19 _____
(Mother of No. 9) Continued on chart _____

20 _____
(Father of No. 10) Continued on chart _____

21 _____
(Mother of No. 10) Continued on chart _____

22 HUMPHREY TARBUTTON
(Father of No. 11) Continued on chart _____

23 ELEY LORD M. 6/19/1824
#2 NANCY YOUNG
(Mother of No. 11) Continued on chart _____

24 _____
(Father of No. 12) Continued on chart _____

25 _____
(Mother of No. 12) Continued on chart _____

26 _____
(Father of No. 13) Continued on chart _____

27 _____
(Mother of No. 13) Continued on chart _____

28 MURRY UPCHURCH
(Father of No. 14) Continued on chart _____

29 NANCY SCOTT
(Mother of No. 14) Continued on chart _____

30 _____
(Father of No. 15) Continued on chart _____

31 _____
(Mother of No. 15) Continued on chart _____

Refer to name and number

NOTE - JAMESBORO, N.C. NOW PART OF SANFORD, N.C.

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6 FEB 1992

MR H. V. NELSON
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Dear Mr Nelson

I am delighted to have your letter of 30 JAN 1992 and to learn of your interest in your Upchurch heritage. I continue to publish the Upchurch Bulletin on which details are enclosed. We would welcome your subscription. There is no Upchurch Association but subscribing to the U B is almost the same. I do plan to form a not-for-profit family organization in the next year or so.

There are two Upchurch books - one by BELLE WEST and one by ADA MORGAN. Both are out of print and unavailable. Most of the details they provide are in the U B, for which back issues are available.

I am anxious to know how you fit into the Upchurch family. Could you send me a sketch of your Upchurch line as far back as you know it. There is an 80-90% chance I can connect you back to Michael U.I. Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

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4 FEB 1992

1506 N Cherokee
Dathan, Al 36303
Jan 30, 1992

Michael Poliquin
Tucson, Az.

I am doing a research into
my family - Zepherus - and have
been advised that you issue
an Zepherus Bulletin.

Am also interested in a book
on the Zepherus Family by Del
Luther West (?). Do you have info
concerning this book.

I have heard that there is a
Zepherus Family Association. Have
you any info about this?

Yours truly,
H. V. Nelson
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