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2000

San Antonio TX
Nov. 20, 2001

Dear Philip ~

I received the information on the status of the UB and was so pleased to get it as I had planned to write you about the future plans etc. You answered all my questions. Enclosed is a check to get me in good standing. If this is not enough please let me know. I want some of it to be used for research so divide it as you see fit.

Let me congratulate you and Salaine on your future home and surroundings. It sounds great and I know you will be happy and busy in your home. I was interested in all the information you sent. As I reflect over the UB's through the years there is one trait that stands out and that is, The Upchurches were great "family" people. You have shown that in writing about your family. I remember my mother and granddad, (Eva Lula Upchurch and Romulus Madison Upchurch) as sweet, loving and kind, caring for their family.

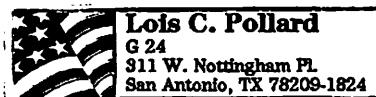
So again, I thank you for all you have done to bring us so much information about the Upchurches.

One last note, I am most interested in our connection in England and will look forward to future bulletins. My daughter, Betty, will be going to France to visit her oldest daughter and is interested in Little Lizzie Area. I will keep her informed. They like to go to England when she is in France.

I am doing very well considering my 101 yrs. It is harder to get around but using a walker helps. Mary is especially well. (my sister)

Love and best wishes,

Lois



considerable for our little Upchurch budget but his charges are fair - and more than fair as such things go. more important - he is very effertive and is getting to know our Upchurch roots very well. He and I are exploring the prospects of jointly writing an article on the English roots of our Upchurch family for publication in the North Carolina Genealogical Society. This would be a big boost for the Upchurch Family.

It will be great if Betty can visit the site of our Upchurch roots in England. I would be glad to talk with her by phone about the latest developments to make her trip more productive. It is very important that we encourage our American Upchurches to visit the lands where our ancestors Michael Upchurch, I was born and grew to be a young man before coming to America.

Thanks for your best wishes on our new home. We are extremely pleased with it in every respect. We are also pleased that we have been able to turn the details of operating our farm over to our 3 operators. Now we have to see if they really in any free time.

Congratulations on being so active at age 101. I'll try to follow in your footsteps. It was nice to learn that Mary is well. We all have much to be thankful for.

With All Best Wishes for a Blessed Christmas.

Sincerely yours

(12)

Phil Upchurch

{ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH}

EVA LOIS COOK

XIN-1154

REC'D
1 OCT 1999

Mr. Tom Pollard
951 Main St.
Merriwell, TX 78028.

P Mrs. C. O. Pollard
311 W Nottingham Pl # G-24
San Antonio, TX 78209-1824

Sept 20 99

Dear Phillip and Salaine — I received your
last two correspondents and thanks so much
for your glowing remarks and the 2 sets copies
of the church records.
I talked to Tom Pollard in Merriwell about your
information on the Pollard connection and will give
him a copy when he comes to the party. He is down-
plotting his history of the Pollards and you may be
steering from him. (Address above)
Plans for my 100 birthday party are ready.
I wish you could
be here.

Thank you so much!

Lais Pollard

MICHAEL ENTERPRISES
6 Eagles Way Lane
Lake St. Louis, Missouri 63367

Lois Cook Pollard
311 W. Nottingham, #G-24
San Antonio, TX 78209-1824

Dear Cousin Lois:

Betty has sent us an invitation to attend the celebration of your 100th birthday to be held on October 9, 1999 in San Antonio, TX. Sallaine and I regret that we cannot attend but we want to be with you in spirit. By means of a few lines I hope we can extend our felicitations on this auspicious occasion.

Lois, I have thoroughly enjoyed working with you on documenting our shared Upchurch heritage. Your contributions, support, documentation and encouragement have been very significant in helping us to unfold Upchurch history.

It was a great pleasure to get to know you on a more personal level when we visited with you in Texas and at your mountain retreat in North Carolina. Through all of this it has become abundantly clear that you have a great pride in your family. The pictures you have sent show you in cheerful gatherings with your nuclear family. As regards earlier generations, your interest in your linkage back to your Grandfather Romulus Madison Upchurch has been invaluable in helping us document the broader Upchurch family. This goes all the way back to Franklin Co., NC where Sion Upchurch, the Grandfather of Romulus Madison Upchurch grew up in the same community with his first cousin and my Great Grandfather Gilbert Upchurch. This would have been in the 1790s.

May I say that the Upchurch Family takes great pride in claiming the beautiful young woman portrayed on the face of the invitation to the celebration. How you must have broken hearts along the way. In the picture, one can also look into the eyes and see a determined person with a sense of purpose and a keen interest in life. How nice it is that you have been able to sustain this interest for a century.

As I have written earlier, you have become my role model in terms of being upbeat, alert and communicative over a period of many years.

OUR VERY BEST TO YOU AND YOURS ON THIS VERY SPECIAL OCCASION!

Sincerely yours,



Robert P. Upchurch, Editor
Upchurch Bulletin & Englandia


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many years. However, change is ⁽²⁾ something we must learn to accommodate. You have certainly seen a lot of change and you seem to have handled it well. I am glad we got to visit you in NC - and in TX as well.

There may be some more UPCHURCH-
POLKARD connections. If you will send me Tom Pellers (?) address in Kenilworth, TX I'll be glad to write him to see if we can be of help to each other.

We are sending this to your Texas address and it should get there about the same time as you do. Please let us hear from you along the way. Sallie sends her best. We are both fine.

With All Best Wishes.

Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch
(ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH)

San Antonio
Feb 8, 98

EVA LOTS COOK

REC'D
11 FEB 1998

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(25)

Mrs. C. O. Pollard
311 W. Nottingham Pl. # G-24
San Antonio, TX 78209-1824

Dear Phillips -

In answer to your
Question #1. This is the
daughter of Lee Upchurch who
died early. He left no heirs
nor a will.

I have sent you records
of Arthur and Larkin Upchurch
settling his ~~wife's~~ estate. This
information was sent to my
mother (Eva Lulu U, Cook) from her
brother Arthur. She received a
small amount from Lee's estate
as well as the other children of
Romulus Madison.

I hope this helps.

Answer to #2 on next sheet.

Luis Pollard



ON BACK: "Effe Upchurch
- Daughter of Uncle Lee and
Aunt Sarah

① From Profile of Eva Lois Cook - Edited 12 APR 1996

I. Richard U, III - Head of Clan

A. Simon U

i. Lindsey U

a. Remulus
Madison U

i. ELLA MAY U

Question # 2,

This is photo of Mae U and her children - (Frank and Rena Mildred) and the card was to my mother.

D=Jessie, E=Dorothy F= Eunice
G= Eunice, H= are very close friends of the Remulus U. family and have nothing to do with the Upchurch. Liemango, Mae & Jessie were in college together.

I hope this helps and good luck on your trip to FL. I always look forward to hearing from you. Best wishes

Lois



A C B

ON BACK

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Am glad you have those copy-
scripts ^{RT} ^{UP} ^{PLACE} ^{IN} your house
Now you must have had a
hard time cleaning up ^{the} office you
can get some good tenants now.
Jessie and Dorothy are in Denver.
Had a card from her yesterday.
Jessie and Mr. Conly are doing
so well now. They have their
little place fixed up so nice.
Eunice keeps everything so clean.
Eunice's baby is a almost beautiful
child. It is cooler now and we are
all feeling better. Mae + children

→ ELLA MAY U - RPU

TRPU ASSUMES:

A= ELLA MAY U

B= FRANK GRAHAM

C= RENA MILDRED
GRAHAM

& PHOTO TAKEN
ABOUT 1918

→ D= JESSIE?

E= DOROTHY?

F= MR CONLY?

G= EUNICE?

H= CHILD OF
EUNICE

EVA LOIS COOK

① XTD-1154

MICHAEL ENTERPRISES
R. P. UPCHURCH
6 EAGLES WAY LANE
LAKE ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI 63367-2240



3 FEB 1998

MRS C. O. POLLARD
311 NOTTINGHAM W, G-24
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78209-1824

Dear Cousin Lois,

After my letter of 30 JAN 1998 to you I continued efforts to move things that had been put aside to do "soon". Right away I turned up the copies of the two packets of information you loaned to me at lunch on 12 APR 1998, the originals of which I returned to you a few weeks later. I have now finished processing the packets and want to thank you again for them.

Several new details regarding the families of Amulus Madison II and Esme Hazeltine II were found in the packets and they help with our efforts to more fully document the Lindsey Upchurch line in the Richard II, III/ Sr II subclass.

In due course I will provide you with an update on the master outline enclosed. In the meantime I have a question or two as follows:

#1. My impression has been that your Uncle Dee had no heirs. Yet in the packet of materials is a photo [COPY ENCLOSED] showing an Effie Lyburn, daughter of Uncle Dee. Can you tell me if this really was his daughter or is the photo improperly labeled. If it was his daughter, maybe she died young and this is why he had no heirs.

#2. Enclosed is a photo and an associated card written by "MAE". I assume the writer is your Aunt May GRANAM and that she and her two children are shown in the photo. Do you agree? I assume this was written to your mother - correct? Do you have any idea who the people are who are mentioned in the card and whom I have listed as D → H.

I would welcome a note from you on these two questions and on any other matters of interest. I will continue to work on the Lindsey Upchurch Line and hope our program can continue

Sincerely yours

☺ Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

There. My only contact at this point is Mrs Lee Bernhardt and I have just written her in hopes of entitling her assistance with my visit. I have also asked Betty & Ruth for suggestions. I understand Mrs Bernhardt (nee Betty Lee Downe, dau of Alice (W) Downe) has two sisters who live in Montgomery Co, IL but I do not have their names or addresses. I have high hopes that the visit will fall into place as suggestions arrive. It will be an exciting trip for me and naturally it will be reported in the UB.

Next summer I plan to attend an Upland Family Reunion in Brown Co, IL. This branch of the family descended from BUCKNER W who was an Uncle of your Ancestor Lindsey W.

I am very pleased with the progress we are making in documenting the heritage of the Upland family and look forward to a great 1998.



Sincerely yours
Phil Upland

[ROBERT PHILIP UPLAND]

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

REC'D
20 JUN
1998

Louis P. Beard
Box 95
Little Switzerland
N.C. 28749

San Antonio TX June 16 '98

Dear Phillip -
Enclosed is a check for \$5.00 for
whatever I owe for my volume etc, and
\$5.00 for you to send the last bulletin on
the Richard 111 U. and your trip to Ill. (Vol 19 p. 2)
Send it to Betty Ann Best, 2132 Kiawith St.
Cannheim, Ca. 92804. She will share the
information with Ruth and the Connaways.
Let me know if I owe more.

We are so grateful for all you have
done to put together this information and sharing it
with us in such an interesting way. I hope
you get to the doctor to IL family history.
All this will be treasured by my family.

I'm sorry to have responded so late but I
have had a good case of the flu. I'm fine now
and will leave for N.C. on June 27th and be on
the mountain until Oct 11th.

I have two notes to make which are
not important.

1st. A correction Eva Rula U. died in
Georgetown Tex and buried in Hughes Springs TX.
She died in Georgetown at Marys on a visit to
be brought to Hughes Spgs for burial. (Page 67)

2nd. What is the significance of Clan Heads
about the time of the Rev. War?

Thanks for every thing you've done -
Betty sends her best. Louis P. Beard

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B-18-98
E. 8-98
Set v. 15 A 2
to Betty Best
1998

I am not aware of the information about my O & F Lunding Co. on the 1850 Census in Montgomery Co. Tex. but I really appreciate knowing it. I plan to follow up on this and go through Tex. on my trip to N.C.

It pleases me that you are interested in my immediate family. I hope any information I have given will help. In case you have forgotten your printed pictures of my Uncle Arthur & wife, Aunt Anna & husband as well as the home in Hughes Springs, Tex. Cass Co. This house is still kept as it has always been and a historical home in the town. These pictures are in vol. 4 no. 1 page 5.

I am leaving for N.C. in two weeks so address all correspondence to my address there.

Box 85
Little Sixtyband N.C. 28749.

I hope you and your family have a wonderful summer and we cross paths some day.

Sincerely

Lois Pollard

MRS C. O. POLLARD

1018 TROUP HIGHWAY

TYLER, TX 75701

of conveniently dividing the large Upchurch Family into manageable groups for purposes of discussion. For example, you and I belong to Class headed by 2 of the 22. They happen to be brothers, you are of the Richard 4, III Class and I am of the Nathan 4, I Class. The 22 lived at about the time of the Revolution and reference to this fact gives people a sense of a time frame. The use of classes and subclasses also allows me to organize my Master's outline in a more logical manner. Let me know if you have more questions about this.

I really enjoyed my visit to Montgomery Co, IL and hope to go back sometime.

You have often made a contribution to the Upchurch Research Fund or to be an underwriter of Englandia, such contributions are greatly appreciated.

Your interest is most encouraging.

☺ Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch
 [ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

EVA LOIS COOK

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MICHAEL ENTERPRISES
P. O. BOX 387
Wentzville, MO 63385

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MRS LOIS C. POLLARD

14 MAY 1995

PO BOX 85

LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749-0085

Dear Cousin Lois,

Thanks for your card which arrived 12 MAY 1995.

We leave on our TN/NC trip on 22 MAY 1995 and are excited about it. Enclosed is a copy of our schedule and a flyer on the Zebulon Lecture. I will also be giving a lecture in Fentress Co, TN. It will be great if Rachel & Larry can come to Zebulon. I hope she can arrange for me to visit a few family members in the Apex, NC area. I would write to her but don't have her address.

I have looked at the map and it seems feasible that we could come by Little Switzerland for a short visit on either 25 MAY 1995 (THURSDAY) or on 1 JUN 1995 (THURSDAY). It would be wonderful to meet you. I am sorry that this would be just a brief visit in mid day. We do try to cram too much into the schedule - that is my nature.

Also please remember that we plan a two week family tour of Texas next fall - probably in NOVEMBER.

Hope to see you soon.



Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

Little Switzerland N.C.
Aug 19, '99.

5-24-99

U.B.P. 4-99 already sent us (3)
E. P. 99 (P. 24-55)
8-24-99

Dear Phillip -

Enclosed is a check to keep the volumes coming. I just received the last bulletin and was so surprised to find out the Pollard connection. I am Father of Hermita Texas is compiling a history of the Pollards. I will give him the information which may help him. All the information was so interesting.

I will be leaving N.C. August 28th for San Antonio. This will be my last summer after 30 years on the Mountain as we are selling our place here. It will be hard to leave so many friends and memories. I will be 100 years old Oct. 9th. and the trip getting up here and back is too much to make. I had to come this summer to get personal things and get the house in order to sell. My children have helped me and will take over the selling.

Please send my next issues to
311 W. Nottingham G 24, San Antonio, TX 78209

My love to you + Solaine.

Lois Pollard.

Mrs. C. O. Pollard
311 W Nottingham # G24
San Antonio, TX 78209-1824

EVA LOIS COOK

XJD-1154

REC'D
10 SEP 1999
(from me
Betty Lou Pollard)

Please join her and children
Charles Pollard and Betty Adams
if not in person, in spirit
at a reception
Saturday, October ninth
three until five
in the Parlor
The Forum at Lincoln Heights
311 Nottingham West
San Antonio, Texas 78209

Please no gifts,
cards and memories

RSTP (210) 822-1295

or the above address c/o Apt. 924

most welcome

Family and out-of-town guests are invited to a
senior afterwards. On the map note two motels
marked which will hold special rates
for the Betty Adams party, until Oct. 12th.

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if not in person, in spirit
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Saturday, October ninth
three until five
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The Forum at Lincoln Heights
311 Nottingham West
San Antonio, Texas 78209

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or the above address c/o Apt. G24

Please no gifts.

cards and memories

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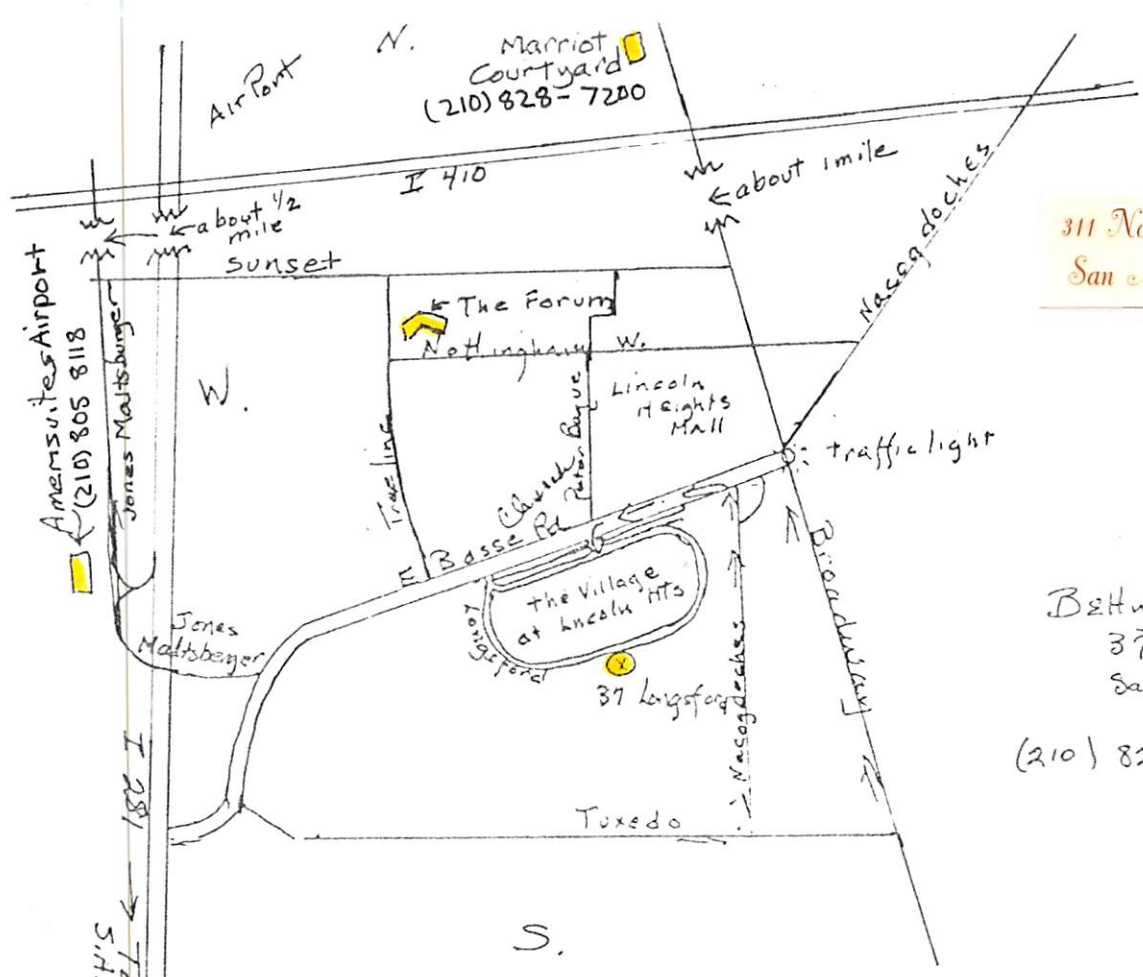
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A very special lady



*Lois Cook Pollard
To celebrate her 100th Birthday*

REC'D
10 SEP 1999



311 Nottingham West, G24
San Antonio, Texas 78209

Betty Adams
37 Longford
San Antonio TX
78209
(210) 822-1298

EVA: LOIS COOK

XFN-1154

MICHAEL ENTERPRISES

P. O. BOX 35804
TUCSON, ARIZONA 85740

11 JUN 1992

MRS C. O. POLLARD
311 NOTTINGHAM W 624
SAN ANTONIO, TX 78209

Dear Cousin Lois

Thanks for the card and for the note about your upcoming location. We were not sure where you would be so when the UB was sent out recently my wife sent one copy to the above address and one to your NC address. We will send Vol 13 No 3 to your NC address and Vol 13 No 4 to the above address or per the details provided on your schedule.

The Forum looks and sounds like a very nice place. It is nice to know that you feel comfortable there and that Betty is close by.

I am very excited about the program being made by the consultant I have hired in NC to help locate our ancestor land in the Mountain Creek Area of NC. He has reported some progress by phone and his first written report is now due. At present I plan to go to NC in November and to check the status

of this work locally. At some point I hope we can buy five acres of the land to use as a memorial site for the occasion each branch of Upchurch to which you and I belong.

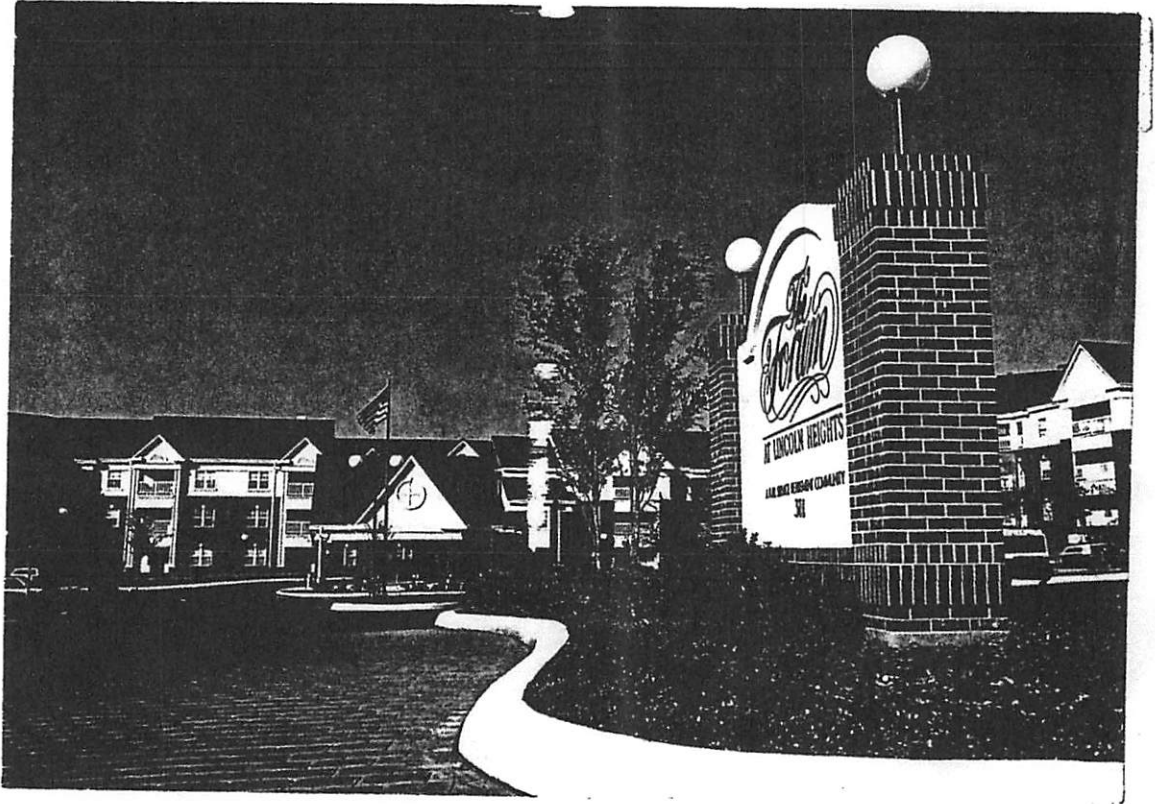
I do hope you and I can meet. At present my duties at the University, in farming and in genealogy are so exciting and so demanding that I find no end to the opportunities to do and go and perform. My work week on these three activities stretches to 70 hours - The end of every day finds me happy (sometimes a little frustrated) and tired. All of this leads me to the point of saying that I want to do more genealogical travel but am limited. The NC trip is now will be it for this year. However, for 1993 I just might (no promise!) just make in a trip to TX with an Upchurch feature in Houston. If so we can surely meet at that time. On the other hand - why don't you and Betty fly out to Tucson next winter for a little vacation. There is a lot to see here!

Sincerely yours,
Phil Upchurch

All Best Wishes.
P.S. - Please keep me posted on [ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]
change in the family - Phil U.

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154



Lois C. Pollard
 311 Nottingham W G24
 San Antonio, TX 78209

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 9 JUN 92

Dear Philip - Shro is the retirement home I have moved to. Betty, my daughter lives only 3 miles up the street. I feel so secure here and hope to be here permanently. However, I will still go to M.C. in summer. This is the change I will make this summer: July 1st to Oct 1st. '92 Little Switzerland, N.C. P.O. #4 95, 29749. I still hope to meet you someday. My best. Lois Pollard (ma. CO.)

Philip Up Church
 P.O. box 35804
 Tucson, Arizona

85740

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

MICHAEL ENTERPRISES

P. O. BOX 35804
TUCSON, ARIZONA 85740

7 SEP 1991

LOIS POLLARD

P. O. BOX 85

LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749-0085

Dear Cousin Lois,

It was so nice to have your recent letter telling me that you will have a new address when you return to TX at the end of September. There are some really nice retirement homes now and they have a lot of advantages. Salarine and I plan to do the same thing in a few more years. Glad you got and enjoyed the U. B. I am still putting in about 70 hours/week by the time you add up the University, the farm and genealogy - and enjoying every minute of it. I have less than 4 years to go at the University. Thanks for the invite to see you in San Antonio. I may. I hope to give an Uprlands lecture in Texas - probably in Houston. Hope you can come. No time set yet. Set me know of any change in your family. Enjoy NC.

Sincerely yours,
Phil Pollard
[ROBERT PAUL WORTH]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID- 1154

Tabor Day —

Miss Phillip —

REC'D
65 SEP 11

Lois Pollard
PO Box 85
Little Switzer NC 28749-0085

Enclosed is my new address as I have moved from Tyler to San Antonio into a retirement home. I will be close to my family and better living conditions for me in my later years.

I plan to continue my stay in N. C. during the summer months as long as possible. I will return to Texas the last of September so send all correspondence to my new address until notified.

I received the last two bulletins and enjoyed them. Congratulations to your family on the big wedding coming up.

Perhaps you can make it to San Antonio, in that case get in touch with me.

Your cousin

Lois

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Lois Pollard (Mrs. C. O.)
311 Nottingham W. B. 24
San Antonio Tx. 78209

Ph. 512-824-3371

Dear Phillip -

I am planning to go into a retirement home after the first of the year. It will be in Austin or San Antonio closer to my family.

I will notify you if there is a change of address.

I hope you and your family will have joyous Christmas and the best New Year

Lois Pellard

Rec'd 14 DEC 1990 Ch# 0910 for
15 signed 11 DEC Mrs C.O. Pellard.
Mrs C.O. Pellard, 1018 Trump
Hwy, Tyler, TX 75701.
214-593-6180

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EVA WOIS COOK

XID-1154

As soon as you know your new address, mail this card to all of the people, businesses, and publications who send you mail.

For publications, tape an old address label over name and old address sections and complete new address.

OK 8/5, 1990

Your Name (Print or type. Last name, first name, middle initial.)
POLLARD Mrs. C. O.

Old Address	No. & Street	Apt./Suite No.	PO Box	RR No.	Rural Box No.
	City	State	ZIP + 4		
New Address	No. & Street	Apt./Suite No.	PO Box	RR No.	Rural Box No.
	City	State	ZIP + 4		
Sign Here		Date new address in effect	Keyline No. (If any)		

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Ltk. Switzerland
7.C
1018 TROUP Hwy
TYLER
TX 75701
Oct. 1 '90

PS Form 3576, August 1989

RECEIVER: Be sure to record the above new address.

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ENTERPRISES
BOX 35804
85740

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PERMIT NO. 5

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Mrs. C. O. Pollard
1018 Troup Hwy.
Tyler TX 75701

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

11 APR 1990

MRS C P. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701-4471

Dear Cousin Lois,

Thanks for your letter of 28 MAR 90 and for the \$25.00 check. Support of the Uplands Research Fund is always appreciated. The audio tape is being sent to you now at your TX address and since you do not leave until the 30th should reach you OK. We will send the next two issues of the U₂ to your NC address. Enclosed are copies of unusual web with the Uplands feature. They will help you make sense out of the audio tape. Hope you enjoy it.

A few days ago I had a call from a very energetic young school teacher from Tyler, TX - Mrs Linda Clark CHOCCHI (pronounced Chocky). She is researching Uplanders & related families and was most pleased with what I could send her. I mentioned your name to her. She seems quite nice.

All the Best!

Sincerely yours
Phil Uplander

[ROBERT PHILIP UPLANDER]

Rec'd 31 MAR 1990 CH# 0552 for 25 mgwd 28 MAR
 Mrs. C.O. Pollard.
 214-593-6180

Tyler TX,
 Mar 28, 90

Dear Phillip

I am enclosing a check for \$25.00
 for the audiotape of the Atlanta Lecture,
 which is \$15.00. The \$10.00 extra is a
 contribution to the Upchurch Research Fund.

I am leaving Texas April 30th to
 return to N. Carolina. You may send the
 tape here but the next bulletin is to be
 sent to me at Box 85, Little Switzerland, N.C.
 I will be in N.C. until October at
 least.

I really enjoyed reading about the
 Upchurch Lectures and regret I could not
 be there. Also, I enjoyed reading of your
 sojourns and hope some day our paths
 will cross.

Sincerely

Lois Pollard

MRS C.O. POLLARD
 1018 TROUP HWY
 TYLER, TX 75701-4421

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26 NOV 1989

MRS C. O. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin,

This is just a note to thank you for the renewal on the U^B for 1990 and for your contribution to the Uplunch Research Fund. All our efforts pooled help to move the Uplunch Heritage Project along.

We are busy preparing for the Uplunch Lecture to be held in Atlanta, GA on 9 DEC 89. At one time I believe you had planned to attend this. If it is possible it would certainly great to meet you. You have such a strong interest in the Uplunch Family that we simply must meet sooner or later. I keep thinking of a trip through Texas to see some of the family but as yet have nothing scheduled.

All the best!



Sincerely yours
Phil Uplunch

{ROBERT PHILIP UPLUNCH}

5 DEC 1989

MRS C. D. POLLARD
1018 TROOP NGWT
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Jane,

Thank you for your letter of December 1, 1989 and for the lovely pictures of your 90th birthday. I plan to be as vigorous and active as you are when I am 90! You serve as a good role model.

I am sorry you cannot make the GA Upchurch lecture. I will take your son's phone number in case we can contact him. Perhaps he will come to the lecture.

I am anxious to plan some more genealogy travel in which I would roam around TX, TN, AL, FL (not all on the same trip) to visit some of the people I have corresponded with so long. This would be a real joy.

The paintings shown in the picture look nice. My wife is also a painter of sorts and could be good if she worked at it. Is it possible you would be able to spare one of your paintings?

for the Upchurch Archiver now or at
 some point in the future. All of the
 materials I am collecting will go into
 the Upchurch section of the American
 American Foundation which I hope to
 have incorporated in due course. When
 this is formed I hope members of
 our extended family will donate
 personal items as well as assets
 of one sort or another. Such a
 Foundation is essential if we are
 to preserve and maintain an interest
 in our family heritage.

I trust this finds you well and
 looking forward to the Christmas
 Season and to a great 1990.

Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch

{ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH}

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

MRS. C. O. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX. 75701



REC'D
4 DEC 1989

Tyler TX
Dec 1 '89

Dear Philip—

I received your letter yesterday about the Upchurch lectures in Atlanta. I had planned to be there and stay with my son to stay through Christmas. They will be in Florida through the holidays so that has knocked me out of the trip. I did send the information to him, since he is a Georgian Upchurch descendant I'm hoping he can drop by.

He is Mr. C. O. Pollard, Dept of Earth Sciences at Ga Tech. His wife Lin Pollard, has her doctorate in Geology also. Their home telephone no. is 404 351 1098 in case you have a chance to contact them. He has been a professor at Ga. Tech for 20 years and is a real fine person.

I am still hoping to meet you someday in Texas or North Carolina.

You may be interested in knowing I gave myself a 90th birthday party on Oct. 8th upon the mountain at Little Switzerland P.C. There were 6 guests who came by to wish me a Happy Birthday. Enclosed is a picture of me on that occasion. The pictures on the back are some of my paintings I have done over the years while living on the Blue Ridge Parkway. I am happy to say that I am in

good health, drive my own car, and
enjoy a fruitful life. I will be going
back to N. C. the last of April for
the summer. A friend from Tyler
will drive up with me. I always
look forward to returning to the
mountain you and your family
will be welcomed to either one
of my homes at any time.

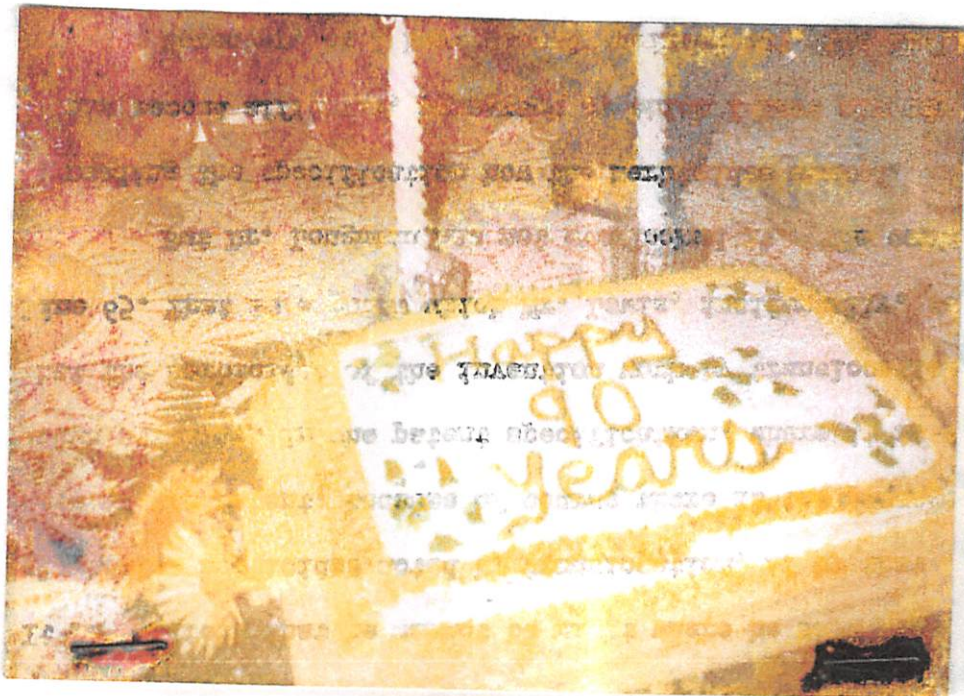
I hope you have a successful
meeting in Atlanta. Have a "Happy Holiday"

Sincerely,

Your Cousin, Lois



ON BACK : Lois Cook Pollard, daughter of Eva Sula Upchurch
Cook, daughter of KIA-1154 Remulus Madison
Upchurch KIA-1148 - Picture Vol 2 No 4 Pg 5



EVA LOIS COOK

XIO-1154

Dec. 17 88

Dear Philip-

I received the bound vol. 9
and your letter a few days
ago. I do want the individual
issues for 1989. Enclosed is a
check for \$15.00. I overlooked
ordering them and really en-
joy reading every issue.

I will go to Atlanta to be
with my son and family
during the holidays.

Best wishes for a
Happy Holiday season.

Lois Pollard

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Pollard T 214-593-6180

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1018 TROUP HWY.
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EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

Please add these names
to the list to be invited
to the Topchurch Lecture in
Atlanta, Ga.

Mr. Lois Pollard,
Box 95
Little Switzerland N.C. 28749

Dr. C. O. Pollard Jr. & Mrs. Lin Pollard,
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Atlanta, Ga. 30318.

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From - Lois Pollard

Dear Phil -

REC'D
11 APR 88

4-6 '88

In answer to your questions -

1) a) Eva & U. Yes, she had just two children.
 b) I doubt I can get the exact date of my mother + Dad's marriage as can be found in the court house of Cass Co. as the C. houses burned and records ~~lost~~.

See my note on back of this page.

2) For myself - I had only two children.

3) For C. C. Pollard, III, Jr.). He has only one child.

4) For Betty Lou Pollard Adams

a) She has four children and five grandchildren.

b) Luke Williams Name is, Luke Adams, Newton Williams

c) The first Name of W. W. Adams is spelled William

5) For Mary Maurice Cook Forbes -

a) She and her husband are still living.

b) Yes, she has just two children.

6) C. R. Forbes, Jr. no questions

7) For Thomas Allen Forbes -

I am having my sister send you the information.

8) For Romulus Madison U.

a) I assume they married in Springfield Ill.

b) He had one other child who died at infancy. I don't know the details.

c) Mary Lucretia Reiman was born in Ill. ?

I do not know anything about James W. Pollard

Note concerning Eva L. W. and Thomas J. Crook's marriage. my parents.

I remember the family saying I was born 9 months after they married which would make the date sometime in Jan. My birthday is Oct. 9, 1899. You have my curiosity aroused, so I shall keep searching old material and pictures. I have piles of it as it was left to me being the oldest child.

L. P.

I am not aware of the information about my G & F Luidiey U. on the 1850 Census in Montgomery Co. Tex but I really appreciate knowing it. I plan to follow up on this and I go through Tex. on my trip to N.C.

It pleases me that you are interested in my immediate family. I hope any information I have given will help. In case you have forgotten your printed pictures of my Uncle Arthur & wife, Aunt Alma & husband, as well as the home in Hughes Springs, Tex. Crov Co. This house is still kept as it has always been and a historical home in the town. These pictures are in vol. 4 no. 1 page 5.

I am leaving for N. C. in two weeks so address all correspondence to my address there.

Box 35
Little Switzerland N.C. 28749.

I hope you and your family have a wonderful summer and we cross paths some day.

Sincerely

Louis Pollard

MRS C. O. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HIGHWAY
TYLER, TX 75701

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

16 APR 1983

Mrs. J. ...
100 ...
100 ...

Dear ...

It is a great pleasure to thank you for your letter of April 6, 1983. The details provided in your letter of the 6th have been abstracted and are appended. I enjoyed reading your Christmas letter to the family. It is great to see such pride in the family and in that regard you and I are much alike.

I have found your Aunt ... on the ... of Madison Co. (I found TSP) and their ... date as about 1875. There seems a ... about 2 years between the death of your mother and the birth of ... it is therefore likely that the unnamed child of a M.U. was probably born about 1875 and I have no entries there in my records.

How has your been successful in finding a ... among the descendants of your Aunt ... and your Aunt Ella May? I would you ...
Do you ...
After, to me for the summer (ROBERT PHILLIP UPKURCH)

REC'D
13 APR 1988 April 9 '88

Dear Phil -

I hesitate to send this to you but since you have spent time trying to identify my immediate family I thought you might see them in a different light. I found a copy while I am sorting out things to take to North Carolina so you can throw it away when you read it as I have other copies and I'm sure no one else would be interested.

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Sincerely

Lois Pellard

Tyler Texas,
Dec 3, 1988

Dear Phil -

Enclosed in \$5.00 for the
Bound Volume -

Also, In April you asked for
some information.

A { My grandmother [MARY LUCRETIA REBMAN] was born in
Living, Ill. and she was married
there but I don't know when.

Δ [Thomas Allen Forbes has no children,
His wife

Δ [Thouse Potter Lockridge born 4-14-1955
Born in Mission, Texas.
It is her 1st marriage.

Δ + □ [we have no information on
Thomas Allen Forbes, 1st wife Nancy.

I hope you have a Happy
Holiday Season.

Yours Pleased

EVA LOIS COOK

XIO-1154

1100 1/2 S. ...

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... .. NC 28711

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I thank you for the post card regarding the additional addresses for the Atlanta lectures they have been added to a spec I will fill in the spec for the Atlanta lectures. we don't yet know when the lecture will be held I keep reviewing my schedule to see what will fit in. Right now I am leaving a little time between now and the end of the year - but no decision has yet been made. In the meantime the address file continues to grow.

I hope that finds you enjoying your summer in NC we just returned from a few days vacation in Colorado it was very nice.

Sincerely yours
Phil Spilbury

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPDEGRAFF]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

Resent V. 8#2, 1987
in Bulk Sept. 1987

25 JUL 1987

MRS C. D. POLLARD

BOX 85

LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749

Dear Cousin Tom,

There is some confusion over your son's address
and I am writing to see if you can help me
our standard address for him is

Dr. C. D. Pollard, Jr.
1676 Fernleaf Circle, N.W.
Atlanta, GA 30318

The latest U B we sent to him was returned with
a note to forward to

Dr. C. D. Pollard, Jr.
c/o Betty Adams
4709 Broadway, Apt 16
San Antonio, TX 78209

Since the U B was mailed bulk mail the
Post office would not forward it but returned
it to me. Can you tell me if we should use
the San Antonio address for him now and in
the future?

During our hot summers in Tucson we
think of you often in the cool N.C. Mountains.
Best wishes.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH

EVA LOIS COOK

MRS LOIS POLLARD
1018 TROOP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

X 57-1154

11 NOV 1987

Dear Cousin Lois

Thanks for the order and for your \$100.00
check. You are the first subscriber to renew
for 1988. The bound volumes for 1984 and 1986 are
the way to you under separate covers. The
and volume for 1987 will be prepared and
sent to you after the 4th issue appears. Thanks
for the contribution to the Research Fund.

I am still working on plans for
your lunch lecture in Atlanta, GA possibly
in the first half of 1988. If that turns
well I may plan one later for
Tyler, TX. There are a lot of you lunchers
in Texas.

It's always great to hear from
you.

Sincerely yours,
Phil Upchurch
ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

10 DEC 1988

MRS LOIS POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Lou,

Thanks for your letter of 3 DEC and for your order for the 1988 bound volume of the Spilwuchs Bulletin. Copies are due back from the Binder on 14 DEC and will soon be in the mail to you. From your order I take it that you choose not to receive the individual issues for 1989. Let me know if that is wrong.

The details you provided have been recorded in the Master File and fit nicely. For the present wife of Thomas Allen Barber I have used the spelling FRANCE POTTER LOCKERTICE. If that is incorrect, please let me know.

I am really grateful for all your interest and support and encouragement. I do hope you will continue to be alert for new details on your family. New leads and new details appear from time to time.

Sincerely yours
Phil Spilwuchs

Have a Nice Christmas. [ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

11 NOV 1987

1000 1075 TOLLARD
1075 TROOP HQ
FUCK, TX 75101

Dear Cousin Eric

Thanks for the order ref your ¹⁰⁰ 100.
Check you as the first subscriber to receive
for 1938. The bound volumes for 1987 and 1986 are
on its way to you under separate covers. The
bound volume for 1987 will be prepared and
sent to you after the 4th issue appears. Thank
for the contribution to the Research Fund.

I am still working on plans for
an Upchurch lecture in Atlanta, GA possibly
during the first half of 1938. If that turns
out well I may plan one later for
Dallas, TX. There are a lot of Upchurches
in Texas.

It's always great to hear from
you.

Sincerely yours,
Phil Upchurch
{ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH}

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

10 DEC 1988

MRS LOIS POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Sam,

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I am really grateful for all your interest and support and encouragement. I do hope you will continue to be alert for new details on your family. New leads and new details appear from time to time.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
Have a Nice Christmas. [ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

A Christmas letter

Dec. 25, 1987

As the Christmas season approaches, I am reminded with much joy of our Christmas last year on the mountain in North Carolina. Although we will be scattered this year, each one of you will be in my heart. I am sending this message to emphasize how much each one of you mean to me, individually.

Betty, my two children - what would I do without you? Betty, who has so much abiding spirit and beauty within and without. You have always been a little angel most of the time. My son, who has been so stalwart and comforting. Both of you have made life worth living to everyone around you with your sense of humor and zest for living. I love both of you so much and I know you love me.

Joli, my first grandchild, who brought so much pleasure to both sets of grandparents. You always seem to have a sweet smile when you are not smiling. With your beauty and grace you could have qualified for Miss America.

Nina, the most selfless person I ever know. Everyone whom you come in contact with embraces you with open arms and heart. Your talents, kindness, and openness have enriched all our lives.

Heri, a little doll, came to us at the right time - in-between two older sisters and a little "bugger". Although you had to struggle to obtain your identity, you seem to have inherited your mother's spirit and determination which has made you a strong, and unique, and lovely young woman.

Buzz, my only grandson, who has a special spot in my heart. You are truly your Dad's son, which you could have no greater compliment. Also, you seem to appreciate the legacy left to you from those you hold dear, and with your brilliance you will accomplish much in life.

Blair, my youngest grandchild, who has a warm spot in my heart. You have accomplished so much in your young life and you are a beautiful and efficient young lady. You have always had high moral standards and do not hesitate to express them, which is a trait to be admired. You have made all of us so proud of you.

I treasure every moment Daddy Board had the privilege of keeping our grand children as you were growing up. Joli and Blair always buried in a book. Nina and Heri creating some game or planning a program - as long as Nina could be the leader. It kept us busy to keep Buzz out of mischief and trying to satisfy his curiosity.

Leg, Claude, Gene, Arthur, and Debbie, I didn't have the privilege of watching you grow up but I love each one of you. More important, you are the greatest to have been chosen as the loved one of my children.

Britt, Luke, Jessica, Saskia, and Daniel, what little dears you are. Your family is looking forward to watching you grow up and develop from year to year. You will receive so much love from all of us.

May all of you have a most happy Christmas and much joy in the years to come.

My deepest heart-felt love and blessings,

Mama Lo

Betty's four children

Chloe Abigail daughter

My great-grandchildren the family

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

2 APR 1988

MRS C. D. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Lois

I have just spent a couple of very enjoyable hours extracting the details in your letter of 21 MAR 1988 and upgrading my Master outline and want to thank you. I can't imagine why we have waited so long to perfect your group. I guess it is because the extended Upshur Family is so large. There are a few "dear up" questions and then I would like to go to some closely related groups.

1) For Eva Lula U

a) Did she have just two children?

b) I assume the exact marriage date for her is in the official (and Co. TX) records and that sooner or later we can get this. In any case it is not a pressing matter.

2) For yourself

a) Did you have just two children?

3) For Charles Oscar Pollard, III (Jr)

a) Does he have just one child?

4) For Betty Jean Pellard

- a) Does she have just four children? and five grand?
- b) Is the middle name of Luke Adam Newton Williams spelled "ADAM" or "ADAMS"?
- c) Is the first name of William Wright Adams spelled "WILLIAM" or "WILLIAMS"?

5) For Mary Maurine Cook

- a) Are both she and her husband still living and in good health?
- b) Did she have just two children?

6) For Charles Alexander Fisher, Jr - No Questions

7) For Thomas Allen Fisher

- a) Does he have any children?
- b) When & where did he marry Nancy Colquette, what is her full maiden name and when & where was she born?
- c) In what year was Frances Betty Lockidge born? and had she been married before she married Thomas Allen Fisher?

8) For Ramulus Madison U

- a) when and where did he marry?
- b) Did he have just four children?
- c) when was Mary Goretta Rehman born?

Anything you can provide on the above will be appreciated.

Do you know anything about the James

Hix Pellard who married on 17 DEC 1902 Evelyn G. Upchurch?

Are you aware that your GGF Lindsey U was on the 1850 census of TN in Montgomery County? I ran across this recently. Your GF Remulus Madison U is in the household and is 6 years old. He is shown incorrectly as "Remulus L. Upchurch".

You really have a great family and they obviously value education very highly. They are doing great and you have a right to be proud of them.

I am really pleased with the progress we have made on the Richard U, III/Sion Upchurch Subclass to which you belong. The records for the descendants of Eva Tula U are in especially good shape. When we look at her brothers & sisters and their Aunts & Uncles we see lots of room for improvement.

It is always great to hear from you!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

1018 TROUP HWY

Tyler Texas 75701

Mar. 21 '88

REC'D
28 MAR 88

Dear Phil -

This seems to be the best way to send the information you wanted.

- No. 1. Δ For Kathryn Harriett Adams (Lee)
- Δ a) She was married Dec. 19, 1982.
 - Δ b) She was married in Seattle Washington
 - Δ c) The full name of Arthur Lee is Arthur Don Lee Lee
 - Δ He was born Dec. 8, 1953 in Honolulu, Hawaii.
 - (Chinese American)
 - Δ d) Full name of Daniel Lee is Daniel Kim Churn Lee
 - born March 24, 1986 in Seattle Washington
- No. 2. Δ For Dr. William Wright Adams
- Δ a) He was married June 29, 1986
 - Δ b) He was married in Hanover, N.H.
 - Δ c) The full name of his wife is, Deborah Sue Horowski.
 - Δ She was born Jan. 11, 1955 in Ashtabula, Ohio.
- No. 3. Δ For Nina Elizabeth Adams (Williams)
- Δ a) Gene Newton Williams was born July 9, 1951 in Durham N.C.
- No. 4. Δ For Lois Jacelyn Adams (Bertout)
- Δ a) She was married Feb. 2, 1979 (note change of date - correct)
 - Δ b) The full name of Claude is, Claude Michel Bertout and
 - Δ he was born in Neule Gomme France Jan. 6, 1949
 - \square c) Saskia Adams Bertout was born in Heidelberg, Germany
 - Δ d) The middle name of both girls is (Adams) Jessica Adams Bertout

No. 4 Cont'd □ Lois Jocelyn Adams (Bertuet)
△ (d) Jessica Adams Bertuet b. Aug 17 1980 - Heidelberg, Germany

No. 5 □ For Betty Lee Pollard Adams
△ William Adams is buried in Aloes, Tex. and
- the above is his full name.

No. 6 □ For Charles Oscar Pollard Jr.
△ His daughter (not son) is Blair Pollard (she is in Middle Tenn)

No. 7 □ For myself Lois Cook (Pollard)
△ (c) Charles Oscar Pollard Sr. is buried in the Mausoleum
- at Hillcrest Cemetery in Dallas Texas.

No. 8 △ For Eva Lela W. (Cook)
△ (a) do not know when Jan. 1898 she was married.
△ (b) Thomas Jefferson Cook is buried in the family
- plot in Hughes Springs, Texas (Cass Co.).

□ Concerning the picture of R. M. Upchurch family
□ sent to you Mar. 5 1988 - You are correct, the body
□ standing behind Mary Rebman W. and next to
□ Arthur W. is Inez Fisher, the wife of Arthur.

P.S. Give Phil - I hope this answers your questions and brings my
family up to date. As you may note, there are mixed nationalities.
I am real proud of them as all of the adults have college degrees
and happily settled in life. Thanks for your interest. Sincerely, Lois P.

Mrs. C. Pollard

13 MAR 1983

MRS C. O. POLLARD
 1018 TROOP HWY
 TULEK, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Lois,

Thank you for your letter of 5 MAR 1983 and for the two pictures. They are great! I have just spent about an hour working them over and entering the details in my files. In the process I realized I am missing some details of recent events in your family. Let me pose questions on the missing items:

1) For Kathryn Harriet Adams

a) when in 1932 was she married?

b) where was she married?

c) what is the full name of Arthur Lee and when & where was he born?

d) what is the full name of Daniel Lee and when in 1986 was he born and where was he born?

2) For William Wright Adams

a) when in 1935 was he married?

b) where was he married?

c) what is the full maiden name of his wife Delbie and when and where was she born?

3) For Mena Elizabeth Adams

a) when and where was Gene Newton Williams born?

4) For Mrs. Juleyn Adams

a) when in OCT 1918 was she married?

b) what is the full name of Claude Constant and when was he born?

c) where was Sophia Adams Constant born?

d) is the middle name of 121 daughter Jessica Blakewell "ADAMS" or "ADAMS"?

5) For Betty Ann Ballard

a) where was William Adams, II buried and what is her full name?

6) For Charles Oscar Ballard, Jr

a) what is the full name of Daisy Ballard?

7) For yourself

a) where was Charles Oscar Ballard, Sr buried?

8) For Eva Julia U

a) when in JAN 1898 was she married?

b) where was Thomas Jefferson Cook buried?

The above represents everything that is missing in the family of Eva Fairlock Ballard (you)! It is fairly complete but any additions will be appreciated. In the picture of the Bonulus Madison U family see in your 5 MAR 1985 letter do I assume correctly that the wife of Arthur Carver U is the lady standing behind Mary Robinson U?

There are yet pictures and I am proud to name them:

Sincerely yours
Phil DeLunch

{ROBERT WILLIAM UPCHURCH}

REC'D
10 MAR. 1988Tyler, Texas
Mar. 5 1988

Dear Phil -

Enclosed are photos of the R. M. Upchurch family that you can use as you see fit. I do not need them to be returned as I have copies made. You indicated at some point that you would like photographs. Since you have printed other copies I have sent you may not wish to use these but I thought you might like to see them.

The snapshot was taken at our family Christmas reunion on the Mountain in Dec, 1986 and includes every member of my family. It was some "doings" to get all of them together.

I will be in Tyler until the middle of April.

Sincerely

Lois Pellard

See Photo File 88-2 for photo of Eva Lois Cook and her entire family

740,10'87

Dear Phil -

For some reason I do not have the bound volumes as indicated (5 and 7). I thought I had ordered all of them. If you have records check to see if they were mailed. I have checked at both of my homes and can't locate them. At any rate, I am enclosing a check to cover the cost of a copy of them and an order for next year as well as a \$10.00 gift. If I owe any more let me know.

I will be in Tyler until the first of May.

Did you make the trip to Atlanta in October?

I hope to hear from you.

Sincerely

Luis Ballard

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13 APR 1988 April 9 '88

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Sincerely
Lois Pellard

Aug 5 87

Dear Phillip —

I'm sorry that you received the bulletin. Return it to me as my children will be here soon, what happened, I sent it to my son so he could see your picture and write up since he is a scientist. After he read it, he sent it to Betty as she wanted to see it. He didn't know the Post Office would send it back to you. You have the correct address. I wish I had the bulletin and get the bound volumes don't send any more copies to them.

I am enclosing a snapshot of me taken in my Mountain home this spring. You need not return it as I have other copies. Just thought you might like to see it since we can't meet personally.

This has been a delightful summer and wish you could enjoy it with all the Mountain folks.

Your Cousin

Jac's Pollard
Box 85
Little Switzerland, NC 28749

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87-5

REC'D
26 JUN 1987

June 21, '87

Dear Phillip -

I received the bulletin and your letter this week. I did go to the N.C. Upchurch reunion at Apex last Sunday. It was a most enjoyable occasion. There were around 60 family members there and I felt very much at home with them. Mrs. Bausky was there whom I was so glad to meet. I took my voluntes and passed out books for ordering the material. So many seemed interested in seeing the material and took the forms home.

Bette's plans have been changed so she is flying out to California. Tina and her husband left in the car for Seattle. They were disappointed that it didn't work out as planned.

Keep me informed concerning the Upchurch lecture this fall. I will be returning to Texas the first week in Oct. My son, Dr. C.D. Pallard Jr., will be there as he is Professor of Earth Sciences at Georgia Tech. His wife has her Ph.D. in Geology also and has worked for the U.S.G. Geological Survey of that District.

My sister and her husband are coming up to drive back to Texas with me.

Best wishes

Lois Pallard

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EVA LOIS LOOK

XID-1154

REC'D
4 JUN 1987

LOIS POLLARD
BOX 85

Little Switzerland N.C., 28749

June 2, '87

Dear Phillip —

Just a note to say that my daughter, Betty Adams, and her daughter, Nina Williams, are traveling from San Antonio Texas to California within the next two weeks. When they come through Tucson they plan to give you a call and would like to meet you. I gave them the telephone numbers on your card 621-3811 and 7190. I hope it will be convenient for you to have a short visit with my part of the family.

I am making plans to go to the Upchurch reunion at Apex N.C. on June 14th. Mr. Saubey has sent information about it and her cousin Rachael Smith was at my house last week and insists I come. The Smiths have a summer home in Little Switzerland — as I have. It has been a pleasure to know them.

I am well settled in my home on the mountain for the summer.

Best wishes to you and your family.

Lois Pollard

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

1018 TROOP HGWY

REC'D
23 MAR 87

Taylor, Texas, 75701
Mar. 20, 1987

Forbes??

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B.6-87

Dr. Pallard, Jr.
B.6-87

sent 1/8/87
3-24-87

She has
already
paid for
Mrs. Forbes
subscription
last Nov. 12
1986 for
the 1987
issue

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record?
4/15/87

Dr. Pallard, Jr.
on B-6-87

R. P. Upchurch
Tucson, Ariz.
Dear Phillip -

I received my bulletin today and what a pleasant surprise. It contained what we have all been waiting for, a photograph and information about you. "Happy belated Birthday" and I'm sure you will have many more. You are the same age as my daughter Betty Adams Pallard X 19 165³ who celebrated her birthday Feb 14th; you have the build and features of an Upchurch which are striking. For example you remind me of my Uncle Arthur and Uncle Lee Upchurch (X 10 1146). Especially, you could pass for the brother of the mayor of Raleigh. I am still living in hopes of meeting you and your wife someday - or at least a member of my family. Also, my entire family celebrated Christmas at our home on the Blue Ridge Parkway in Little Switzerland. I have a good snapshot of the family if

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

15 JUN 1987

1915 POLLARD

BOX 85

WITFLE WITZLERLAND, NC 28777

Dear Cousin Sam,

Here is just a brief note to thank you for your letter of 23 JUN 1987 and to say that I will be delighted to visit with Betty and Nina when they come through Tucson. My phone numbers have changed but the new ones are in the phone book so they can locate me. My office no. is 602-621-3613 and home is 602-792-2669.

Tommorrow is the 40th Upchurch Reunion. I do hope you will write and give me your impressions.

I am in the preliminary stages of arranging for an "Upchurch Lecture" in Atlanta GA probably this fall. Cousin Ben Lane U Sr has offered to help with local arrangements. He is a retired May General. It would be great if you could attend and/or encourage others. We may be looking for sponsors of this event. Let me hear from you!

Sincerely yours,
Phil Upchurch

(ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH)

EVA LOIS COOK

XIO-1154

23 MAR 1987

1115 ELOIS HOLLAND
1913 TROOP 113001
TYLER, TEXAS 75701

Dear Cousin Eva,

Your kind letter of March 20, 1987 has
arrived and I want to thank you for
your comments and for the order for
the U B.

The photographs of your family taken
at Christmas would be interesting and I would
be most pleased to have a copy to study.
Please to see to identify the individuals.

We have noted the date you will
be left to NC. I do hope you can go
to the NC reunion.

And 'the best'!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

You are interested as they are the offsprings of the Romulus Madison Upchurch family (145 x 19).

I am enclosing a check for two copies of the Jan. Bulletin to be sent as a gift. I will give the addresses at the end of my letter.

I was glad to get the information of the Goodwin - Upchurch reunion on June 14th. I will be in N.C. at that time and hope to go. Rachael Smith is a cousin of Mrs. Dausby and lives in Little Switzerland in the summer and Apex N.C. in the winter. She has invited me to stay with her during the reunion.

I am leaving for N.C. on April 20th and be there until Oct. 1st. Please send all correspondence to my N.C. address after April 20th.

SSA NOTE

Several members of my family are scientists in related fields you have become distinguished in. I am very proud of them and the work they are doing.

Best wishes and Many happy Returns -
Jois Pollard

NAME Mrs. C. O. Forbes
ADDRESS 1501 E 15th St.
CITY Georgetown STATE Tex ZIP 78626

B-2-872
B-6-87

Rec'd 23 MAR 1958
Ch # - for 30
paywd 20 MAR
Mrs C.O. Pollard
Tyler, TX
214-593-61

GIFT(s): (Payment included above).
Sent to:
NAME Mrs. C. O. Pollard Jr.
ADDRESS 1676 Burned Cr. Rd.
CITY Atlanta STATE Ga ZIP 30318

B-6-87

For Bulletin Vol. 5 No. 1 Jan. 1957

Little Switzerland N.C.
Nov. 12 1986

Dear Philip

Enclosed is a check for the Bulletin
for myself and for my sister Mary Forbes.

I thought you might like to know
my son and I attended the Upchurch
Reunion at Burwell Ga. on Oct. 6, it
was a beautiful day and a lovely drive to
the reunion. I met Thomas Ralph Upchurch
and his wife as well as about 50 of his family.
It was a most enjoyable day and everyone
was so gracious. I felt like I had known
them always. We were in a big lovely
dining room on beautiful grounds in
Shiloh Camp Grounds, not to mention so much
food.

I was hoping I could attend the N.C.
reunion Nov. 9th but I couldn't make it this
time. At the present time I am busy getting
ready for our Christmas Reunion on the
mountain. There will be 20 of my immediate
family, so I am excited about that.

Love to you and your family

Lois Pellard

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

7 DEC 1986

LOIS POLLARD

BOX 75

LITTLE COTTLEDOWN, NC 27511

Dear Cousin Eva,

There is a note to thank you
for the fund remittance on the 11/8/86 and
for your note of November 12 1986.

It was great that you got to go to
the Upchurch reunion in GA and that
you got to meet Ralph and the other
relatives. It sounds like it was a most
pleasant event. How I would like to go
one year!

It is too bad you could not go
to the NC reunion.

Have a nice Christmas gathering
and let me hear from you. Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
{ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH}

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

REC'D
29 SEP 86

LOIS POLLARD

BOX 85

LITTLE SWITZERLAND

NC 28749

Sept. 27 86

9.29.86

Dear Phil -

This is a short note to let you know I received your letter and the forms, which I will pass around. I am leaving for Atlanta Tues. and hopefully to the reunion on Sunday. It remains to be seen if I make it to Apex in Nov. However, I am more anxious to go there now than ever. I had a wonderful surprise this past weekend. A first cousin of Helen Haasby (Rachael Goodwin Smith) called me. She is the best friend daughter of Asham Upchurch and her home is in Apex N.C. She has a summer home in the same community I am in and has been up here for eight years. Needless to say we got together and although we were unaware of our relationship all these 8 years, we made up for lost time. She and her husband invited that I come to the picnic and are working hard to make it a big success.

I thank you for sending your sisters address as I will surely get in touch with them. My grand daughter, Blair Pollard, is a senior at Duke this year which makes me want to make the trip more. I hope I can work in all the other things you mentioned. My husband would have loved all of it and been a help to me.

When it is all over I shall let you know about my trip.
I hope your sister got to Tucson.
My very best,
Lois Pollard

(over)

Rachael didn't have all the material from
you about the family but had Mrs. West
book. I showed her all my volumes
etc. and gave her one of the forms
to order by. She was so glad to
see them and I hope you will
hear from her. L.P.

Her address is
Mrs. Larry Smith
R. 2 Box 109A
Apex N.C. 27502

who lives at 6657 TOTTEN DRIVE, ALEXIA,
WA 98009 PHONE 711-241-0113. We would
be delighted to see you. We will be here
and I mean for a short visit in a few days
and I would tell her of your possible trip
to the state of wa.

I incidentally, Walter McCowan U, Jr
a trustee emeritus of Duke University. He
lives in Durham NC and has a slight
interest in family affairs. We encourage
you to do as you do.

It is possible for perhaps you might have
a chance to ride down to the McCowan Creek
area in Durham Co, NC where Richard U III
lived his cousin John Lee U who lives on
Dove Trail in Raleigh might be able to
assist you. We don't know exactly where
Richard U III lived but we can come within
a mile or so. More research should lead
to better information.

It's always great to hear from
you.
Sincerely yours
Phil & Judy
[ROBERT PHILIP UPHURCH]

Little Switzerland N.C.
Nov. 12 1986

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Lois Pellard

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

REC'D
28 MAR 86

SSA 29 MAR 86
Note add on MAY 86 - JAN 87

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MRS C. D. POLLARD

1018 TROOP RD

Sylva, Tex, 75701

March 24 '86

Dear Phillip -

I received the recent Upchurch
Bulletin which was most interesting as
I shall explain. I will be leaving for
North Carolina in May, so please forward
my mail to (Mrs. C. D. Pollard, Little Switzerland
N. C. 28749) after that date. I will be staying
there until January as we are planning
a family reunion during the Christmas
Holidays. My children and grandchildren
are looking forth the detail of this
should be at least 16 of us. Our home
on the mountain is large enough to
take care of all of us under one roof.

Charles and Mary Forbes (my sister) were
here last week and with information from
your bulletin we drove to Atlanta Texas
to look up Mrs. Era Bushalter Upchurch. We
spent two hours with her in her modest
Country home, ten miles out in the country.
She is one of the most interesting and
vibrant persons I have ever met. She had
all the information on our clan and
is having it typed and sent to me.
I am making the page from the phone book
Atlanta Upchurches for your records. She
explained that the Ancestor had twelve

Note: Phone listings for Atlanta, TX filed
with Phone book listings

children and all settled in Atlanta, without
resentment she explained that most of them
are unfriendly to her and to each other, which
makes it hard to have a family reunion.
Mary and I were born only 24 miles from
Atlanta in Cass Co. My mother would love
to see meeting all her kin folks so close by. We
saw her when a Crutch Certificate and other
wards, thanks for this information on her.

Also, I was interested in your business,
My big plan, when I return to N. C. is to go
to Raleigh to visit many of the people you
mentioned. I would like to have your two
sisters addresses, if they live in Raleigh. My
Granddaughter, Blair DeLard, is a senior at
Wake and I plan to spend some time with
her when she returns to school in the fall. I
plan to visit the upchurch Mayor of Raleigh.

Mary and Charles were so pleased
you mentioned their son, Thomas Allen,
in the Bulletin.

I plan to visit the Moccasin Creek
Area and get in touch with Mrs. Delawhansky
about the reunion in the fall and the one
in Ga., hoping to make one. Mary may go to
the one in Texas as she doesn't live too far
from Yorktown Texas.

As you see this bulletin was so important to
me. If I can be of any help to you let me know.
I hope to hear from you with your sisters addresses.

If you happen to be in N. C. between
May and Jan. let me know so it may be
a chance to meet.

Sincerely
Lair DeLard

29 MAR 1986

MRS C.D. POLLARD
 1713 TROOP ROAD
 FLOREN, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Eva,

It was a joy to get your letter yesterday and to know that you enjoyed the latest U.S. and that you would not consider me as Aunt TX.

Your mail speaks for NC sound good. My sisters will be happy to see you. Here are the details:

1) Mrs William H. Anspaugh (WAT)

525 JEFFERSON ST
 GREENSBORO, NC 27403
 919 295-1876

2) Mrs James A. Arnold (JAT)

650 JUSTICE DRIVE
 RALEIGH, NC 27609
 919-817-0915

I trust you will be satisfied as your good looks, kindness and interests will give me letters up to your time to time. Thank you for suggesting that we get together in NC here of these days we will meet but the details will just have to fall into place over time to allow

~~the~~ the D & press. ²

your offer to be of help and you
certainly have many number of ways.
The details you have supplied will be
useful - perhaps I will have additional
questions for you in due course. In
the meantime please send me articles
you think would be useful. Of course
I have always appreciated your generous
financial contributions and will welcome
articles you can provide from time to
time. We had one major contribution
in 1985 and that made a big difference.
Perhaps we will be lucky in 1986.

Since you will be seeing family members
from time to time I enclose some flyers
in case they can be put to use. Let me
know if you need more.

Your ^{new} address for the period MA 186 - TAN 5
has been noted.

Till Next Time

Sincerely yours
Phil G. G. G.

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPENURER]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

22 DEC 1985

MRS C D. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Lois,

This is just a note to thank you for your order for U 12 86 and for your contribution to the Upchurch second fund. All your efforts and contributions added together help to keep the Upchurch history project vigorous.

We have the 1985 issue ready to go to the binders and will send you your 1985 bound volume early in January.

May you have health and joy in the New Year!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

REC'D
6 APR 1985 Tyler, Texas

Mar. 30 1985

Dear Phillips -

→ \$25.00 Check w/d for
No. Monroe BlvdURF
RPM

I have just received the bulletin and hasten to get a note off to you for several reasons. I am enclosing a check as a contribution to help out with expenses for such a tremendous undertaking. I can't express how much your work has meant to me and how I treasure each bit of information.

You stated in the bulletin you are planning a trip to N. C. I will be at my place from May 15th until October. At your convenience I want to meet you at some place. You can drive to Little Switzerland and return in one day from Raleigh. However, it would be a hard days trip and I hope you can arrange to come for a good visit at my home. So please try to include one day for our meeting while you are in the East. You and your family are welcome at my home. I could come to some place to meet you if necessary but I think you would enjoy the beauty of that section of N. C. So let me know.

After May 15th my address will be
Box 85 Little Switzerland N. C. 28749
Phone - 704-765-~~4536~~ 2536.

Sincerely
Lois Pollard

EVA LOIS COOK

XIP. 1154

1 APR 1985

MISS O'NEILL
1013 TROUP RD
FILER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Eva,

Thank you for your very nice letter from MAR 25
which arrived yesterday. Your continued contributions
to the Upchurch Research Fund are most welcome.
You are right in assuming that the expenses are
great. I have about \$3500 tied up in printed
bulletins just in case someone wants to buy
back issues. Two carts of books and other important
reference materials are gone and there are many
opportunities for spending money to get the job
done. Most of them take one of the many hundreds
of hours my wife and I spend - it is 5:15 AM
on Sunday as I write this to you. But - it
is all worthwhile in satisfaction as long
as there is a good collection of interested and
appreciative people such as yourself. I appreciate
your concern more than you can know
and we need to gather the resources to
allow us to get a computer. Over time the
Upchurch Research Fund may do this.

you would generally to visit my wife and I to visit your NC home. I know it would be a great joy for that part of NC is beautiful. Unfortunately, my NC trip has already taken place. We were back in late FEB. you will find about it in the next U.B. I try to get by NC once or twice a year but the schedule is irregular and depends on me being able to take an extra day or two on one of my business trips to Washington, D.C. One day I might be lucky enough to have a business trip to Asheville. Also one day I want to take a driving vacation across America and stop in on some causes such as yourself.

It is quite possible that I could visit you on one of my trips to Dallas or Houston. I could rent a car and take an extra day. As I see all your location could be reached from Dallas easily.

Now another project is for you to visit Tucson. We would love to see you. You are probably more flexible on travel than am I. It is always good to

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

P.O. BOX 35804
TUCSON, AZ 85740

28 APR 85

28 APR 1985

MRS C D POLLARD
1018 TROOP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

SSA
Part URF #25
Memorial

RPH m.f. pg. 2
1985

Dear Cousin Eva,

Thank you for your letter of April 22, 1985 and for your contribution to the Upchurch Research Fund in connection to your matter. I too feel that remembering and keeping alive family history is important. Those who knew you before we deserve to be remembered and we need to prepare for those yet to come.

Ed had to make a sudden trip to NC three past weeks for the funeral of my wife's brother. He died after a 6 month bout with cancer. He had been President of the NC Farm Bureau for 10 years. It is 234,000 members strong in NC. He was a much beloved person and at age 60 we were sorry to see him taken from us.

While in NC I had a chance to meet a friend known for the first time as we stayed in the small town of Millersville NC where he was retired as a minister. His father was born in 1848 - amazing!

Ed had to make issue 2 of the 1985 UB to you & your NC Address. My regards to them.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PATRICK UPCHURCH]

REC'D
27 APR 1985

1018 TROOP NGWY

Tyler, Texas 75701

April 22, 1984 5

New Phillip

Enclosed is a check of \$25.00
as a memorial to my mother —
Eva Lela Upchurch Cook, buried in
Hughes Springs Texas in the
Cook burial lot. She is the daughter
of Romaloe Madison Upchurch. I
wish she could have seen all the
comprehensive research you have done
on the Upchurch families.

I'm sorry you will not be
coming to N.C. this summer as
I was hoping we have a visit
while I am up there. I will be there
by May 15th and stay until October.
My granddaughter, Nina Adams Williams
is flying to Texas to drive up with me.
Her husband's parents live in Durham, N.C.
so she will visit them while there. She will
back to Seattle from Durham.

Sincerely
Luis Pollard

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

23 DEC 1984

MRS C. O. TULLARD
WIS TROOP #WY
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Bob

Time is just a word to acknowledge
payment for the UB for 1985 for you and
for your sister Mary. The first 1985 issue will
be mailed in early March. Also I want to
thank you for your contribution to the
Episcopal Church Fund. These donations
really help.

I do hope you can get to Tucson in
1985. We would love to see you. I
should get to NC one or twice in 1985 but
will probably not be able to get to the
western part of the state. One of these days I
am going to take off a month or so and
out travel to see folks.

Perhaps you know my son graduated at
Duke in 1981. It is a great place. Of course I
am an N.C. State graduate.

Thanks for all of
your encouragement

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT HILLTOPUPCHURCH]

Dear Phil —

I received the last bulletin which I denouced. I am ordering my sister (Mary Fisher) the 1985 bound vol. I enclosed her address at the bottom of the invoice. I shall look forward to receiving my copy.



I hope we can meet you and your family in some way in '85, either in Arizona, North Carolina or Texas. If you get to N.C. this summer, let me know. My grand daughter, (Blair Pellard) will be a senior at Duke which would be another reason for my coming in that direction.

All of you have a wonderful Christmas.

Lois Pellard

A warm greeting
sent to wish you and yours
much happiness
at Christmas

Lois Pellard

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

COPY

28 APR 1984

Mr. Joe Cook Pellard
1018 Trump Hwy
Tyler, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Joe,

Thank you for your kind letter of April 19, 1984. I always enjoy your letters. They are so upbeat and informative. I am sorry to learn that your Tucson trip has been postponed but we hope it will be rescheduled soon and we can see you in Tucson. One of these days I will probably get close enough to visit you in NC or TX but the schedule is hard to predict.

on your visit to NC I suggest you ride down to the Moccasin Creek Area to see where your ancestors lived. With enough research we hope to learn the exact location of the plantation of Richard U III, the head of your clan.

We have indexed our files so your next two Bulletins will be sent to your NC address.

I am trying to work up nerve to put my pictures in the U B. Primarily, our approach is to print very old pictures.

All the Best

Sincerely yours
Phil Winkurst

[ROBERT PHILIP WINKURST]

Dear Phillip —

REC'D
26 APR 84Tyler, Texas 75701
April 19, '84
1018 Troop Hwy

I received the vol 5. No. 1 bulletin and so sorry to hear/read of your mother's death on March 11 in Raleigh N. C. You have my sympathy as well as the Many Upchurch connections, I'm sure. She was one year older than I as I was born Oct. 10, 1899. I wish I could have known her and would have visited her about 3 years ago when I spent several days in that section and the time I visited Mrs. West. I was glad also to hear she is still living. My granddaughter Blair Pollard is attending Duke University and will be a sophomore there this fall. I hope to get back up there at some point and will visit her again. If you have other relatives of ours I could contact please let me know.

Charles ~~and~~ ^{and} Mary Fother and I planned a trip after Easter to Arizona but he has undergone an operation for double hernia so our trip will have to be postponed until a later date. We were looking forward to meeting you and your family. I would like to make a request that you print in the next bulletin, a picture of yourself and your family. You have done such a tremendous job so we would like to meet you in this way, as it would be impossible to know you personally. All the other "Upchurches" join me in this.

Thanks for the address of C. C. Crow from Sweetwater, Texas I shall try to contact him since he got the information of my grandparents in the Hughes Springs, Texas Cemetery. All these records are correct, I'm sure.

Congratulations on your new Grandchild. They are a delight and the great grandchildren get dearer. I have four.

In your sojourns you come so close to me that we should try to get in a visit. When you come to Dallas or N. C. we are not so far apart. In either place contact me and I will arrange a meeting. You would enjoy my place in the mountains. You and your family are invited to visit any time there and in Texas. I will give you my telephone no's at the end of this letter.

I am leaving for N. C. May 11th and will be there until sometime in October so send the bulletins there until I notify you.

Have a lovely Easter and keep in touch.

Leis Clark Pellard

Telephones

704 765 2526 - Little Switzerland N. C. Box 85
214 593 6180 1018 Frisco Hwy
Tyler Tx 75701

P. S.

Chas. Forbes is recovering fine. He is a prince of a person and you would enjoy knowing
L. P.

18 MAR 84

MRS C.O. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Fern,

This is in response to your letter of
14 FEB 84 to me about my earlier communication
regarding the burial place of your grandparents.
The information was sent to me by

Mr Charles E. Crow
501 James Street
Sweetwater, TX 79556 Phone 915-235-2221

Upon closer study of the notes it is clear
that the two Upchurches concerned were ~~not~~
buried in the Country Cemetery 6 miles north
of Hughes Springs, TX (The Holly Springs or Hall Family
Cemetery) but were in fact buried in the
Hughes Springs, TX Cemetery just as you said.

The notes I have shown

"Mary L. - wife of R. M. Upchurch
July 17, 1852 - February 11, 1920"

and "R. M. Upchurch August 2, 1843 - December 23, 1910"

Does this agree with your records for your
grandparents?

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

1018 TROOP HWY

REC'D
16 FEB 84Tyler Tx 75701
Feb, 14 '84

Dear Phillip —

I have just received your letter of Feb, 11th and hasten to answer as I'm leaving for a short visit to Georgetown and San Antonio. I will visit my sister Mary Tucker and my daughter Betty. You came to the right person for this information and I smiled when you asked if I had ever been to Hughes Springs as I was born and lived there until I married. I shall answer each of your questions as you asked them.

1st. I do not have any reason to doubt that these dates are incorrect. Mary and I have recently been to Hughes Springs to put flowers on their graves. There are some discrepancies from what I sent you which you will find in vol. 1145 and 1147 - All the information I used was from old newspaper clippings, so I feel like the tombstones are more correct. I will make the changes in my volumes.

2nd. The cemetery they are buried in is a well kept cemetery in the small town of Hughes Springs, Tex. in Cass Co. It is not a county, nor a family plot. My Grandmother and Grandfather shared a lot with Neil Carriker (Mary Tucker's brother) and buried there with his wife also. I know all the seven families you mentioned but they have their own plots. Perhaps, lots were not too well defined at that time. There is no relationship whatever between my family and theirs.

3rd. My grandparents were buried in this cemetery because they lived in Hughes Springs, Tex. when they died. They built their home there in town and not in the country. Their ^{home} still stands in good and original state and where I was born. You printed the picture of this house in vol. 114 - page 5. Come to Tyler and I will drive you there - about 60 miles.

Now, my question - who sent you the information and how did they know to send the information to you? I will be anxious to hear from you and hope I have answered your questions satisfactorily.

Sincerely

Lois Pollard

{MRS C.O. POLLARD}

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

MRS C. O. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HIGHWAY
TYLER, TX 75701

23 DEC 1983

Dear Cousin,

Just a note to thank you for
your renewal order for U B 1984, and
for the order for a bound 1983
volume, and for your \$10.⁰⁰ contribution
to the Upchurch Research Fund. We will
be binding the 1983 issue soon and
will send you your bound copy
sometime in January.

Best wishes to you for the
holiday season. Your support
is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

12 FEB 1984

MRS C. D. POLLARD, SR

1018 TROUP HWY

TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Lois,

A correspondent has just sent me details on the Hughes Springs Cemetery at Hughes Springs, TX. Yours GF & GM are included as follows:

" Mary L - wife of R. M. Upchurch
July 17, 1852 - February 11, 1920"

" R. M. Upchurch
August 2, 1843 - December 23, 1910"

I did not have this information recorded in my outline and it is more complete than what I did have. Do you have any reason to believe that any of these dates are incorrect?

I am a little confused about the cemetery. On the one hand it looks like a "town" cemetery where anyone could be buried. On the other hand it seems like a family cemetery that belonged to the Hall Family. In addition to R. M. & Mary U there seem to be 4 burials (I think that is all but I am not positive). They are

1. { J. B. Whitaker - James Butler 6 APR 1857 - 17 DEC 1944
2. { Mary J. Whitaker - 8 OCT 1853 - 13 FEB 1894
3. { J. C. "Bell" Hall 5 DEC 1870 - 21 JUL 1950
4. { Pearl Hall 28 MAY 1881 - 29 JUL 1963

5. Grace - Dan of E.C. & Nellie Wise
 ↳ 15 NOV 1906 - 4 OCT 1926

6 { James E. Thompson 9 NOV 1879 - 18 NOV 1955
 } { Susie L. Thompson 16 OCT 1882 - 8 SEP 1973

Can you tell me if there is any relationship whatsoever between these 2 people (or their families) and your family? Can you explain why your grandparents are buried in this particular cemetery? Was it on the place where your GF lived? (I think you said he owned a house in town). Can you tell me where the cemetery is - in town - out in the country, etc? Have you ever been there?

This is another one of those "million things about family history" - no end of looking, exchanging, probing, etc - All great fun!

Let me hear from you. Hope 84 is being good to you

Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

MRS C. O. POLLARD
1018 TROUP HWY
TYLER, TX 75701

16 JAN 1984

Dear Cousin Eva

Thanks for the note on your nephew
Thomas Allen Farber. He seems to be doing
quite well and I am always happy to
have such clippings for my files.

The board volumes are now available
and yours should be in the mail in
the next day or so.

I am certainly pleased to learn that
your plans may yet bring you to Tucson
this spring. Please let me know your
schedule. It would be good to meet
you.

I keep picking up more bits and pieces
on the Richard III / Sean U sublan to which
you belong.

All the Best!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

{ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH}

Tyler Texas

Jan 10 1984

Hello Phillip -

I received your letter and last volume and will be looking forward to receiving the bound volumes in January.

In your letter you said you would like any clippings so I'm enclosing this one of Tommy Forbes you may like to have (1575)

He is the son of Mary Cook Forbes (1155) and Charles R. Forbes (1573) and the great grand son of Remulus Madison Upchurch whose picture is in Vol. 2 No. 4 (1145)

Mary and I are still hoping to get to Ariz. this spring and will give you a ring if we do come.

Best wishes for the year 1984

T. O. POLLARD
1018 TROOP HY
TYLER, TX 75701

Sincerely

Lois Pollard

EVA LOIS COOK

XFO-1154

28749

REC'D
18 JUL 1983

^{the}
L. Switzland - N.C.
July 13, 83 BOX 85

Dear Phil -

Your letter came when my family came for a week on the July 4th week-end. They stayed until my son and wife gave their program on the 8th. I enclosed a clipping about them which I thought you might like to see. They did a Marceland job and I was so proud of them. The auditorium was full and they kept lingering for more slides and information.

Filed with
Charles O.
Pellard, Jr.

I did receive vol 4 2 of the W. bulletin and will look forward to the others. This one was so interesting because it included so much of my branch. I am enclosing a \$25.00 check also, to help with expenses as you see fit. I'm glad you will be relieved of some of the burden. You should receive a Ph.D. degree for what you have done already.

Rec'd
OK - signed
13 JUL 1983
for \$25.00 for 4
Research Fund
11018 Troop
Highway
Tyler TX
214-593-6180

I was so glad to get your business card. I am hoping to come through Jackson sometime in the near future so this will help me to get in touch with you to say "Hello" and to meet you. It can't be before late '83 or '84

Sincerely

Lois Pellard 7-18-83
Research Fund

23 JUL 1983

MRS CHARLES O. POLLARD, SR
 BOX 85
 LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749

Dear Cousin Lee,

Thank you so much for your letter of July 13, 1983 and for the \$25.00 donation to the Upchurch Research Fund. It will be put to good use. I have a lady in Salt Lake City working on a trial base to do some of the things I cannot. Hope she works out.

The clipping on your son and daughter-in-law is great. I have filed it with his biographical file.

I am delighted to know that you plan to pass through Tucson in late 1983 or in 1984. Ballaine and I will enjoy meeting you and look forward to your visit. Please keep me posted on your plans. Tucson is very nice except in mid-summer.

Your encouragement is greatly appreciated and more significant than you realize
 Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch
 [ROBERT PATRICK UPCHURCH]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

1018 Trans Highway
Tyler, TX 75701

Tyler, Texas

April 11983

Rec'd 6 APR 83 Ch \$65
(noted!) 54.

Mr. Robert P. Upchurch
Tucson, Ariz.
Next Roberts:

REC'D
6 APR 1983

ISSU Note address
change RPM
10 APR 83

I have just received the latest Upchurch Bulletin with the pictures and write up of my Grandfather's Connections. The pictures turned out real well and I shall prize this copy very much.

I am enclosing a check for \$65.00 of which \$55.00 for the Research Fund and \$10.00 for a copy of the last copy of the bulletin to be sent to Mrs. C. A. Ficker, 1501 E 15th St, Georgetown, Texas. Send a descriptive leaflet also.

I am leaving for my home in N.C. May 5th. so the next bulletin should be sent there Mrs. C. O. Pallard, Box 85, Little Switzerland N.C. 28149.

I am sorry you didn't get over to visit me in North Carolina last summer while you were there. If you return get in touch with me.

Again, let me express my appreciation of the enduring effort you have put into the long and tedious check in the Upchurch family bulletins.

Sincerely, Lois C. Pallard

Mrs. C. A. Ficker, 1501 E. 15th St. Georgetown, Tex. 78626-2464 - \$10.00
donation - Upchurch Research Fund -

55.00
\$65.00

My new address - Mrs. C. O. Pallard Box 85, Little Switzerland N.C. 28149

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

10 APR 1983

MRS C D POLLARD, JR
1018 TROUP HEWAT
TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Cousin Eva,

There is to acknowledge your letter of April 1, 1983 and your check for \$65.00. I have sent UB Vol 4 #1 on to your sister as well as some of the flyers.

I am most grateful for your contribution of \$55.00 to the Upchurch Rewards Fund. So far I have 3 donors for a total of \$125.00 - not much but every bit helps, it is so kind of you to offer this encouragement. I am trying in every way possible to get the Upchurch story and the Upchurch lines down in print. It is a big job and will take many more years. Your encouragement helps me to stay with the task.

Can you tell me if your family from their Hughes, TX have ever known about the other descendant of Richard III on the other side of Cass Co, TX? Just curious?

We have noted your address change effective 5 MAY 1983. One of these days I hope to meet you.
Sincerely yours Phil Upchurch (ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH)

EVA LOIS COOK

AID-1154

29 JUN 1983

MRS LOIS POLLARD

BOX 85

LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749

Dear Cousin Sam,

I thank you for your nice letter of 17 JUN 1983. With a host of activities at hand I am a little behind on correspondence. I trust by now you have received Vol 4 #2 of the A B. It was sent by bulk mail 14 JUN 1983.

It is really kind of you to invite me to visit your place in NC. I know it must be beautiful and I would love to come and one of these days I just might do so.

Today I have written to a lady in Salt Lake City, UT authorizing her to do some research on the Upchurch family. She has a good reputation so I am hoping for some good results. This involves spending some of the funds from the Upchurch Research Fund which you and others have thoughtfully given. I hope it will continue to grow. It takes some of the burden from me.

As my new business all the best
and is enclosed. Thank you
you might like to see
it. Phil U

Phil Upchurch
[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

Dear Phil:

REC'D
20 JUN 83N. Carolina
June 17, 1983

I'm sorry I have been so negligent in answering your last letter. Since there was nothing urgent to answer I have put off at the moment. I had so much to do in getting ready to leave Texas May 5th. Since I have been here there were things to do as well as guests coming in. When someone arrives here I've spend alot of time sight seeing in this beautiful spot.

My daughter Betty came for a week and Mary (my sister) and her husband came and just left yesterday. I'm sorry you never got to this section of N. C. If you come back you must come to my place. I have a big house and plenty room. You would enjoy it and give us a chance to meet.

You asked if my family ever met the other Upchurches in Cass Co. My grand parents and mother never heard of them. However, Mary and I have tried several times to contact the Upchurches around Atlanta Texas but we have never heard

from them and no answer when we
called, I shall keep trying when I get
back to Texas

Mary brought the outline of our
Geneological sketch of the Upchurch
line from Michael T, I was so
glad to get it and copied it in the
front of vol. 2 1981 which has the
good picture of my grandfather Remulus
Madison Upchurch. Thanks for working
it up for us. I'm so glad to know we
are cousins even even removed.

Keep in touch —

Lair Pallard

Box 85
Little Switzerland, NC 28749

P.M. Ashville

P.S. I will be here until Oct. at least,

7 MAR 1983

MRS C. O. POLLARD
 1018 TROUP HIGHWAY
 TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Mr Pollard,

Provided herewith are the three pictures you loaned me. They are:

1. 5 People on the porch of the R. M. U home at Hughes, TX. Includes you and your gf.
2. Small slaughter + husband
3. Arthur C. U + wife.

These were received from you on 2 JUN 1981. They will appear in U E Vol 4 No 1 which is due back from the printer today or tomorrow. I don't know how clear they will be but let's hope for the best. Old photos are difficult to reproduce well. I am very grateful for the loan of these photos and know that many in our family will appreciate seeing them in print.

Thanks for all your support.

Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

Tyler Texas
Feb. 25, 1982 Ric'd
3-1-82

Dear Robert Phillips: —

I am writing to let you know
I have new great grand daughter,
△ She is — Saskia Adams Bertout —
daughter of Lois Jocelyn Adams (1564)
and Claude Bertout. She was
born Jan. 20, 1982 in Heidelberg
Germany.

△ Also, note these minor corrections,
(Charles Alexander Forbes (1573) born 1906 —
instead of 1904

□ (Thomas Allen Forbes (1575) instead
of Tommy Allen Forbes —
Vol. 1 — No. 1 P. 106 —

As noted before —

□ Blair Padard (1572) daughter of 1563

□ Billie Slaughter (1581) Son of 1158
Vol 1 No. 1 p. 106

Sincerely

Lois Cook Pallas

1018 P TROOP HWY
TYLER, TX 75761

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

6 DEC 1981

MRS CHARLES D. POLLARD

TOTS TROUP HIGHWAY

TYLER, TEXAS 75701

Dear Lois,

Thanks for your letter of 2 DEC 1981 and for
~~your very kind comments~~ about Vol 2 #4
of Upchurch's Bulletin and about my new
patterns. I like a challenge and always
seem to have one.

I'll get the originals of the photographs
~~made~~ to you in due course now that
we have a key one published.

I'll do my best to get the bound volume
to you before Christmas. It turns out that
they have to be done in Phoenix (about 100
miles from Tucson) and I have been waiting
for a trip up there which is now
scheduled for 10+11 DEC.

All the best for the Holidays!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

Tyler, Texas
Dec. 2 '81

Mr. R. P. Upchurch -
Tucson, Ariz.
near Pinal.

REC'D
5 DEC 1981

Answered
6 DEC 81

I received the vol 6 No. 4 of the Upchurch Bulletin and so pleased to see the photograph of my grandfather and the write up on the front of the Bulletin. Also, let me congratulate you on your promotion at the University of Arizona, College of Agriculture. I'm sure you deserve such an honor. I still hope to visit in that direction one of these days.

I returned to Tyler October 15th after a wonderful summer in North Carolina at my summer home.

I will be looking forward to receiving the two bound copies as I plan to give them for Christmas presents. Wishing you and your entire family a great Holiday Season.

Lois Pollard.

EVA LOIS COOK

Sept 20, 1951

XID-7154

See Photo File - include picture of Eva Lois Cook, Her Sister & Down Jerry Yates

Mr. W. R. Upchurch
Tucson, Ariz.
Near Phoenix

With, let me say that I hope all the Upchurchs have realized and appreciate the great job you're doing in collecting and publishing so much information on our families and history. Also, I hope to meet you someday for a visit. You and your family are invited to my place in Tyler Texas or my mountain home on the Blue Ridge Parkway in North Carolina.

I am enclosing a \$40.00 check for the two volumes. I will be back in Tyler the first week in November, so you can send them there at your convenience. However, it would be better to mail them the last of the month as they won't be misplaced in the mail if I'm not there.

I was interested in the mention of "Upchurch Station" in Wake Co. N.C. page 27, vol. 5, no. 3. My sister (Mary Foster) and I visited this community and located the station. This was the Fall of 1949. There is a lovely County Upchurch home there with an upchurch monument and picnic grounds. I understood they have a family reunion every year. I am enclosing pictures as best I could get. Mr. Upchurch was in the field working and I didn't get to talk to him and his wife didn't seem to have any information. I hope to go back someday but they were not of my branch, it seemed. This community is located about 10 miles out of Durham N.C. You may have been there and know more than I do about it.

I have two corrections to make which are not too important. X19-1591 - vol. 1 no. 3 page 106 is a son (not a dau) of 1563. Also X10-1572 - " " " " is a dau (not a son) of 1563. (The names Nick and Blair are confusing.)

X10-1572

Very truly yours,
Eva Lois Cook

EVA LEBRA (COOK) COOK - XID-1124
XID-1124

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Lee Pelled
Box 85
Little Switzerland
N. Carolina
28749



Rec'd
24 SEP 81
WY

Michael Enterprises
P.O. Box 35804
Succor, Arizona
85748

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EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

XID-1154

21 SEP 1981

MRS C. D. BOLLARD
BOX 85
LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749

Dear Cassin Lee,

Thank you for your \$40.00 check for two bound
copies of U.S.. I assume you want one bound
copy of 1980 and one of 1981. There will be mailed
to your Texas address in November I will use
the following address unless you let me know
otherwise

1013 TRUMP HILLWAY
TYLER, TEXAS 75701

I have entered the corrections you sent on
my master copy of U.S. thanks.

The photos you sent will be returned
in soon as I can send back over to use
in U.S. and can fit the printing done. Thank
you for the latest set of photos of the Upshaw's
Colony. You I have been there. Her son Upshaw's
is William Baxter II (XID-962). He is of the Nathan
class is definitely your cousin & name being more
closely related to me than to you. He farms & works
also for the NC Farm Bureau where he reports to
my uncles brother! Her of, war movement. See
(XID-93)
US Vol 2#2 of 15. The photo album Nathan & Marie

settled about 1800 or about 4 miles west of
Windsor Station.

I have had one more look at my outline
on your matter and am impressed with its
completeness - thanks, primarily to your input
There is one small section dealing with your
system Thomas Adler Forbes intro or introduct
as follows:

(1) when and where was he married?

(2) what was the full name of her wife
Nancy Colquette and when + where
was she born?

If there is anything you can do to complete
this section, I would be most grateful.

I am very appreciative of the kind
remarks you have made about the bulletins
It is an enjoyable activity but it requires
many hours of work each week and it
early morning or on week ends. For example,
we got in at 11:00 PM last night but this AM
I was up at 5:30 AM working over your
letter. The figures are a little with income
of about \$2500/year barely covering credit expense.
As long as I have encouragement such as you
offer I shall certainly continue. Thanks for inviting
me to your homes, I would hope to meet you sometime.
Sincerely yours Phil W. [ROBERT PHILIP WARRICK]

Little Santa Fe, N.M.
June 17, 1981

Michael Enterprises
Tucson, Ariz.

Dear Phil:-

I will look forward to receiving
the issues of 1981. I am sorry I
haven't been able to give you more
information on R. M. Upchurch line.

I am not in a hurry in getting
the photos returned but when
you are through with them I would
like to have them back.

Sincerely

Lois Pollard

EVA LOIS COOK

XID - 1154

REC'D 2 JUN 1981
ANSWERED 7 JUN 81

No 25 Little Switzerland N.C.
May 27 '81 28749

Dear Phil -

I found these pictures of all the children of Romulus Madison Upchurch. The picture of his home is better than the one I sent you recently and includes his wife and two children. Enclosed are the other two children. I don't know how many of these you want to see. I found a picture of Larkin Upchurch when he was a child about 12 yrs. old and taken in Hoodnight, Okla. if you want it.

I have not heard from Mrs. Jim Best of Anaheim Ca. concerning her great mother, Mrs. Upchurch Slaughter. I sent her a self addressed envelope and can't understand why I have not heard from her. I will keep trying.

I am enjoying the mountains and plan to be here until Nov. 1st.

Also, I have some good pictures of the Upchurch museum on the Upchurch farm in Upchurch Community in N. Carolina, 15 miles from Durham.

Hope to hear from you

Eric Pellard

7 JUN 1981

MRS C. O. POLLARD
 P.O. BOX 85
 LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28759

Dear Mrs Pollard,

Thanks for your letter of May 28 1981 and for the three photos. They are fine. As each issue of Upchurch's Bulletin comes along I will select from among the best photos available. Do you want these three back? If not I will add them to the permanent file. If you want them back are you in a hurry? If so I will look into having copies made.

Issue 2 of 1981 will be back from the printer tomorrow and we should have it in the mail on the 9th or 10th. Delivery can take up to 2-3 weeks. I'll use your NC address this time and next time.

I appreciate greatly your help on your line. There are still many details missing on Remulus Madison U, his descendants + his brother & sister. Your continued assistance is important. Best regards

Sincerely yours
 Phil Upchurch
 (ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH)

**ADDRESSES OF INDIVIDUALS WHO COULD BE INTERESTED IN INFORMATION
ABOUT THE HISTORY OF UPCHURCHES AND UPCHURCH DESCENDANTS & RELATIVES**

NAME	STREET NUMBER & NAME AND/OR BOX NUMBER	CITY OR TOWN, STATE	ZIP CODE
1. <i>Mr. C. A. Fisher</i>	<i>1501 E 15th St.</i>	<i>Tucson, Ariz</i>	<i>79206</i>
2.			
3. <i>Mr. Jim Best</i>	<i>2132 Winnetka St.</i>	<i>Annheim California</i>	<i>92804</i>
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4-24-81
Carl P. Bio.*

*A-11
on file*

EVA LOIS COOK

PLEASE RETURN TO: Robert Phillip Upchurch
P. O. Box 35804
Tucson, AZ 85740

*REC'D 20 APR 1989
from Eva Lois
Cook by RPU*

NOTE: Information about UPCHURCH BULLETIN
will be sent to any individuals who
are listed above.

RPU, Editor
UPCHURCH BULLETIN

By Lois Cook P. 1154

XFD-1154

① See Correspondent file Mrs C.O. Pollard (Lois Cook)

Eva Lula U. ^{b 21 DEC 1872, d 22 DEC 1950} and Thomas J. Cook

Their children:

b 9 OCT 1899

Lois Cook - wd

^{in Hughes Springs TX 15 SEP 1921}
C.O. Pollard b 7 OCT 1899 d 31 JUN 1976

May Cook - wd C.A. Foster

C.A. Foster Jr

T.M. Foster

In her 7 NOV 77 ltr to R.P.U. Mrs C.A. West provided several ideas of correspondence + charts from Mrs C.O. Pollard. West adds in her ltr "I am adding some material by an Upchurch descendant of Tyler, TX (Mrs Pollard) who has a summer home in NC. I completed her line through the Upcher's in England just to see how it looked."

② See Remittur Madison U (XID-1145) biofile for sketch provided by Mrs C.O. Pollard Sr in her 15 JAN 1978 ltr.

"Children of Eva Lula U who wd Thomas J. Cook

A. Lois Cook Grad of Baylor Univ 1920 wd Charles O. Pollard - a grad of Rice Univ 1923 + also of Univ Tex. He was an Educator and an Ind Oil Operator

1. Betty Lou Pollard - a Grad of Univ of Texas wd Wm Adams a grad of Univ of Texas + a Chamber of Commerce Man. They had 4 children - (see her Christmas letter ~~filed under~~ in biofile of Betty Lou Pollard)

2. Charles O. Pollard Jr. A grad of Rice Univ 1960 and Ph.D. from Florida State Univ in Geol. He is Prof at Ga Tech. - He wd Lin Davis who rec'd B.A. & Ph.D from same place + later one child Blair Pollard - 12 yrs old.

③ see ltr 9 JAN 1980 Eva Lois Cook to RPH

Eva Lois Cook b 9 OCT 1899 (Hughes Spgs, TX) wd 15 SEP 1921

(Hughes Springs, TX) Charles Oscar Pollard b 7 OCT 1899 (Nona, TX) d 31 JAN 1976.

④ Fair Cook and Charles O. Pollard

Her address: Mrs Charles O. Pollard } In AF
1123 Powers Drive
Tyler, Texas 75701 }

⑤ Note: 2nd Invoice for UB 81 sent PM 16 JAN 1981
to address in 4 above. Returned by PO on
24 JAN 81. Address looks good to me. I sent
back to Mrs C.O. Pollard again on 25 JAN 81
with a note: "Mrs C.O. Pollard, For some
strange reason the P.O. returned my last
letter to you containing this 2nd Invoice. They
said "Not Deliverable or addressed, Unable to
forward". " [Bye could have died ??] - RPH

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

28 MAR 1981

MRS C. D. POLLARD
1018 TROOP HIGHWAY
TYLER, TEXAS 75701

28 MAR 81
SSC
Reprint Vol 1
RPL

Resent 1234
3-30-81
SW

Dear Lois,

Many thanks for your letter of March 23, 1981 and for the photo. It is great. I will plan to publish it in Upchurch's Bulletin and will return it to you in due course. The picture you mention of the "Mac" Upchurch home in Higher Springs TX would be most welcome.

I am sorry the 1980 issues of Upchurch's Bulletin did not arrive. They are being sent again under separate cover, since you have paid once for them you are not obligated to pay again unless you feel generous. Our Upchurch search can always use the support.

The address for Eva Eva (Bankholder's) is:
Mrs ELVA E. UPCHURCH, ROUTE 1, BOX 153, ATLANTA, TEXAS 75551
Could you tell me how your mother came to know Eva since they are so remotely related?

Regarding your Aunt Iva Upchurch - Did she have a middle name? where & when born, where and when died, where married, date & place of marriage, middle name of her husband William Slaughtor & his birth, death & place of burial. Any help appreciated. Yours truly
ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH

Sylva, Texas
March 22, 1981

REC'D 26 MAR 81
ANS 28 MAR 81
RPM

Dear Mr. Lepchurak:
Michael Enterprises

I received the Lepchurak Bulletin Vol. 10-710. I
and was very happy to get it. I did not get the
other four Bulletins, Vol. 1 and would like to have
them. I will be glad to pay for their replacement. They
must have been sent to my old address and were not
kept for me. Send to Mrs. C. C. Pollard 1018 Trump
Newy, Sylva, Tx. 75701 if mailed before May 1st.
I will be in North Carolina after that date.

I am enclosing a photograph of my Grand-
father, and father of Eva Lela Lepchurak Cook, and
his two brothers. You have their full names and dates
of birth etc. which I will not enclose. Again, if you
like the photographs and want them with it would
be glad to send them. They are identical on the
back of the picture. Also, I have a black and white
black picture of the home of Mac. Lepchurak in Hughes
Spring, Cass Co., Texas if you would like to have it.
It is a clear but small picture.

I would really like to have the address
of Elva Lee (Sue) Katter) etc. as you indicated
you have a letter from her dated 20 Oct. 1980.
I would like to write her as she heard my
mother speak so much of Elva and Clara.

I will look forward to hearing from
you soon and receiving the Bulletin.
You have done a marvelous job and all the
Lepchuraks should be greatly indebted to you.

Sincerely

Eric Pollard



BAYLOR HERITAGE CLUB

Baylor University

To: R. P. Lohmeyer

Date: Feb. 14 81

Dear R.P.

I am sorry I left the check out. Actually, I never wrote it out and I don't realize I didn't send it.

The full names of my three great granddaughters, which I had to find out, are:

- △ Birt Elizabeth Williams
- △ Luke Adam Travis Williams
- △ Jessica Adams Bertout

Sincerely

Lois Pollard

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B-5-81

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There will be 4 issues in 1981 - also \$10.00.

Date

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Mrs. C.O. Pollard
1018 Troup Hwy.
Tyler, TX 75701
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P. O. Box 35804
Tucson, Arizona 85740

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B-5-81

Tyler, Texas

Feb. 2, 1981

Answered
8 FEB 81 RPM

Dear Mr. Typhurck -

I moved into a Town House May 1st and left for N. Carolina May 10th. That is the reason your mail was returned. However, this invoice and your notes were received. No one forwarded it to me, so I guess the postman has learned where I live now. My mail has been in a mess since I moved but I'm pleased most of it is straight now. I failed to notify you of my change of address.

I will leave for N. Carolina May 5th and be up there until Nov. 1st. My address there is Box 35, Little Switzerland N. Carolina 28749. When I left from there last fall I left all my correspondence about the Typhurck family. I left in a hurry and had eye surgery. I am fine now and looking forward to going back.

You may like to know I have three new great-grandchildren

- Ruth Williams, born Oct 12, 1976 to Tim and Lisa Williams of B. Calif.
- △ Luke Williams " May 12, 1980 " " " " Seattle Wash.
- △ Jessica Bristol " August 19, 1980 to Tim and Judy Bristol and Claude Bristol in Heidelberg Germany.

I will be sure to receive the bulletins and hearing from you again.

Sincerely

Lia P. Cook

8 FEB 1981

MRS C. O. POLLARD
 1018 TROOP HIGHWAY
 TYLER, TX 75701

Dear Mrs Pollard,

I have your nice letter of February 20, 1981 and your renewal order for the 1981 issue of Upchurch's Bulletin. However, you accidentally left out the \$10.⁰⁰ check. I trust you will send the check along now.

I thank you for the information on your three new great-grand children congratulations. They are 13th generation Upchurches. I would really like you give me their full names. I have only:

Built Mullown
 Luke Mullown
 Jessica Beckett

We are so glad to hear from you and to have the addresses straight. Glad to hear your eye operation went well.

I'll be looking to hear from you
 Sincerely yours
 Phillip Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

11 APR 1981

MRS C. O. POLLARD
1018 TROOP HIGHWAY
TYLER, TEXAS 75701

Dear Fair,

Thanks for your letter of April 5, 1981 and for your \$5 donation - money is always a limiting factor in what we can get done. I am encouraged by your interest in the Bulletin.

Enclosed herewith are the ME-Form 3 & 4. If you could complete the Family Chart and return it this would be helpful. I am anxious to have names and addresses of individuals who might be interested in Yorkshire Bulletin so if you have any such addresses I would welcome them.

You could be right about Sarah U (XID-1560) being named for Tashin U (XID-66) XID-66 was the great-great Uncle of XID-1560.

It does appear that Harriet (Hazel) can be the name of a male or female.

Can you tell me a bit more about the children of Rosulus Anderson U. What did they or their husbands do & roughly where did they live & die and where are they buried. Any recollections will be appreciated. Thanks for picture of Home of Rosulus Anderson U. I assume you want it back and am duly obliged.

Sincerely yours - Phil Y. [ROBERT ROSS/PROVING]

DPOR
IWA

EVH 1015 1004

Regarding the questions about my Aunt Lura, I can't give you the information at this time but I am writing her grand daughter (Mrs. Jim West in Linnaheim Co.) all your questions and maybe she can fill us in. Aunt Lura lived with her and died at her home. Also, when I get back to North Carolina and have my Upchurch material with me I might be able to recall and answer your questions. It will sometime in the last of May or June before I can do this as I will be in N.C. the first week in May.

This is an observation and does not need to be answered.

1. I traced Larkin Upchurch back X 10. 66 - Son of 63 - Son of 152 - Son of 151 (vol. 1 - no. 1)

Larkin is such an unusual name that the Larkin W. my Uncle Arthur was with to clear up the Upchurch's estate must have been named from the X 10 Larkin and sons.

2. In vol. 1 no. 1 I noted Herseltine (page 8 X 19105) is listed as the (D.A.U.) of 32 - Son of 78 (head of clan 3) Son of 152, son of 151, which takes both to Richard and James then to Michael.

This is my observation - one of the brothers of my grandfather was Elite Herseltine (a man) and he is listed as a daughter. I was wondering if Herseltine can be a woman's name, at least it must have been a family name.

I would like to have all mail sent to
Box 85 Little Switzerland N.C. 28749 after
April 25th.

Sincerely
Leo Pollard

April 15 1981

Dear Phil -

I goofed on the family relation chart. If you will mail me another one with this one I will do a better job and get it to you.

- Children of Remulus Madison Upchurch
- △ ← Arthur Upchurch - eldest. He was a railroad station manager at several towns the last one was in Tampico Mexico. He retired and moved to Okla. city Okla. and was buried there to children.
 - △ ← Eva Lula Upchurch Cook married Tho. J. Cook a merchant in Hughes Springs, Texas, Cass Co. They lived there all their lives and are buried there. Two children Lin Cook and Maybelle Foster.
 - △ ← Ina Upchurch Slaughter married W. W. Slaughter in Marshall Texas. They moved to Mt. Pleasant Texas, Titus Co. He owned and printed the News Paper there. They left there for California and died and buried there. I have written Mrs. Best for more information (Granddaughter). They had two children Edyth Chiles Slaughter Dallas and Marion Slaughter.
 - △ ← Ella Mae Upchurch Graham married Charles W. Graham an electrical engineer in Dallas Texas. They lived there all their lives and buried there. They had two children Frank Graham and Rena Mildred Graham Smith. Both are deceased and had no children.

FAMILY RELATIONSHIP CHART

YOUR GRANDPARENTS

YOUR PARENTS

PARENTS OF SPOUSE

GRANDPARENTS OF SPOUSE

(N=Name (Give Full Name)
(B=Date of Birth)
(D=Date of Death)
(M=Date of Marriage)

△
N ANTHONIA FLINT
COOK
B Jan 3 1949
D July 21 1929
M Jan 26 1946

□
N ЕРАУЛА
ЗЛОЧИНАЯ COOK
B Dec. 24 1976
D Dec. 22 1950
M 1999

△
MARTHA
ELIZABETH
N TAYLOR BILARD
B Mar. 28 1868
D 1944 1992
M 1997

△
N CHAS. OSCAR BILARD I
B 1889
D 1923 1929
M ?

△
N JAMES MONROE
COOK
B Mar. 4 1837
D July 8 1903

INFORMATION FOR:

YOU

YOUR SPOUSE

□
N ENA LOIS COOK BILARD N CHAS. OSCAR BILARD II
B Oct. 9 1899 B Oct. 9 1899
M Sept. 1 1901 D Jan. 31 1976

△
MARGARET
N MARGARET BILARD
B 1850
D 1934

□
N ANASTASIA MADISON
UPCHURCH
B ? 1942
D Dec 28 1910
M ? 1921

NOTE: INFORMATION MADE AVAILABLE ON THIS FORM IS TO BE REARRANGED AND PUBLISHED IN UPCHURCH BULLETIN.

□
N THOMAS SEFFORS
COOK
B March 25 1870
D March 8 1943

△
N CHARLES
BILARD
B Jan. 15 1879
D 1949

△
N MARTHA BILARD
TAYLOR
B 1849
D 1902
M ?

△
N MARY LUCRETIA
UPCHURCH
B ? 1841
D July 1 1920

RETURN TO:

Robert Phillip Upchurch
P. O. Box 35804
Tucson, AZ 85740

R.P. I will do better job if you mail another form and return shipping.

My wife

EVA

LOIS

COOK

XID-1157

THE ATTACHED FAMILY ITEMS ARE COPIES
FROM TWO PACKETS LOANED TO RPU
BY ELCA ON 12 APR 1996 AT A LUNCHEON
MEETING IN GEORGETOWN, TX. THE
TWO PACKETS WERE RETURNED TO HER.
THE SHEETS CREATED ARE NUMBERED
AS FOLLOWS:

	<u>PAGES</u>
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FROM 12 APR 1996 PACKET
 EVA LOIS COOK TO RPA
 I. RICHARD U, III - HEAD OF CLAN
 A. SION U

I. LINDSEY U

△ G. ESCUE
 HAZELTINE
 U* MD

△ MARY LUCRETIA
 YENNY*
 OF M/M

△ CHRISTOPHER
 YENNY*

* ENTIRE SHEET
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 BIOFILES OF
 THESE 3

To Celebrate Golden Wedding



..Mr. AND MRS. E. H. UPCHURCH..

On Wednesday, Feb. 9th, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Upchurch of Irving township will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary.

Mr. Upchurch was born in Franklin county, North Carolina on Feb. 21st, 1841, and grew to manhood there. He served three years in the confederate army and at the close of the war he came to Montgomery county in 1866, where he first worked as a farm hand for the late Wm. Bowles. Mrs. Upchurch was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Yenny, pioneer settlers of Irving township. She was born April 3d, 1853. She and Mr. Upchurch were married Feb. 9th, 1871, at her home by Rev. Hiram Gregory and have spent the entire fifty years of their married life in the community where they now reside and where Mrs. Upchurch was born.

Thirteen children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch, all of whom grew to manhood and womanhood. Two of these children, Margaret and Harold were victims of the influenza epidemic two years ago. The surviving eleven children are:

- Mrs. Myrtle Townsend, Los Angeles, Calif.
- Mrs. Kathryn Buttweiler, Los Angeles, Calif.
- Mrs. Joyce Thalgott, of Fairfield, Iowa.
- Mrs. Maude Clotfelter, St. Louis, Missouri.
- Mrs. Belle Thalgott, St. Louis, Mo.
- Mrs. Lula Doerster, St. Louis, Mo.
- Mrs. Stella Gorham, St. Louis, Mo.
- Mrs. Nora Cress, Irving, Ill.

- Mrs. Lola Burk, Irving, Ill.
- Mrs. Alice Downs, Irving, Ill.
- R. Lee Upchurch, Irving, Ill.

Although Mr. Upchurch will celebrate his 80th birthday on the 21st of next month and although he has helped provide for a family of 13 hungry mouths and has borne the burden of being the head of a large family for fifty years, time has treated him kindly and he is active, strong and possesses the mental alertness of most men half his age. Mrs. Upchurch is thirteen years younger than her husband and will celebrate her 68th birthday next April. She, too, is extremely bright, active and capable and the fact that she is the mother of thirteen children, all of whom she raised to manhood and womanhood, does not seem to have diminished her good disposition or shortened her days.

Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch stand exceptionally high in the estimation of their neighbors where they have spent fifty pleasant and profitable years.

Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch represent the old fashioned type of pioneer citizens to whose thrift and aggressiveness this county owes its present prosperity. They raised a big, happy family, this being the richest heritage any person or persons can leave to a community, and in the evening of their lives they can sit contentedly and feel that they have done their duty, that their life has been well spent and that they have earned the reward that will come to them when their Maker feels that their mission here on earth has been fulfilled.

From Biophile of Eva Lois Cook - Entry 12 APR 1946 (2)

**MRS. HOWARD CRESS
DIES AT IRVING HOME**

Resided in Bost Hill
Vicinity Many Years

Mrs. Nora Upchurch Cress, life-long resident of this county, died at eleven o'clock yesterday morning at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Downs, in Irving. Although Mrs. Cress had not been in good health for the past year or more she was able to be up and about and was in apparently good health at the time she retired Saturday night. During the night she was stricken with paralysis and was seriously ill for several hours. Mrs. Cress was 68 years old.

Nora Upchurch was a daughter of E. H. and Mary (Yenny) Upchurch and was born in Irving township on September 18, 1874. She grew to womanhood in that community and in 1896 was united in marriage to Howard Cress, member of a pioneer family of the Bost Hill community. All their married life they resided on a farm east of Hillsboro. Mr. Cress died suddenly in March of 1932. Following his death Mrs. Cress continued to reside on the farm and it was only during the last year that she left the farm to make her home with her daughter.

Besides her daughter she is survived by an only son, Oren (Pete) Cress of Hillsboro, who at the present time is a patient at the U. S. Veterans hospital at Wadsworth, Kansas. There are three grandchildren, Jeanne, Jack, and

Joe Cress, all of Hillsboro.

Mrs. Cress is also survived by the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Kathryn Buttweiler and Mrs. Myrtle Gordon, who reside in California; Mrs. Joyce Thalgott of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; Mrs. Lulu Wange and Mrs. George Graham of St. Louis; Mrs. Maude Thumb, Mrs. Lola Burk and Mrs. Alice Downs, all of Irving; and Lee Upchurch, who resides near Irving.

Besides her husband she was preceded in death by two sisters and a brother, Mrs. Belle Thalgott, Mrs. Margaret Bunton and Harold Upchurch.

Mrs. Cress was a charter member of the Royal Neighbor lodge of Irving and for twenty years had served as a marshal in the lodge. She was a member of the Eastern Star lodge and of the American Legion Auxiliary.

When she was a girl she became a member of the Presbyterian church of Irving, but when moving to the Bost Hill community she transferred her membership to the Bost Hill Lutheran church. She took an active interest in the Lutheran church and Bost Hill and belonged to the various societies of the church.

Funeral services will be held at 11:30 o'clock tomorrow morning from the Welge Funeral Chapel in this city with the Rev. Clifford Larson of Irving and the Rev. Ezra Keller of Hillsboro officiating. Interment will be made in Bost Hill cemetery.

Her son arrived in Hillsboro this afternoon from Wadsworth, Kansas.

Copied for Biophile of Eva u

Died Monday



MRS. MARY UPCHURCH

Mrs. Mary Lucretia Upchurch of Irving, widow of E. H. Upchurch, died Monday afternoon, April 3, at 4:20 o'clock, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Fred Burke, near Irving. She died on the 30th anniversary of her birth. The last illness of Mrs. Upchurch began on Christmas Day, 1932, when she suffered a stroke of paralysis from the effects of which she never recovered. Her health gradually declined, and for some weeks before her death her condition was grave and she continued to grow weaker, until the end came last Monday.

Mrs. Upchurch was the only child of the late Christopher Yenny and Elizabeth H. (Walcher) Yenny. Her father was a native of Germany and her mother of North Carolina. At the time of the birth of their only child they were living in a small town where they had opened the first building house ever conducted there after the town was started. Their daughter, Mary Lucretia, was born in Litchfield April 3, 1871, and died exactly eighty years after her children's sorrow in their loss being all the greater in that it occurred on her birthday date, which had always signified a happy time in their family life and gatherings previously.

Mr. and Mrs. Yenny, the parents of Mrs. Upchurch, moved from Litchfield to a farm east of Irving, when she was ten years old, and they continued to live in that neighborhood sending their daughter to Sunnyside school for her education.

Married At 18

She was united in marriage February 9, 1871, at the age of 18 with Esau Hazeltine Upchurch, who was also a native of North Carolina, and at their marriage, was a young farmer. Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch spent their married life in a farming community, near Irving, where Mr. Upchurch owned a farm which later was sold to John Huc. They remained on the farm until August, 1923, when advanced age compelled them to give up active work and they went to make their home with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cress. Mr. Upchurch's health declined and he died several months after, on February 16, 1924. After her husband's death, Mrs. Upchurch lived in Irving, until a few weeks ago when she was taken to the home of her daughter, where she died.

Mother of Thirteen

Thirteen children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch, eleven of whom survive the parents, who through the ordeal, in old age, of being compelled to give up two of their children in one year, the child, the oldest and youngest, died in 1918.

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Fluenza, during the 1918 epidemic of that year. They were Margaret, the wife of Scott Buntin, of Hillsboro, and Harold, who died in Rolla, Kansas, leaving his young bride to whom he had been married only eight days. The surviving children are Belle, the wife of Fred Thalgott, of St. Louis, who is gravely ill, so that it is feared she cannot recover; Ulysses, the widow of Howard Cress, of Irving; Maude, who became the wife of Ralph Thamb of Irving, seven weeks ago; Joyce, the widow of Henry Thalgott, of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida; Lola, the wife of Fred Burke of Irving; Myrtle, the wife of John Peter, of Los Angeles;

Estella, the wife of George G. of St. Louis; Lou, the wife of E. Wauge, of St. Louis; Katherine, the wife of Ed Buttweiler, of Los Angeles, California; Alice, the wife of Willis Downs, of Irving, and R. Lee Upchurch, of Coffeen. Fifteen grandchildren, and fourteen great-grandchildren also survive.

A Day That Left Memories

On February 9, 1921, Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch reached their golden wedding anniversary, and the event was made the occasion for a celebration and family reunion, by their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren, one of those red letter days in the history of a family which are appreciated at the time, and which are carried in memory as

the years go on, by both old and young, with more and more pleasant recollections, and which, even at a time of sorrow, such as the present, are tenderly recalled, as the members of the family are gathered together. The golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch was such an event, thirty-two of the family gathering at their home for a family reunion and gladdening the hearts of the old couple by the attentions showered upon them. The children enjoy recalling, in spite of grief today, their mother's and their father's pleasure at the large yellow wedding bell over the golden wedding dinner table, and the white wedding cake with its gold ornaments, from a St. Louis caterer, as well as the gold watch and the other mementoes, which the children gave their mother, on her golden wedding day.

Mrs. Upchurch was a woman of unselfish character, whose years were passed in accomplishing quiet, loving deeds for her family and her home, where her interests and sympathies lay. She was a kind and generous neighbor, never too busy or too tired to go to the aid of friends when sickness or sorrow was in their homes. She was a member of the Irving Lutheran church, and was loved and faithful in exemplifying the teachings of her church, in her daily life.

Funeral Wednesday

The funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Howard Cress, one of the daughters. The services were conducted by the Rev. Ezra Keller, pastor of the Hillsboro Lutheran church, and interment was made in Woodside cemetery, east of Irving, where the husband of the deceased lies buried.

This Page from Bufile of Eva Lee Cook - see Entry in APR 1996 Entire Page Copied per Request of Mary Lucretia Yenny.

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Vertical handwritten notes on the right margin, including 'Died Monday' and other illegible characters.

MRS. THALGOTT'S FUNERAL TODAY

Mrs. Clara Belle Thalgot, the wife of Frederick J. Thalgot of St. Louis died at her home there, No. 4116 Shensadoah street, Tuesday morning, April 11, at ten o'clock. Her death occurred eight days after that of her mother, Mrs. E. H. Upchurch of Irving. Mrs. Thalgot passed away without knowing that her mother's death had occurred, as she had been gravely ill for some time, and was never well enough to be told the sad news. The death of Mrs. Thalgot came after an illness of more than a year, from the effects

of cancer, and it had been known for some weeks that she could not recover.

Clara Belle Upchurch, the daughter of Escue H. and Mary Loretta (Yenny) Upchurch was born on a farm near Irving on April 29, 1874. At the time of her death she was 58 years, 11 months and 2 days old. She attended Sunnyside school near her home, and then the Pana high school. She lived in Pana with her grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Yenny, while in high school, and after leaving school, remained in Pana and obtained employment as a clerk in a Pana store. Later she met Fred Thalgot, of Clinton, and in June, 1899, their marriage took place, at the farm home of the parents of the bride, near Irving.

For a number of years, Mr. and Mrs. Thalgot lived in St. Louis, where the former is now manager of the Hydrox Ice Cream Co. Mrs. Thalgot was an active member of the Eastern Star, and rose high in the lodge, during her years as a member. She was interested and active in club work, also, and was a member of several such organizations in St. Louis.

No children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Thalgot, and she leaves, besides her husband, the following sisters, and a brother:

Illinois, the widow of Howard Cress, of Irving; Maude, the wife of Ralph Thumb, of Irving; Joyce, the widow of Henry Thalgot, of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.; Lola, the wife of Fred Burke of Irving; Myrtle, the wife of John Peter, of Los Angeles, California; Estella, the wife of George Gorham, of St. Louis; Lou, the wife of Henry Mauge, of St. Louis; Katherine, the wife of Ed Buttweiler, of Los Angeles, Calif.; Alice, the wife of Willis Downs, of Irving, and R. Lee Upchurch, of Coffeen. A sister, Margaret, the wife of Scott Bunton of Hillsboro, and a brother, Harold, of Rolla, Kansas, died in 1918.

The funeral services were held this afternoon, April 13, at 2 o'clock, p. m., from Alexander Chapel, No. 6175 Delmar Avenue, St. Louis, under the auspices of Polar Star Chapter No. 134, O. E. S., and Phoenix Lodge No. 46, D. of H. Burial was made in a St. Louis cemetery.

Mrs. Howard Cress, of Irving, and Mrs. Ralph Thumb, of Irving, went to St. Louis, Wednesday afternoon, where they were called by the death of their sister, Mr. Fred Thalgot. They remained over today, as the funeral services were held this afternoon, in St. Louis. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Upchurch and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Downs drove to St. Louis this morning, to attend the funeral. — Mr. and Mrs. J. ...

Copied article for profile of CLARA BELLE U

Death Of Mrs. Mary Upchurch

'Night came releasing her from labor—

When a hand from out of darkness

Touched her and she slept.

Impressive funeral services of Mrs. Mary Upchurch were held at the Methodist Episcopal Church after which all that was mortal of this grand old mother in Israel was tenderly conveyed to our Silent City, where, by the side of a devoted husband she now rests in peace.

None ever entered her home without a warm welcome nor left with out feeling the warmth of a genuine hospitality. Disease did not destroy the charm of a kind indulgent disposition, nor old age diminish her unselfish solicitude for her friends and loved ones. She united with the Methodist church in early life and loved to attend its services when health permitted.

At the bed of the dying and watch lifes ebbing tide drifting the loved one slowly, perhaps, but surely into the great ocean of eternity, but when there comes whispering from lips: Though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me." it brings balm to the wounded heart.

The deceased leaves a son and and three sisters, A. C. Upchurch, Tampico, Mexico; Mrs. R. J. Cook of this place; Mrs. W. W. Slaughter, Amarillo; Mrs. Chas. Graham, Dallas, and several relatives to mourn her loss.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. W. E. Harrison and Rev. R. E. Baird at the M. E. Church Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the presence of large number of relatives and friends.

To the broken hearted children and relatives we extend sympathy.

UPCHURCH.

Mrs. Mary Upchurch, age 69 years, fell asleep in Jesus, Feb. 11, 1920, at her home in Hughes Springs, Tex. She was converted in youth, but wandered away from God. The death of one of her children brought her back to God. About twenty years ago she was sanctified under the ministry of Rev. Julian Woodson. Not long ago, Bro. Morrison said something in one of his editorials about making our holiness beautiful. Sister Upchurch had that kind; she lived in the beauty of holiness. Like the Master she "went about doing good." With rare skill and love she nursed the sick; she yearned for the salvation of the sinner; she lifted the fallen. She delighted to be in the company of the deeply spiritual. She literally lived that Scripture which says, "I was hungry, and ye gave me to eat; I was thirsty, and ye gave me drink; I was a stranger, and ye took me in; naked, and ye clothed me; I was sick, and ye visited me; I was in prison, and ye came unto me." After Sister Upchurch's death, one of her daughters found this little poem, left where it would be quickly discovered:

"Some day I shall exchange this world for one;
Where sorrow never comes, nor set of sun;
Where I shall see and know the friends I love,
Who live with Jesus in the Home above.

"Some day without warning I may go,
To be with Christ my Lord, who loves me so.
And angel escorts will descend, on wings of light,
To bear me far beyond this land of night.

"Some day the realms eternal will appear,
And God shall wipe away my last hot tear;
My Lord and friends beloved as of yore,
Will come to greet me on the eternal shore.

"Some day all earthly scenes shall fade from sight,
And I shall enter into realms of light;

↑
COPIED FOR BIOFILE
OF MARY LUCRETIA
REYMAN

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BIOFILE OF
ROMULUS
MADISON U

R. M. Upchurch, Dead

R. M. Upchurch died at his home in Hughes Springs, Texas Wednesday Dec. 21, 1910 aged about sixty eight years. Mr. Upchurch formerly lived in Irving but for the past twenty five years has lived in Texas, he was in Irving some two years ago on a visit and will be remembered by many of the older citizens of this place

Deceased is a son in law of Mrs. Margaret Carriker of Irving and leaves a wife, three daughters and one son.

RESOLUTION OF RESPECT.

Whereas, It has pleased the Grand Master of the universe to call from the lodge below to the Celestial Lodge above our beloved brother R. M. Upchurch, and

Whereas in his death Hughes Springs Lodge No. 671 A. F. & A. M. loses an honored member, The Church a faithful and zealous member and worker, the community an upright honorable citizen, and the family a devoted husband and father.

Therefore be it resolved that while we deplore the loss of our brother, neighbor and friend, that we bow in humble submission to the divine will.

Be it further resolved that we tender to the bereaved wife and children our deepest sympathy in their sad bereavement.

And resolved further that in honor of his memory a copy of these resolutions be spread upon our minutes a copy be furnished the family of the deceased and that a copy be furnished the New Era with request to publish.

Respectfully Submitted
W. A. Callaway }
A. T. Walker } Com.
J. W. Traylor }

BRUNDIDGE & NEELLY
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS AT LAW
SEARGY, ARKANSAS

[BRUNDIDGE & NEELLY]

○ FROM BIOFILE
OF EVA LOIS
COOK - ENTRY
12 APR 1996

August 23, 1943 [AUGUST 23, 1943]

Copy

COPIES MADE FOR Richard Herbert

Re Upchurch

BIOFILES OF
A RICHMOND HERBERT U
A ARTHUR CARIKER U

Mr. Charles F. Bolster
P. O. Box 252
Coyle, Oklahoma

Dear Mr. Bolster:

The following is a list of checks I am enclosing for the Upchurch heirs:

9 heirs Chas H.	✓ No. 655, Myrtle Gordon	111.51	Soundland [TOWNSEND]
	✓ No. 656, Maud Thum	114.91	Clot-felter
	✓ No. 657, Joyce Thalott	114.51	Belle?
	✓ No. 658, Lulu Derster	114.51	
	✓ No. 659, Dillie Gordon Stiles	114.51	
	✓ No. 660, Lola Burke	114.51	
	✓ No. 661, Alice Downs	114.51	
	✓ No. 662, R. Lee Upchurch	114.51	
	✓ No. 663, Ruthyna Battwaller	114.51	
	✓ No. 664, Ida Morgan	258.54	
4 heirs Marian Russell	No. 665, Maud Clover	258.54	
	No. 666, Flora Clover	258.54	
1 heir	No. 667, Lucy Cheever	258.54	
	No. 668, Larkie Upchurch	1054.17	
Mae Upchurch 4 heirs 1 heir	No. 669, A. C. Upchurch	258.54	
	No. 670, Eva Cook	258.54	
	No. 671, Ira Slaughter	258.54	
	No. 672, Mae Graham [Mae]	258.54	
	No. 674, Charles Bolster	1054.17	

1 heir unknown or shown in pencil below
L. Bolster

The total cost of the suit including attorneys fees, taxes and insurance is \$590.00.

I wish you would please acknowledge receipt of these checks, and very greatly oblige.

That \$4⁵⁰ is rent money
Yours very truly,

Harry Neelly

bb/
The court is holding out
\$1034¹⁶ for unknown heirs.
(Chas)

○ In file of Eva Lois Cook - entry 12 APR 1996
[LTR 22 SEP 1945 Arthur Carber U to Eva Lula U]

[RICHMOND HERBERT U] ←

Copy made for Arthur
Carber U & Richmond
Herbert U

Richard Herbert married Bank
Oklahoma City, Okla 9/22/45 -
22 SEP 1945

[EVA LULA U] ←

Dear Eva

I glad to get your letter and
that you made the grounds and
held up so good. Sorry you did not
get to visit Joyce. Sorry Lois is
not well. Guess it was a good
thing you missed the tropical
storm that struck Fla recently.

[JOYCE U] ←
[EVA LOIS COOK] ←

I am enclosing some letters
of interest. Uncle Dees brothers
& sisters received equal amounts
and their children received their
pro rata share of that amount.
Aunt Nancy Uncle Jack and Uncle Sid
having only one heir each; they
received the whole amount while
ours was divided four ways and
Aunt Berches part likewise divided
four ways while Uncle Escooters

[RICHMOND HERBERT U]

[U] ←

[DORCH ANCHILLA U] ←

[ESCUE HAZELTINE U]

NAVY: NANCY WHEELER U

JOSHUA SCIENCE U

THEODORE SIOWET U

² family had to be divided between
 of children. The \$ 4.50 cash
 was your pro-rata part of the
 money collected on the rentals
 of the property between the time
 of Aunt Sarah's death and the
 sale of the property.

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I am feeling fine but Ethel
 has Colitis - Gas - Sinus - Hayfever
 and what have you but keeps
 going & does our washing on
 a washboard.

I work on the yard every
 day. Put 6³/₄ tons of rock
 screenings in our double garage
 & driveway after taking about
 that amount of dirt out of it.
 Just finished scattering four
 yards of black dirt in the
 yard. We had a good rain last
 night. Olga came home feeling bad
 yesterday. Susie is private Secy.

OLGA?
 SUSIE?

←

Buddy ?

←

3/ for an insurance man, with office in First Natl Bank building and is taking an advanced course two nights a week at a business college. Buddy & his family are all well & working hard on their place. We carried home about a bushel of pairs from their place a week ago. They are selling a lot of eggs every day & sold garden truck as long as it lasted. → Ethel's mother & father are about the same as usual. We are going to visit them next month.

Lots of love to all
Arthur

○ In Profile of Eva Lee Cook - Entry 12 APR 1996
[LTR 9 AUG 1945 Arthur Carikes U Et Eva Lula U]

Copy made for Profiles of
Arthur Carikes U + Richmond
Herbert U]

[EVA LULA U]

Oklahoma City 8/9/45

9 AUG 1945

← Dear Eva:

Glad to get your cards and
letter. Was waiting for the correct
address which you never gave
until you wrote the letter.

Glad you are enjoying your
visit so much. I am enclosing
a letter from Joyce one of Uncle
Breutes daughters who lives at
Ft. Patterson. If you and
Mary could visit her it
would be a pleasure to all.

The Aik property sold July 27
and brought \$13,000.00.

Our share is \$270.83 unless our
pro-rata part of costs is deducted
from that figure. We should get
our money in a short time

→ Larkin Upchurch was there
when the sale was made

JOYCE

[MARY MAURINE COOK]

² I quit work July 1st. just was
 out. Enjoying being home.
 Have our yard looking nice.
 The hay fever is about to get
 the best of Ethel. The last
 few days have been cool and
 pleasant in the morning.
 Buddy and Marjorie have been
 bringing us Cantaloupes. Tomatoes
 Okra - peaches etc and an
 occasional pound of butter.
 Our tree was loaded with peaches
 this year. We bought 2 bu that
 came from Castor Tex. Ethel canned
 them. Have not heard from
 May since last May. Will
 send your letter to her.
 Olga works for the Govt in Internal
 Revenue office & Susie is private
 Secy to an Insurance executive.
 Billy Gene will be home next
 month. He has not been in

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BUDOT & MARJORIE

ELLA MAY U

OLGA ?

SUSIE ?

BILLY GENE ?

³
Combat for the last month.

I am so glad you are
able to keep going like you
do. Sorry you have had so
much trouble with your teeth.

Lots of love to all.

Arthur

○ In Biopole of Eva Lore Cook - Entry 12 APR 1996

ELTR 22 MAR 1945 Arthur Carter U to Eva Julia U

Copies made for
Biopole of Arthur Carter U
& Delmond Herbert U

Oklahoma City, Okla 3/22/45

22 MAR 1945

Dear Eva: [EVA LULA U]

- Charlie Bolster of Larkin Upchurch went to Bald Knob, Ark with me. We got back today. All of Aunt Sarah's buildings are in a pretty bad state. It would be an expensive proposition to put them in good condition; therefore we decided to go to a minimum expense of repairing roofs damaged by a recent hail storm and sell the property as it is. There being no indebtedness against the property an administrator will be unnecessary. we have
- retained the services of Mr. Harry Neely, attorney at law to look after our interests. Aunt Sarah's Nieces & Nephews are having him look after their interests also.
- Due to the fact that we may not be able to locate Aunt Emily whose first husband was a Satterlee and after his death she married a Smith: We have decided to bring suit against all unknown heirs in order to quiet the title. The court will then publish the sale for a certain length of time as required by law and sell the property to the highest bidder -
- We will have the privilege of buying the property

in case we feel it would be sold for less than it should bring and Frank Bolster, Coyle, etc will be there to do this. It will be necessary for you to write to him direct authorizing him to act for you.

Due to the favorable location of this property we feel that it should bring \$10,000.00 or possibly more. Our part will be half less the expenses incurred which will not be a great deal if all of us cooperate and sign the enclosed document and have it notarized and mail direct to Mr. Neelly. The sooner this is done the better.

-> Ethel left to visit her folks the day I left.

I am expecting her back this afternoon.

We are as usual. Hope you are all ok as much as can be expected.

-> Glad Chas has had the luck he has with his oil wells. Lots of love to all.

Arthur

NOTE: I = original; II on back of I. III was made from I.

RPU CONCLUSION:

- Δ A. Arthur Cariker U
- Δ B Eva Lula U
- Δ C Ina U
- Δ D Ella May U

Copies made for profiles of each of these four



Arthur, Eva, Ina & May
 Graham, Cook, Sleight
 Upchurch
 brothers & sisters
 When Uncle Arthur Upchurch was writing from Tampico, Mex. one time



Info
Already
in hand
R.H.H.
3 FEB 1948

13 children in
all - including

Nora U. born b. 1874
d. 1932 mtd 1896

Belle U. Thalgett
Margaret Burton U.
Harold U.

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[NOT TRUE - R.H.H.]

Lindsey Upchurch - Born in England
Married Luisa Emily Vesimore Jones from Scotland
They had nine children:

1 child

1. Theodore Sidney Upchurch (Ted)
2. Josuhua Science Upchurch
3. Escue Hazeltine (Scooter) Upchurch
4. Romulus Madison (Mac) Upchurch
(our Grandfather)
5. Richmond Herbert (De) Upchurch
6. Nancy Wheeler Upchurch (Nanny)
7. Dorch Ancilla Upchurch
8. Polly Lucretia (Poll) Upchurch
9. Mary Mandi (Mary) Upchurch

1841
1843

Katherine's father

married
Mary
Yenny

married Mary Lucretia Robinson

1 child
Reins

in Franklin Co.

This family lived near Frankfort, North Carolina and all the children were born there. Lindsey Upchurch had a plantation and slaves and breded rach horses in North Carolina. After the Civil War, the family moved to Illinois, (Irving). Bought a farm. Grandfather worked for railroad.

[NOT TRUE - R.H.H.]

There was a Tom Upchurch who was a nephew of Lindsey Upchurch; there were two brothers who came over with Lindsey from England. Tom was the son of one of them. The two other brothers stayed in North Carolina and did not move to Illinois.

Tom wrote a book, "The Story of My life" by Thomas Benton Upchurch, published by Oxford Orphanage Press of Oxford, North Carolina. He was in the lumber business when he married in 1889. He went into business with his two brothers, James Curtis & William Joseph. W.J. lived in Thomasville, Georgia when he died in 1933. James Curtis was still living when the book was written (no date when the book was written).

Thomas Benton lived in Raeford, N. C., had 6 living children and owned farms, and the Hoke Oil & Fertilizer Company. One son-in-law was General Manager of the Upchurch Milling & Storage Company. (H.A. Cameron)

Mrs. Thomas Benton Upchurch wrote a book, "Three Score & Ten" published in 1937 by the same press - Oxford Orphanage, Oxford, N. C.

The first part (black ink) Katheryn told me; the rest I got from the books she gave me to read.

This is not ver

Mr. Neal Carrington Sam M.

286-7069

1405 Capital Ave

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UPCHURCH FAMILY

[BY: EVA LOES (COOK) POLLARD]

The earliest known family members of the Upchurch family in Hughes Springs was Romulus Madison Upchurch and his wife Mary Lucrecia Rebman Upchurch. They moved to Texas in 1877 from Irving, Illinois. After several moves in Texas they settled in Hughes Springs about 1888.

My Grandfather, Romulus Madison Upchurch, was a railroad engineer in Illinois, and in Hughes Springs.

Grandfather Upchurch was born in 1842 on a plantation near Frankfort, ¹⁸⁷⁰North Carolina. He died in 1910 in Hughes Springs, Texas.

Grandmother Upchurch was born in Irving, Illinois in 1872, and died in Hughes Springs, Texas in 1920. Both grandparents are buried in Hughes Springs, Texas.

My Grandmother's mother was Margaret Hefley. She came to the United States from Germany. Margaret Hefley's mother was Tabitha Wulchen from Germany. Dates and other information of these ancestors ^{are} ~~is~~ unknown.

About 1888 Grandfather Upchurch bought their home on Cook Hill in Hughes Springs, Texas. The house had previously been owned by a family named Driver.

his may use d the family story
My mother was sixteen when her family moved into the rambling victorian house on Cook Hill in Hughes Springs, Texas. Grandfather bought a dapple grey pony and a sidesaddle for his sixteen year old daughter. Grandmother Upchurch made a red riding habit for her with a hat to match. Mother told me this with much pride. Dad laughingly said, "That's when I became interested in that Upchurch girl!"

Romulus Madison Upchurch and Mary Lucretia Rebman Upchurch had four children who moved to Hughes Springs with them.

Uncle Arthur Upchurch and my mother Eva Lula Upchurch Cook were born in Illinois before the family moved to Texas. Aunt Ina Upchurch Slaughter was probably born in Illinois.

Aunt May Upchurch Graham was born near Avenger, Texas just before the family moved to Hughes Springs in 1888.

□+□ Uncle Arthur was buried in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. He lived in Tampico, Mexico and Oklahoma City. He worked for an Oil Company. He was married twice, but had no children.

□+□ Aunt Ina Upchurch Slaughter lived in Mt. Pleasant, Texas after she married. □□□□ Her husband was editor of the Mt. Pleasant newspaper. After his death she moved □+□ to California where her son Marion Slaughter lived. She died and is buried in California □+□ There was also a daughter by that marriage: Edith Slaughter who married Le Wallace □ and lived in Mt. Pleasant and then moved to Waco, Texas where she died. The dates are uncertain.

□+□ Aunt May Upchurch married Mr. Charles Graham, an electrical engineer from □+□ Dallas. They had two children; Frank Graham and Rena Mildred Graham. They both married but had no children. Other information is uncertain.

□+□+□ My Mother, Eva Lula Upchurch Cook, and father's children are given in detail on the page titled Cook Family History on page one (1) under Names of Children, their spouses and their children.

□+□ The parents of Grandfather ^{R.M.} Upchurch were Lindsey Upchurch, who was from England □+□+□ and Luisa Emily ~~Vesimore~~ Jones Upchurch who was from Scotland. They were married □+□ in 1832. The dates of births and deaths are unknown. They lived on a plantation □ near ^{Franklin Co.} ~~Franklin~~, North Carolina where they had slaves before the Civil War and he □+□ bred race horses. After the Civil War two sons moved to Irving, Illinois. They □ bought a farm and Grandfather Upchurch worked on the railroad.

□+□+□ Lindsey Upchurch and his wife had nine (9) children. They were: Theodore □+□+□ Sidney (Ted), Josuhua Science, Escue Hazeltine (Scooter), Romulus Madison, (Mac) □+□+□+□ my grandfather, Richard Herbert ^{De} (De), Nancy Wheeler (Nanny), Dorch Ancella, Polly □+□ Lucretia (Poll), and Mary Mandi.

UPCHURCH Locations in Durham, Wake and Chatham Counties, N. C. ✓ (19)
December 1977

1. Penda ^{Upchurch} 3914 Fayetteville Road
2. Donah " 4004 Fayetteville Road -
3. Murray " 4020 Fayetteville Road -
4. Berea Baptist Church
5. P. H. Massey home
6. Massey's Chapel Church
7. George Winston Upchurch
8. O'Kelly's Chapel
9. Mt. Pisgah Church
10. Marthe's Chapel
11. H. O. Kelly
12. Murray Upchurch -
13. John B. Mills
14. Olive Chapel
15. I. Paschall Upchurch
- 15-A. Sims Upchurch
16. Matthew Upchurch
17. Isham ^{Sims} Upchurch - Both sides of Wake & Chatham County line
18. Green Level Church
19. Franklin P. Upchurch -
20. Salem Baptist Church
21. Upchurch Station
22. Gilbert Upchurch - Charles Franklin Up. Lives here now -
(Son of PATMAN)
23. John Lee Upchurch, Sr.
24. Upchurch Museum

Information gathered by Donnah and Oliver Upchurch - Durham, N. C.

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NOTE: PG 19420 IS PRESUMED TO HAVE
BEEN SENT TO RPU IN SUBSTANCE
BY WEST IN 1975-1980 ERA - RPU

2744 McDowell Street
Durham, N. C. 27705
6 February 1978

Dear Mrs. Pollard,

We are indebted to Donah and Oliver Upchurch for the enclosed map of the sections of Wake, Chatham and Durham Counties which contain the UPCHURCH families old home places and current homes.

Several years ago I conceived the idea of cutting counties on their county lines, fitting them together in order to see at a glance where we are. Donah and Oliver, sons of my cousin Penda Upchurch took this one further and had the map cut small enough to Xerox. The original one is in red ink and is easier to make out, but of course Xeroxing had to be in all black.

I hope you and your sister have been in good health this winter.

You have probably heard that North Carolina has had its bad weather and some sections were without electricity. We were more fortunate here. All of my power for everything is electric but we were without only a few hours.

I did have a couple of large pines go down and the yard is littered with small branches and some large ones from a more recent wind storm. I have gotten old enough to be able to see all this litter and close the curtains and decided to wait until settled weather to start cleaning. The trees had to be sawed in lengths and two of my neighbors took them for firewood. I would like an open fire but have no one to look after ~~after~~ wood so am content with electric heaters in addition to the furnace.

Mr. R. P. Upchurch was glad to hear from you. His enthusiasm never seems to wear thin. He is due to come through N. C. soon on his way to Washington on business. He also has a son at Duke University, here in Durham.

I can realize that not very much is revealed by numbers on the map, and you would like to know more about the present owners of the named places. I expect to work to get information about these places and will make copies of this information.

I talked with Mrs. Britt today to find if she knew whether you were in Texas - at home. She thinks so. She reported some sinus trouble.

Until later then

Sincerely

Belle

Belle Lewter West

From Biopile of Eva Lois Cook - Entry 12 APR 1996

I. Richard W, III - Head of Clan

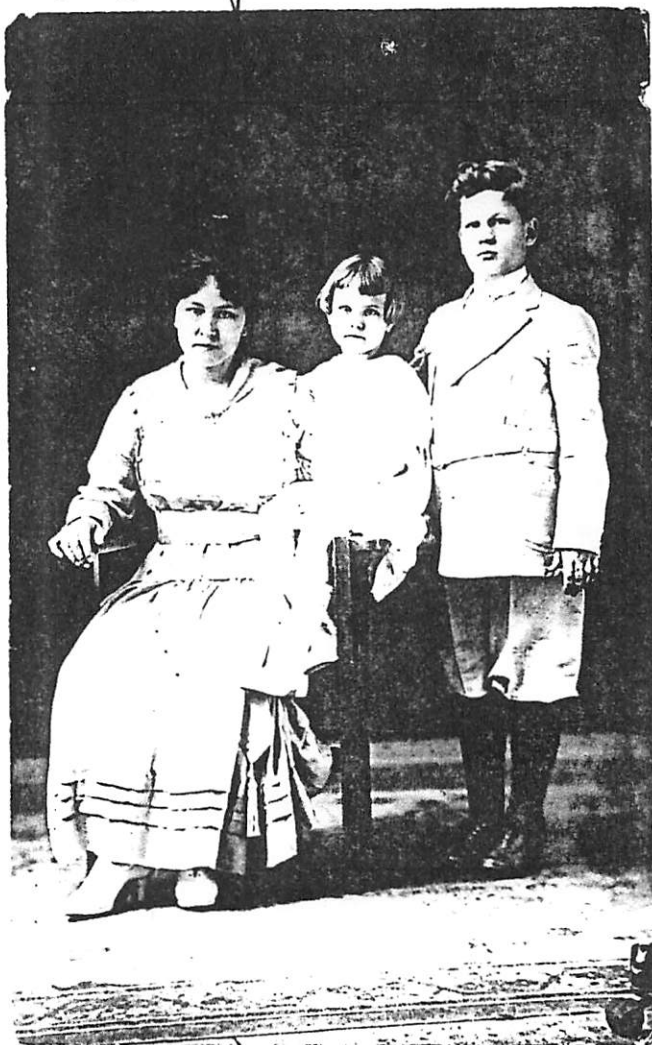
A. Son U

i. Lindsey U

a. Romulus
Madison U

i. ELLA MAY U

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3 in Pictorial



A C B

ON BACK (22)

Am glad you have those con-
sumptions ~~at~~ ^{at} your house
Know you must have had a
hard time cleaning up ^{to see you}
can get some good tenants room.
Jessie and Dorothy are in Denver.
Had a card from her yesterday.
Jessie and Mr. Conly are doing
so well now. They have their
little place fixed up, so nice.
Eunice keeps everything so clean.
Eunice's baby is a most beautiful
child. It is cooler now and we are
all feeling better. M. & children

TRPU ASSUMES:

- Δ A = ELLA MAY U
- Δ B = FRANK GRAM
- Δ C = RENA MILOAI
GRAMHAM
- & PHOTO TAKEN
ABOUT 1918
- D = JESSIE ?
- E = DORTNY ?
- F = MR CONLY ?
- G = EUNICE ?
- H = CHILD OF
EUNICE

→ ELLA MAY U - RPU

○ From Biograph of Eva Lee Cook - Entry 12 APR 1996 ✓

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on Book "Arthur Upchurch"

[ARTHUR CARIKER U]



on back: "Marion Slaughter"
[MARION ARTHUR SLAUGHTER]
↳ COPY MADE FOR HIS BIOFILE

COPY MADE FOR
DIOFELÉ OF
EFFIE W



ON BACK: "Effie Upchurch
- Daughter of Uncle Bee and
Aunt Sarah"

From Biopile of Eva Fair Cook - Entry 12 APR 1996

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ON BACK: "Uncle Gust Reisman & wife - Irving, IL"

NOTE: PRESUME GUS REISMAN
IS BROTHER OF MARY
LUCRETIA REISMAN WND
MD ROMULUS MADISON U - RPU)

↳ SON OF LINDSEY U, GS OF SIMON U,
GGS OF RICHARD U, III - HEAD OF CLAN.

From Biopill of Eva Linn Cook - Entry 12 APR 1996

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Larkin Upchurch

Goodnight

Coy.

1882

○ From Biofile of Eva Lois Cook - Entry 12 APR 1996 ✓

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I. Eva Estelle W of
the Richard W, III
Sloan W Subdan
- Lindsey W Line
Δ A. Edyth Clea
Slaughter

[COPY MADE FOR
HER BIOFILE]



[ID of Eva photo
from It's 3 MAY
1996 Eva Lois
Cook to APR:

"She is my 1st cousin
Edyth Clea Slaughter
Wallace, and she was
more beautiful than
the photo"

○ From Biofile of Eva
Joia Cook - Entry
12 APR 1996



✓
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③D ON BACK:

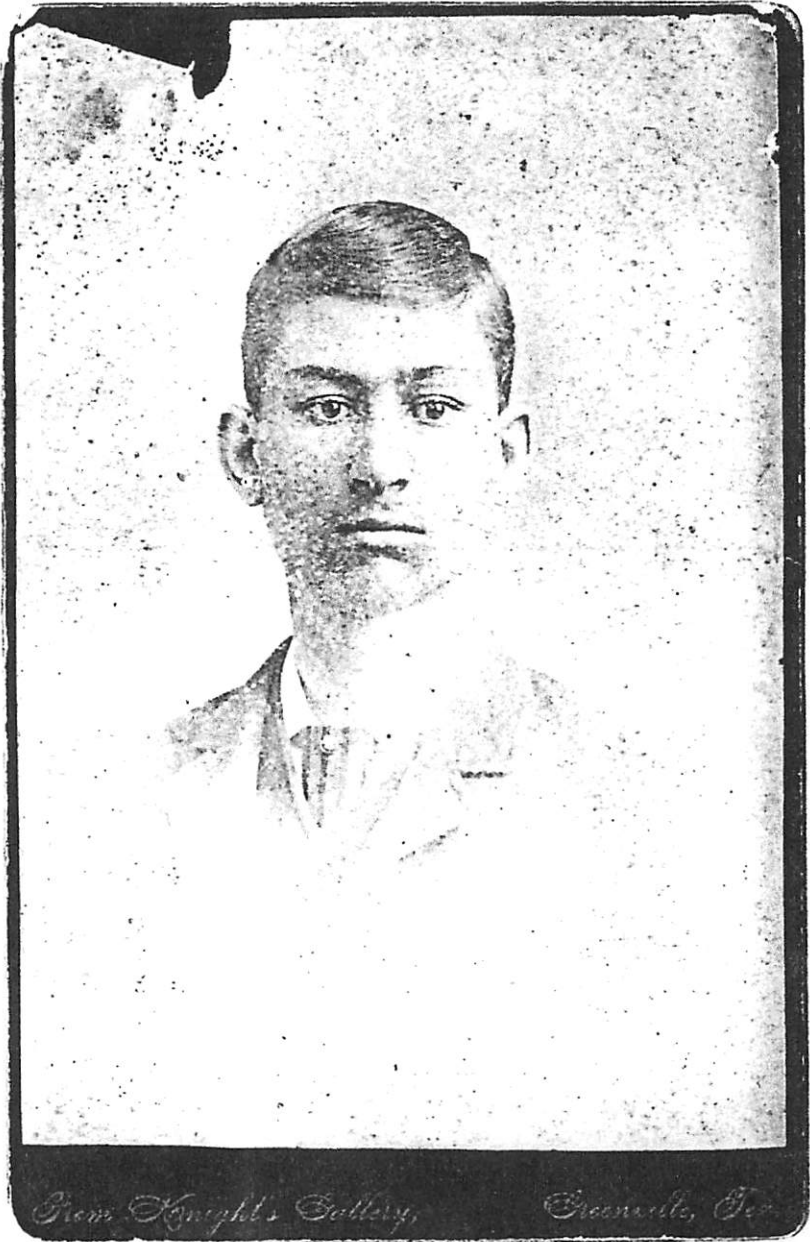
Ina & Will Slaughter
Cousins

△ INA ESTELLE U
△ WILLIAM WILBURN SLAUGHTER

[MADE COPIES FOR
BIOFILES OF BOTH]

Ina Upchurch Slaughter
daughter of R. M. Upchurch
and
husband Will Slaughter.

from
Mrs. C. O. Pollard
Box 85
Little Switzerland
N. C. 28749



ON BACK: "ARTHUR UPCHURCH
 Brother of Eva L. Upchurch Cook"

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○ From Biopile of Eva Lora Cook - Entry 12 APR 1996 ✓

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PG 32 ↓

ON BACK:

Arthur & wife
Dads nephew.

Arthur C. Upchurch - Son
of R. M. Upchurch
and
wife Elmer Fisher.

COPY MADE FOR BOTH BIODFILES

from

Mrs. C. O. Pollard
Box 85
Little Switzerland
N. C. 28749

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On Back: ARTHUR WPCHEKCH

COPY MADE FOR BIOFILE

○ From Biofile of
Eva Lou Cook
- ENDY, 12 APR 1996

△ A. ROMULUS MARISON U

△ B. EVA LULA U

△ C. INEZ FISHER

△ D. ARTHUR CAREKER U

△ E. ELLA MAY U

△ F. MARY LUGRETIA REBMAN

△ G. INA ESTELLE U

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BIOFILES OF EACH
OF ABOVE (RM)



A B C D E F G

ON BACK: (PG 36)

The M. Upchurch family.
Mary Upchurch
Arthur C. Upchurch and Elizabeth
Eva Lula Upchurch (Mrs. T. J. Cook)
Ina Upchurch (Mrs. Will Slaughter)
Mary Upchurch (Mrs. Chas. W. Rebman)

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R. P. WPCURCH
2013 ~~MILWAUKEE~~ ~~QUINTO~~
1979
TULSON, AZ 85718



Letters

MRS C. O. POLLARD
1123 POWERS DRIVE
TYLER, TEXAS 75701

Answered
Jan 19, 1980

~~1979~~
1840

1979
1979
1880
1900

1946
1958

1980
1953
227

1960
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Grandmother -

- 1. Mae W. Arkham - born in Aringer Tex
- 2. "The Story of my Life"
- 3. Evalea B. Sp. IAD _____ in H. Spgs, Married in H. Spgs - Ark - all children born in Springfield Ark. Imma V. Slaughter, b. Sp, Ark - married in Pitt Tex died in Los Angeles Calif. Mae married in Dallas Tex. Died there. Arthur - married in Pittsburg Tex. 1st time
- 4. C in Arthur Parriker
No middle names
Uncle Arthurs 2nd wife?
Jefferson
Ascar.

Ella Mae

↳ ELLA MAE 4

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

Lois Pollard
PO Box 85
Little Switzin NC 28743-0085



Post-Marked

18 SEP 1995

Phillips -
This information
may be of interest and
important in making your
plans to Cass Co. Texas.

My grandfather, Remulus
Madison, settled in Hughes
Springs, Cass Co. 25 miles from
Atlanta, T. X.

I wonder if he is
connected to the
Upchurches.

Lois C. Pollard

Sept. 15 '95

Clipped for Biopiler of Romulus Madison U & Mary Lucretia Belman
Page 142

△ Romulus Madison Upchurch
Cast Co, Texas

A Romulus Madison (masc) and his
△ wife Mary Lucretia Belman Upchurch
- moved to Texas in 1877 from Irving

△+□ Illinois. His parents were, Lindsey
□ Upchurch from England and Luisa
- Emily Vesemore Jones from Scotland

□+□ They were married in 1832. Their
- dates of birth and death are unknown.

□+□ Lindsey and Emily lived on a plantation
□+□ near Franklin, N.C. where they owned

□ slaves before the Civil war and he
- bred race horses. After the Civil war

△+ two sons, R.M. and . . . they moved to

□+□ Irving Ill. They bought a farm there

□ but R.M. worked on the railroads

□ Lindsey Upchurch had nine

□ children. They were, Theodore Sidney (Ted),

□+□ Joshua Science, Esau Hageltine (Scott),

△ Romulus Madison (masc), Richard Herbert,

□+□ Dee), Nancy Wheeler (Nanny), Dorah

□+□ Anella, Polly Lucretia, Rob, and Mary

- Mandi.

□ Mary Lucretia's (wife of R.M. U.) mother was

+ Margaret Hefley from Germany. Her mother was

Jalitha Welch from Germany, no other information.

△ After several moves in Texas, Romulus

- Madison (masc.) settled in Hughes Springs in

△+△ 1888. He and wife Mary Lucretia's first home

was in the home of Dr. Ray whose wife died leaving him with four young children. He asked Mae and Mary to move in with him and help care for his family. This more helped both families and all became life long friends. When the families separated Mae and Mary bought the Dr. Ray's home on Cook Hill which is known as the Upchurch home. It still stands and looks just as it was when Mary Lucretia died there in 1920.

Romulus M. and Mary Lucretia had four children. Arthur Upchurch, Eva Lula Upchurch, ~~Good~~, Inez Slaughter born in Ill. Mae M. Graham born in Aringer, T. K.

Romulus Madison Upchurch and Mary Lucretia Upchurch are buried in the Hughes Springs Cemetery. Their graves are well marked and easy to locate.

R. M. Upchurch died in 1910. Mary Lucretia died in 1920. Both are buried in Hughes Springs, Cass Co Texas.



Lois C. Pollard
P.O. Box 85
Little Switzerland, NC 28749-0085

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Little Switzerland N.C.
Sept 13 1995

Dear Phillip

REC'D
18 SEP
1995

I have just received the No. 3 vol. 16 Bulletin and have read it with much interest, especially your two week tour of Texas in the fall. Your tour to Atlanta Texas is just about 20 miles from Hughes Springs where Romulus Madison Upchurch lived. Mary Forbes and I were born there and grew up. He and his wife, Mary Lucretia (Rebman) are buried there and their home is still there and in good shape. It is located on Cork Hill, in your files you should have a picture of it and of him and his brothers. R. M. U. was our grand father when you came to San Antonio plan one day with with me, I will get all my Upchurch history and information ^{together} if you may want to see. Also if my daughter, Betty Adams, and I can help in your scheduling let us know. Mary Forbes will do the same from Georgetown, Texas. Below are our addresses

Mary Forbes
1501 E. 15th St.
Georgetown, TX 78626

Betty P. Adams
37 Longford St.
San Antonio, TX 78209

Lois Pollard
311 Nottingham Dr. #24
San Antonio TX 78209

When you were here this summer I asked if there was any record of ~~that~~ ~~was~~ ~~any~~ record of service during the Revolution, on page 1 of the 5th paragraph states Michel 111 enlisted Feb. 11, 1778 as a private etc, and received 2 pounds a month for his service. Do you think this record could qualify a descendant for a member of D.A.R.? My daughter and granddaughters are interested and there may be others also interested.

I hope you can make some sense of this messy letter. At any rate you know we are looking forward to your visit!

My best

Lais Pullard

EVA LOIS COOK

XIO-1154

MICHAEL ENTERPRISES
P. O. BOX 387
Wentzville, MO 63385



23 AUG 1995

MRS C. O. POLLARD
PO Box 85
LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749

Dear Cousin Lois,

Thanks for your letter of 7 AUG 1995 and for the \$25.00 for the copy of the bound UB for 1995. It will be available in NOV or DEC and will be sent to you at your Texas address.

I am most pleased that you are doing some advance work on possibilities for our upcoming trip to Texas. I will look forward to corresponding with Mary and to working with her. An extra copy of your letter has been placed in my "Texas Trip Working File" so I can use it as plans are made. I'll be in touch with Mary in due course.

Right now the prospects for the trip look very good. There is one court case in California at about the same time that requires my attention and that has to be taken into consideration.

We enjoyed our trip most and drove 4000 miles in the process. It was a fast-paced trip and in the future it would be better not to be so rushed.

It seems you have made a very nice recovery from your recent medical problems. We continue in good health although I am in the process of having a crown placed on one of my teeth. All the fitting has now been done and the final crown is to be installed on 5 SEP 1995.

Our current high priority is to produce issue 3 of the 1995 U.B. It looks like we will be on schedule with this one. This is a good feeling since we have been about a month late with the last three issues.

Sallaine and I had a very nice trip to the farm yesterday. We have several improvement projects underway. One of our farm operators insisted we stay for lunch and we did. The wife (Mrs SCHROED) is an excellent cook and we had a great meal.

With All Best Wishes

☺ Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

EVA LOIS COOK

XIO-1154

REC'D
19 AUG 1995

Little Switzerland N.C.
Aug. 7 '95

Mrs C O Pollard
P O Box 85
Ltl Swtzzland NC 28749

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I enjoy your
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near Phillip and Salaine -
Lake St. Lewis Mo.

I'm sure you enjoyed your trip to your old "Stamping Grounds" in Ar. and to see your daughter in N.V. She may be waiting for you when you get back to Mo. After reading of all the places and things you did on your trip to N.C. and through Tennessee, I felt so honored you dropped by to see me. I really enjoyed your short visit and am looking forward to your Texas visit.

I have recovered from my hip surgery and I'm back to normal. I go for my final check up this afternoon.

Rachad and Larry Smith from Apex are up here now and give a glowing report of the lecture in Lebanon and your visit to Apex. Perhaps some fall all of us can see on the mountain to see the fall colors!

The main purpose of this letter is to give you some information to help you plan your trip to Texas this summer.

I talked to my sister Mary Forbes who lives in Georgetown Tex. which is a lovely old town in the center of the state, close to Austin (20 miles), Lockhart, and Lavaca County. She suggests you make your headquarters there and she will be so happy to be your guide and hostess. She is such an outgoing and lovely person, very active and knows all that section. She was so excited you are coming to Texas. She has two great sons, a lawyer in Austin and an accountant in Kerrville, Texas. All of them are anxious to meet you and assist you in any way

Georgetown has a nice La Quinta Motel but Marys
home is open all the time. She is just across
the street of South western University. She will come
to San Antonio when you come there as she and
Betty know the City so well.

We are not trying to monopolize your time
not plan your trip but hope to be of help in your
plans and save you time etc.

Marys address is -

Mrs. Mary Forbes
1501 E 15th St.
Georgetown, Tx 78626

Phone - 512-863-3529

Keep us on your list and itinerary to Texas.

Enclosed is a check ^{for} the bound volume
or whatever needed.

\$25 enclosed

Sincerely

Lois Pollard -

EVA LOIS COOK
MICHAEL ENTERPRISES
P. O. BOX 387
Wentzville, MO 63385

XID-1154

24 JUL 1995

LOIS POLLARD
BOX 85
LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749

Dear Cousin Lois,

Thanks for your card which arrived 18 JUL 95.
We were pleased to hear from you but sorry
to learn that you had a bad fall. It is
nice to know that you are doing well
and that you are back at home.
The card you sent is very attractive. Some-
day we want to visit the Blue Ridge
Mountains when they are in color.

Early tomorrow we leave for a 9
day driving trip to AZ to participate
in the Advisory Board for the Desert
Legume Program. We will return by way
of NV where will visit our daughter and
her family and see their new home.

I am still catching up on the NC/TN
trip - and looking forward to the TX
trip.
☺ Sincerely yours,
Phil W. Church
[ROBERT PHILIP W. CHURCH]

EVA LOIS COOK

XID- 7154

Box 95 Little Switzerland NC 28749

A panorama of color surrounds the Blue Ridge Parkway on a cool, crisp, autumn day.

Dear Elaine & Philip Photo by: Bill Tuttle

A few days after you were here I fell and broke my hip. I had surgery and it's finally put in. That is the reason you haven't heard from me. I returned home from hospital Sunday P.M. and doing fine. I have no pain and all done and back to normal.

It was such a delight to have you for a short visit. Plan a longer time with Betty, Mary and me, when you come to Texas.

The Larry Smith's have been here and gave a report of your visit. I'm glad your trip East was a success and worthwhile.

I will be back in San Antonio Oct pt. Looking forward to future visits.

My very best.

Lois Pollard

KEEP NORTH CAROLINA CLEAN & BEAUTIFUL



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Dear Cousin Lois,

This is just a note to thank you for your advanced order for the bound 1st for 1993 and for your contribution to the Upchurch Research Fund. The 1993 issue will appear during the year as usual and after No 4 has appeared next November or December we can proceed to have the issue bound. Usually we can get the bound copies out before Christmas but this year the binders were slow and it was in January before they could be shipped. I hope yours arrived in good order.

All the Best!



Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

{ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH}

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9 AUG 1992

LOIS POLLARD

PO BOX 85

LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749-0085

Dear Cousin Lois,

Thanks for your letter of July 24, 1992 written after you got settled in NC. I know you must be enjoying the summer there as well as members of your family who appear from time to time. Thanks also for the two items on your family about which I had a question. The missing details on your mother's family are listed on an enclosed sheet. These are not critical but if you know of any way to get some or all of these details it would move this part of our Master outline to perfection. It is already in excellent shape.

I have already sent you one map of the land of your ancestor Richard U, III in Franklin Co, NC. Enclosed is another version placed on an enlarged county road map showing the area in red. The green is the s...

between the North & South Manges of Moccasin
Creek or what might be called the Moccasin
Creek Area maps. I have always been looking
for Upchurch land in this green shaded
area. You can see the land of Richard U, III
was just 1/2 mile south of where I was
looking.

If someone could drive you down to
Franklin Co, NC, I am sure you would
enjoy seeing the area. I could probably
get Benny Perry who lives at Perry's
Pond to show you around. We could also
get our researcher Gery Boswell to show
you around - we pay him \$12.50 an hour.
So far I have spent \$300.00 on him and I
think it is well worth while. It will
probably take another \$300.00 before it is
done.

Hope this finds you well. Take care
of yourself.

☺ Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

MISSING DETAILS ON THE FAMILY 9 AUG 1992
OF EVA LULA (UPCHURCH) COOK

For Eva Lula U & Husband

a) when in JAN 1898 did they marry?

1 For Eva Lois Cook & Family - All OK - Have a perfect set of details

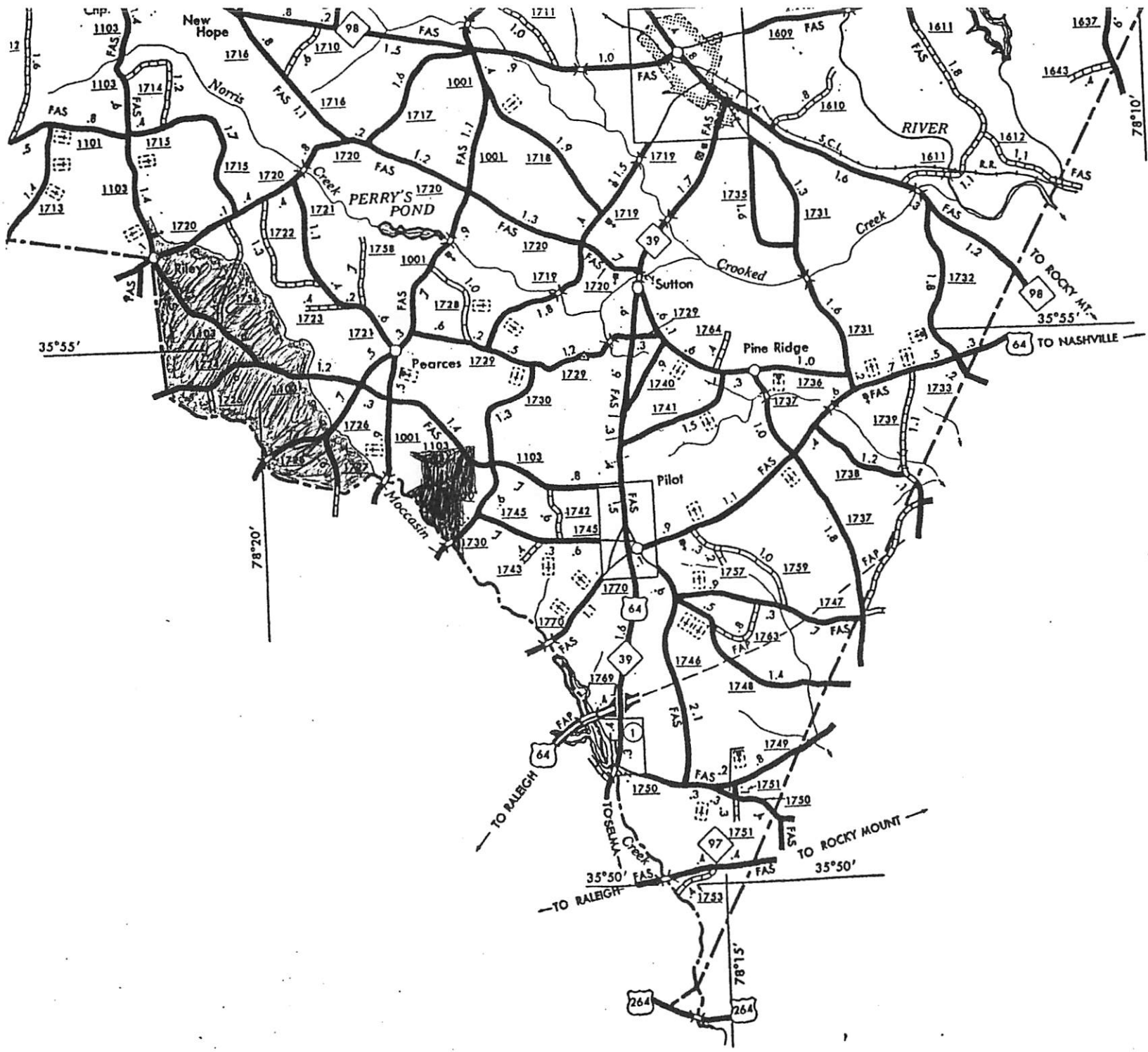
For Mary Maurine Cook & Family

a) For Thomas Allen Fisher

i) when did he marry the first time?

ii) where did he marry the first time?

iii) what is the full maiden name of Nancy Colquhoun and when and where was she born?



EVA LOIS COOK

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REC'D
28 JUL 1992

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July 24 '92 N.C.

Dear Phillip -

I am sorry I have been so late in answering your last letter but I am just now getting settled in on the mountain. I have enjoyed and appreciate all the information on the Moravian Creek Area. I will be interested in all the developments there. I wish I were younger so I could help with such a great project. Rachael Smith was here and we went over everything you wrote about. Her grandmother was sister to Belle West and she knew her well as a child. She and Larry live in Apex N.C. and were so familiar with all the area. They may be of some help to you. She brought the enclosed picture of Pamela. I met her when I went to the Top Church reunion, so I thought you would be interested.

- In answer to your questions about my
- △ family outline 1st. Daniel Kindee was born
- March 23rd. 1982. He enters 1st grade this year.
- △ 2nd The correct spelling of Deborah is
- Deborah Sue Holowiski. (one H)

Part of my family will be appearing on the mountain Aug. 4th. Nina and Gene, from Seattle are spending Aug with Gene's parents in Durham, the Williams. They with their children, Britt and Luke, will spend a week on the mountain with me. Other members of the family will drop by a visit in and out during that week they are here. All of them love to come to this

Beautiful spot and to see me as well as each other. Naturally, I am waiting for their arrival.

I am doing fine since I arrived here and especially enjoying my own home cooked meals. My son brought me up from Atlanta and stayed long enough to get me safely settled and well stocked. He saw that I have a car to drive around here, although my friends on the mountain bring my mail and check on me everyday for anything I might need.

It is so good to hear from you and my best wishes to all your family

Luis

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27 JUN 1992

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P. O. BOX 85

LITTLE SWITZERLAND, NC 28749

Dear Cousin Lois,

Many thanks for your letter of 22 JUN 1992 and for all the details. I have just finished extracting the information and have everything recorded as appropriate on the master outline and/or in the respective biographies. You certainly have a wonderful family and they have prepared themselves to make a substantial contribution to society and are doing so. There are only two questions I have about your family. They are:

- 1) Was Daniel Kim Chunn Lee born 24 or 23 MARCH and was it 1986 or 1987?
- 2) Is the correct spelling for Deborah Sue - HOROWSKI or HOROWSKI?

Otherwise we have a perfect set of details on your family. You have a right to be proud of all that they have accomplished.

I am writing this to your NC address so it will be waiting for you when you arrive. The pictures are returned herewith as you requested. They are not of the Mexican

Creek Area. I recognize several of the features. They are clearly of the area near Green Level & Carpenter in Western Wake Co, NC. These pictures all relate to the descendants of Nathan U, I (my GGGF). He moved to the Green Level Area of Western Wake Co, NC about 1802 from the Moccasin Creek area. Nathan U, I owned about 1000 acres of land * Green Level which is about three miles west where these pictures were taken at a place called WPCHTORCH. I am fairly sure how this WPCHTORCH loc got its name. The first WPCHTORCH to settle at this WPCHTORCH place was Hubbard U, a son of Nathan U, I. Hubbard owned adjacent land to these WPCHTORCH when he died in 1859. However, the WPCHTORCH place was named (my analysis) as a result of a grandson of Nathan U, I named William Burton U, I (b 1848 & 1926). W. B. U, I was very active and prominent and lived in the immediate vicinity of WPCHTORCH and I figure the place was named because of W. B. U, I. The place is a crossroads & was a railroad stop in the old days. It may have also been a stage coach stop. W. B. U, I was a son of Gilbert Burton U who was one of 9 sons of Nathan U, I. Several of these 9

some settled up & down the road from UPTON. I still hope to learn a lot more about the area of western Wake Co, NC where Nathan U, I & his descendants lived. My GF was born & raised in that area. It is often referred to as the Apex area although Apex is 3-4 miles south.

Thanks for the \$50 check. We will be mailing you the bound volume for 1992 in late NOV or early DEC. The other \$25 goes in the Research Fund when it is badly needed. I just ordered 25 months of census records and the Mecklenburg Area Research is costing about \$50/month.

It is great to have your interest in the Mecklenburg Area Research. I am very excited about it and it is already paying dividends. We now know exactly where the land owned by Richard U, III at his death in 1817 is located. To give you an advance peek I have enclosed sheets marked A & B supplied by our hired researcher Gerald Boswell. A is the court record which laid out the land to be divided. I now your ancestor's son U (one of the 8 children Richard U, III) got 2 1/2 acres which had A & parcel # 2. Sheet B is the placement of

land on a topo map. It is so exciting to know exactly where this land is located after searching for it so many years. It is a mile or so south of where I was looking. With this breakthrough, we should begin to identify the exact location of the lands owned by Richard U, II his children and grandchildren. As soon as we can get the location fixed I am anxious to quietly look into the prospects of acquiring 5-10 acres of land to be used as a memorial site for portions of the Uplundy Family. This is all a dream but it may come true.

The Mononin Creek Area is beautiful country. I hope we can learn a lot more about it. I know Jubal U [brother of my Nathan U, I & your Richard U, III] had a mill in the area. We'll locate it sooner or later.

Jim - take care of yourself - don't fall again. It's great to see your mind so alert at 93. I'll plan to be the same way.

Get me hear from you.

Sincerely yours
Phil Uplundy

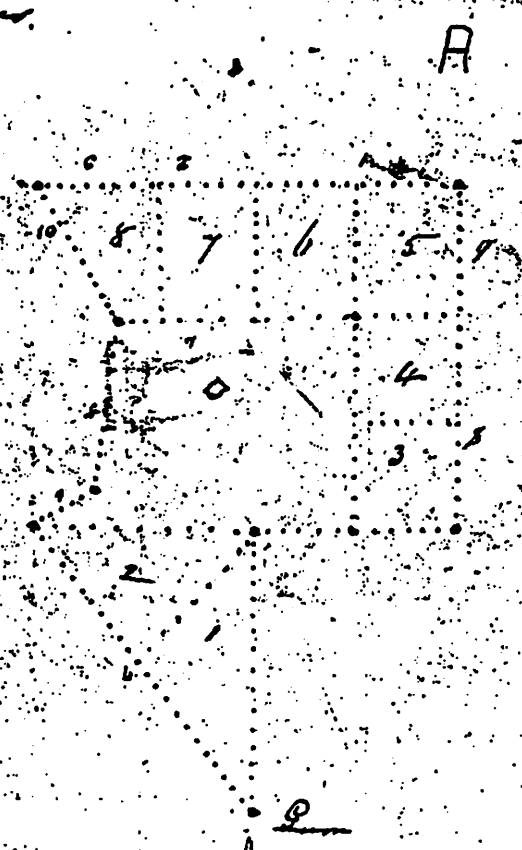
[ROBERT PHILIP UPLUNDY]

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 9 180 x 70 = 12600 78 3/4
 10 55 x 20 = 1700 10 1/2

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 each acre part 22 3/4

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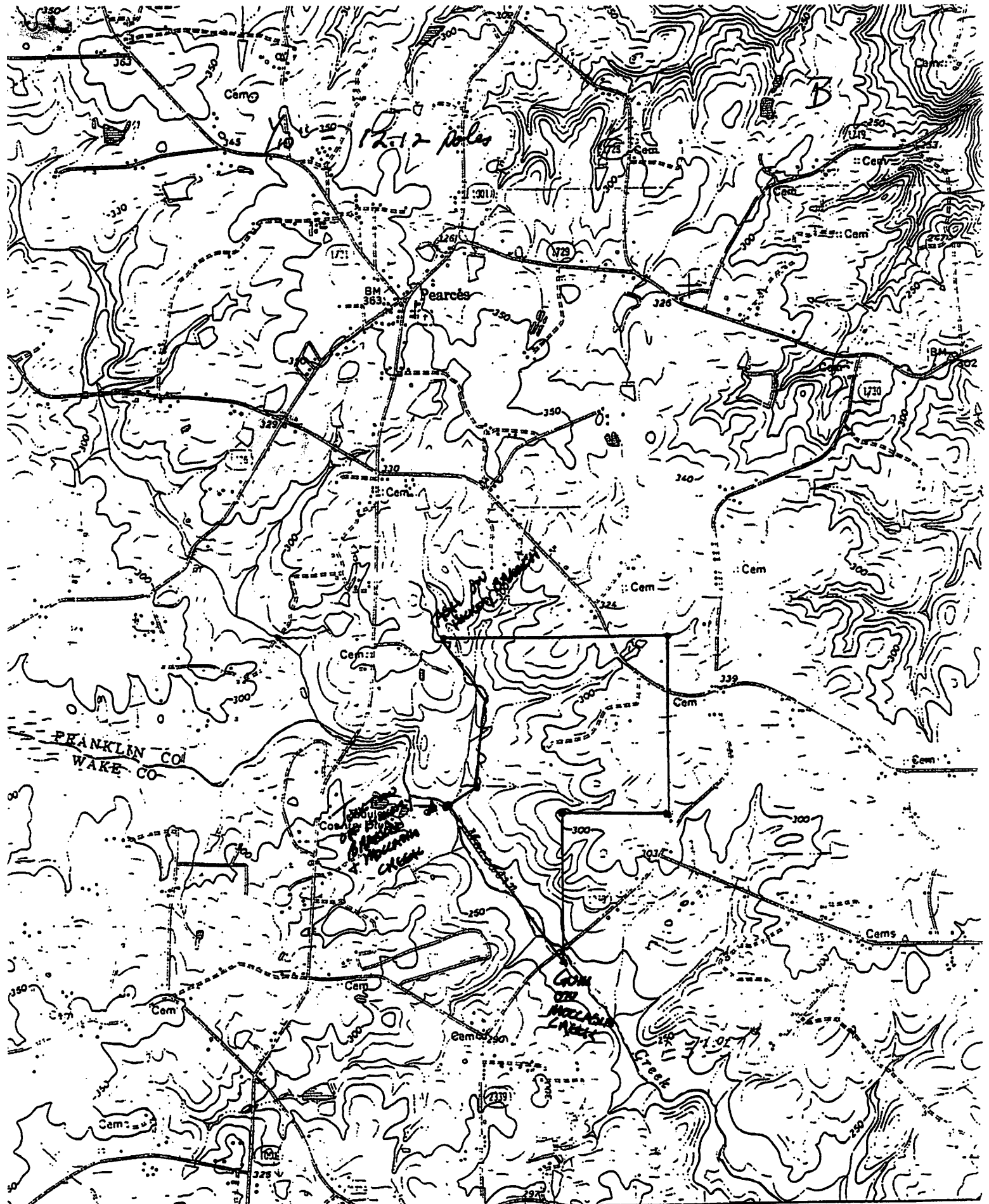
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Land of Kirk? Muckerson?

Beginning at a Run or Muckerson creek running N. 150 poles to an ash
 thence N. 105 poles to a post Oak & Black oak
 thence N. 183 poles to a post Oak
 thence N. 220 poles to an Oak on the Hickory branch
 thence down the Run of S. Branch to its junction with
 Muckerson Creek thence down S. Creek to the
 Beginning Run at the Head, which S. boundary contains
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G. E. Thomas
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San Antonio, TX
June 22 '92

Dear Phillip -

This is in answer to your letter of June 11th.
In your P.S. you opened up the "flood gates" when
you asked for changes in my family. There has been so
many since the information first given in Vol. 1 No 3A 106.
I am so proud of what my immediate family has done &
could explode. So, I have outlined the updates on a
separate sheet and hope it is not too confusing. They have
all grown up since 1980 and taken their place in
life as lovely young families. If you have any questions I
will try to answer them.

I'll send the Vol. No 3 and will be looking forward
to No. 3 in N. C. and No. 4 in San Antonio. I am enclosing
a check for \$50.00 for the bound volume when it comes out.
What is left use as a contribution to the Upchurch Research
Fund. I am especially interested in the McCaslin Creek Project.
I have enclosed pictures and explanation about the pictures
on the envelop. I would like to have the answer about
them. I will see Rachel and Larry in N. C. this summer and
will tell them about the project.

I hope everything will work out that we can meet
when you come to Houston. Betty and I are not far
from Houston and we would love for you two
to stop by San Antonio. It seems like an ideal time
as I will be here until next summer when I hope to
get back to N. C. My traveling is limited since I have
fallen twice and will be 93 this Oct. You will be
able to go through letters, pictures, and clippings of the
family. Gene and Betty are the same age, I think.
Also, you will be able to meet my sister, Mary Cook Foster.
Whether you give a lecture in Houston or not you
may find time to visit us in San Antonio at some
point.

I hope you will note that all the children and
their spouses have pursued scholastic and graduate
preparation as their goal and accomplishments.
All this has been done by hard work and
determination. I hope I haven't bragged too much.
Best wishes and keep in touch.

Your Cousin - Lois

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- Mother of Lois Jocelyn Adams Bertout X 19-1064 Vol. I
- of Nina Elizabeth Adams Williams X 19-1565
- of Kathryn Harriet Adams Lee X 19-1566
- of Wm. Wright Adams X 19-1567
- Son of Eva Lois Pellard X 19-1563
- Charles Oscar Pellard Jr.
- Father of Blair Pellard (daughter) X 19-1572.

Granddaughters of Lois Cook Pellard

- The Great grand children will be identified at the end of page.

Up to date of the family of Lois Cook Pellard.

- My daughter Betty Pellard Adams, is a graduate of Texas Univ., an artist, now living in San Antonio, Tex. 37 Langford St. Her oldest child is:
 1. Lois Jocelyn Adams Bertout, a graduate of Cornell Univ. Graduate work at U. C. Cal. Univ. of Tex. and Univ. of Germany. She speaks 3 languages, teaches and tutors in France. Married to Claude Bertout, Astro physicist, Director of the Univ. of Grenoble Observatory. He has done research at Univ. of Paris Bertout General Terms as well as research in other countries.
 2. Nina Eliza Adams Williams, graduated at Occidental College, Ca. now living in Seattle Wa. and married to Eugene Williams, graduate of Davidson (N.C.) Masters from Los Angeles State Univ. Specializes in water, ecology in Seattle.
 3. Kathryn Harriet Lee, graduate of Washington Univ. in City Planning, Married to Arthur Lee, graduate of Stanford Univ. Masters degree from Washington Univ. Advanced work in Civil engineering at Texas Univ. Working for the engineering firm of Turner-Collie & Brandon in Houston, Texas.
 4. Dr. Wm. Wright Adams.
 - Graduated Amherst, Houston Medical school, Residency West Math - Hitchcock Hospital, now Director in - patient psychiatric Hospital, Mount Auburn (Cambridge, Mass.)
 - Married to Helkie Harrowski, Ph. D. from Cornell Univ. in psychology. Now. Dir. office staff Pembroke psychology hospital, Boston Mass.
- My son Charles O. Pellard Jr. is a graduate of Rice Univ. in geology, Ph. D. in geology and Ceramics from Fla. State Univ. Profession is Research scientist in Earth and Ceramics science at Ga. Inst. Tech. in Atlanta. He is married to Linda Jane Davis Pellard, graduate Rice Univ. in geology, Ph. D. in Geology from Fla State Univ. They have one daughter only.
 - Blair Pellard, graduate Duke Univ. in electrical engineering and comparative science. She is going to night school for a M.A. in Accounting while holding down her job at Hewlett-Packard Company. She lives in Atlanta Ga.
- My great Grandchildren (from ages 15 to 6 yrs.)
 - + □ Pitt & Luke Williams (Miss & Sons, Seattle wa.)
 - + □ Jessica and Saskia Bertout (Goli and Claude Bertout) France
 - + □ Daniel Lee - (Nora and Arthur Lee) Houston, Texas, born March 23, 92

EVA LOIS COOK

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REC'D
21 FEB 1997

San Antonio TX
Feb 23, 97

Dear Phillip -

This is an answer and appreciation of your letter I received Jan 27 '95 concerning the article on Hughes Springs. I have been very ill with sciatica. The pain has been so intense and is still giving me trouble. I haven't been able to do anything until the last few days. I am getting around with a walker and get relief from therapy given here at the retirement home.

The article was very familiar and interesting. I will keep it and compare it with other information I have on the history of the town. I used to remember the "Big Hotel" as we called it. It has been torn down but a Lonely Peak which flows iron colored water constantly, we prize our park and people came from far near to drink the water for their health. The Hearst store is still in business by that family and the Hughes home is still there but has changed hands.

It is a historic little town and not much bigger than when the article was written. A more complete history has recently been written about the town and its people of which my family on both sides is included. The "Womas Club" did a good job. Thanks so much for the article and my best to all of you. Lois Pollard



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Sunday P.m.
June 9 7 → [15 JUN 1997]

REC'D
5 JUN 1997

near Phillip

you asked about Ruth in Ca.

whom Betty Ann Best told me about.

She sent me her address and telephone no.

We have just talked to Ruth and she has material you may want on Esau Haxelthorn

Upchurch. She will mail the material to

me and I will forward it to you

She is the daughter of Lee Upchurch,

the son of Esau H. All of her aunts are

deceased. She has just returned from Ill.

and visited with Lottie Lee Bernhardt in, Hillsboro Ill.

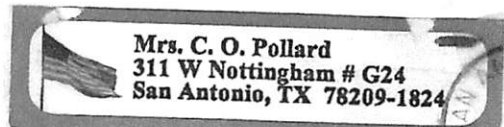
* Ruth's mother was Alice Upchurch and married Willard Davons.

I have really enjoyed the "Englandia" and thanks for the outline you sent. I will add to it as I get more information.

I leave for N.C. early Friday a.m. and wanted to get this information to you before I left.

Ruth + Bob Kessler
13916 Chogan Rd.
Apple Valley Ca. 92307
2019-946-2013

Best Wishes
Lois P.



* THIS SHOULD BE "LOTTIE" NOT "RUTH"
- A "SLIP OF THE PEN" BY LOIS.

Erving, IL area and am anxious to do so. I must go back for a visit.

Thanks for the invitation to come by to see you in NC. We will keep that in mind. We want to make a top book and talk about it but have no firm plans at the moment.

I am keeping a close eye on the farming situation. Tomorrow I was supposed to meet a person to check on what we need to do to conserve the soil on a particular tract, however, it looks like it will be too wet - so I'll probably stay in and work on family history. I win either way!

With all best wishes!

Sincerely yours

(C)

Phil Upchurch

ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH

EVA LOIS COOK

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REC'D
23 MAY 1997

May 20, 1997

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Dear Phillip -

Enclosed is a check for the bulletin and volume. Let me know if I am more. Also, I am enclosing more information on the Remelius Madison U. family (X 19 1145) in case you are interested. I have tried to get this information for years to complete this lineage.

This is the story. A few weeks ago Betty Ann Wallace Best, our Cousin came by to visit us on her way from Ca. to FL to visit her sister Ina Lee Conaway. I pinned her down for information on her grandmother, Ina Estelle U. Slaughter and her husband William Slaughter (X 10 1150 + 1156). She said when she and Ina were together she would get the information. Enclosed is the results. Also their address at the bottom of the front page.

Since Betty Ann lived in the home of Matygn U. Bitterveller (daughter of Escute H U. X 10, 1144) in Ca. I asked her about the Irving L. Upchurch. She said she would contact Ruth, the only one who might know. I am writing Betty Ann to let her know the address and phone no. If I hear I will let you know. I am sure there must be Upchurches still there.

5-97
L.P.

Perhaps you have contacted some
since I got your last letter when you
were there.

My check is for whatever I
owe and future use.

I ran off a copy of Betty Ann
and Una Lee's information for my
records.

I leave for N.C. on June 26th 17
and return to San Antonio Oct. 12th.

Best wishes to you and
Salvina.

Luis Pallard

P.S.

Come to see me if you
go to N.C.

L.

* Family members & children Date of Birth - Date of Death

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Estelhe
 Δ w Ina Upchurch Slaughter (11 OCT 1896 - 4 Jul 1959)
 Δ h William Arthur Slaughter (6 Nov 1868 - 7 Apr 1928)
 Δ c1 Edyth Cloe Slaughter (28 Sep 1896 - Feb 1966)
 c2 Marion Arthur Slaughter (5 Feb 1896 - - - -)

*
 Δ w Edyth Cloe Slaughter Wallace
 Δ h Lee Oliver Wallace
 Δ c1 Katie Marie Wallace (08 Oct 1919 - 01 Apr 1978)
 Δ c2 Betty Ann Wallace (15 Jul 1926 - - - -)
 Δ c3 Ina Lee Wallace (27 Dec 1929 - - - -)

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 Δ h Marion Arthur Slaughter
 Δ w Elizabeth _____ Slaughter
 Δ c William Arthur Slaughter (9 Nov 1925 - - - -)

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 Δ w Katie Marie Wallace Armstrong
 Δ h Donald Elmo Armstrong
 Δ c1 Donna Lee Armstrong (12 Mar 1941 - - - -)
 Δ c2 Denise Ann Armstrong (06 Mar 1946 - - - -)
 Δ c3 Donald Earl Armstrong (20 Apr 1951 - - - -)
 Δ c4 Deborah Marie Armstrong (17 Feb 1954 - - - -)
 Δ c5 David Wallace Armstrong (14 Jul 1956 - - - -)

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 Δ w Betty Ann Wallace Best
 Δ h James Faringhy Best
 Δ c Edward Lee Best (29 Dec 1948 - - - -)

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 Δ w Ina Lee Wallace Connaway
 Δ h Charles Earl Connaway - Lt. Col. U.S. Army (retired)
 Δ c1 Richard Earl Connaway (30 Jan 1953 - - - -)
 Δ c2 Robert Wallace Connaway (05 Nov 1956 - - - -)

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 Δ h William Arthur Slaughter
 Δ w1 Juanita _____ Slaughter
 - c1 _____ (_____ - _____)
 - c2 _____ (_____ - _____)
 - c3 _____ (_____ - _____)
 - c4 _____ (_____ - _____)
 - w2 _____

Δ + Δ *
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 Anaheim Ca.
 92804
 Ph. 714-535 2910

Ina Lee Connaway
 Box 1111
 San Augustine Fl,
 32085 - 1111
 Ph 904-491-2391

* Family members & children		Date of Birth - Date of Death
Δ w	Donna Lee Armstrong Ballew	
Δ h	Jo Dean Ballew	
Δ c	Kathleen <u>Marie Ballew</u>	(<u>22 Feb 67</u> - _____)
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Δ w	Denise Anne Armstrong Warren	
Δ h1	<u>Max Allen Gary</u>	
Δ c	Reggie Deann <u>Gary</u>	(<u>23 Aug 1963</u> - _____)
	<u>D'ann</u>	
Δ h2	Timothy <u>Fred</u> Warren	
*		
Δ h	Donald Earl Armstrong	
Δ w	<u>Beverly Thomlinson</u>	
Δ c	<u>Monique Stephanie Armstrong</u>	(<u>Jun 1978</u> - _____)
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Δ w	Deborah Marie Armstrong Wynne	
Δ h	James Ronald Wynne	
Δ c1	David <u>Mathew</u> Wynne	(<u>12 Aug 1981</u> - _____)
Δ c2	Collin James Wynne	(<u>4 Apr 1984</u> - _____)
*		
Δ s	David Wallace Armstrong	
*		
Δ h	Edward Lee Best	
Δ w1	Barbara Jean Derr Best	
Δ c1	Brian Lee Best	(<u>27 Aug 1968</u> - _____)
Δ c2	Brenda Jean Best	(<u>30 Oct 1971</u> - _____)
Δ w2	Pamela Jean Romans Best	
*		
Δ s	Richard Earl Connaway	
*		
Δ h	Robert Wallace Connaway	
Δ w	Catherine Coyne Connaway	
Δ c1	Heather Moriah Connaway	(01 Nov 1985 - _____)
Δ c2	Patrick James Connaway	(12 Jan 1989 - _____)
Δ c3	Sean Charles Connaway	(01 May 1991 - _____)

Remarks:

s = single; w = wife; h = husband; c = child

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REC'D
DEC 1995

Lois Pollard
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San Antonio, TX 78209

Dear Phillip—

I want to thank you for the detailed information you sent me on the Revolutionary war and our connection with it. Also we will be looking forward to your trip to Texas in the spring. The middle of April is a time to see the Blue Bonnets in the Central Texas Countryside. However, any time is a good time for us and we will look forward to hearing of your plans.

I'm sure you will have a very happy Christmas in your new home and with your family.

Merry, Merry Christmas and the happiest New Year to all of yours

Lois Pollard

Dec. 10, '95

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16 NOV 1995

LOIS POLLARD

311 NOTTINGHAM No 24

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78209

Dear Cousin Lois,

During the fall I was rather overwhelmed by events includ with helping with farming, dealing with real estate and getting U.B. Val 16 #4 ready. Things became so pressing that I decided to shift the Texas trip from this fall to early 1996. It now appears it will be around MARCH-APRIL. I'll get back to you with firm dates later. I am sorry I was not able to get this change of plans to you earlier. Also, I am just now responding to your letters of 13 SEP 1995 and 15 SEP 1995. I am trying to keep up with current correspondence and trying to catch up on items that accumulated in 1994 because of our move. This has all proved to be a great challenge but by the end of December I hope to be in first class shape!! We will see.

your letter of 13 SEP 1995 covers three items as follows:

- #1 The Romulus Madison House in Hughes Springs, TX. I will make an effort to see this when I visit the Upchurch Group in Atlanta, TX.
- #2 Addresser for you and Mary and your daughter Betty and your offer to help with the TX trip. Your offer is greatly appreciated and accepted. I'll get back to you on the specifics or plans for the trip become more firm.
- #3 Reference is made to the service of Michael Upchurch, III in the Revolution. It is true that there is hard evidence that he did serve. However, he is not in your direct line and as I understand these matters that would not qualify present day members of your line for membership in the DAR. To illustrate this matter I include a copy of my crude 11" x 17" chart. Your line from Michael U, I to Sion U is highlighted. Michael U, III is circled in red. Note that Michael U, III is the brother of your ancestor Richard U, II. Richard U, II is the GF of Sion U who is the GF of Romulus Madison U. In order for you and your family members to

became DAR members we need proof of some sort that one of your ancestors served in the Revolution or helped in the Revolution by providing supplies or some such thing. I have never seen such evidence but it is possible it could be located. Your ancestor and on whom such a search should be concentrated are Richard U, III and Richard U, II. I shall certainly be alert for such information as I am sure many descendants of Richard U, II and Richard U, III would like to become DAR members. We do have evidence that three of the brothers of Richard U, III served in the Revolution - They were Charles, Nathan and Moses.

Your letter of 15 SEP 1995 covers items as follows:

- #1. you ask about the relationship between the Upshur at Atlanta, TX and your Remulus Madison U. yes they are related in a complicated way. In one way they are related to Sarah Elizabeth U (who married James Monroe U, II). Sarah and James lived in Cass Co, TX and James died there in 1892

and Sarah died there in 1925. Sarah was the daughter of Claborn U, I who was a brother of your Simon U (see chart). Thus Lindsey and Elizabeth were 1st cousins and Romulus Madison U was 2nd cousin to the children of Elizabeth and James.

James Monroe U, II was the son of Charity U and the grandson of Charles U who was a brother of your Richard U, III. Relationships through this line are slightly more distant.

I wonder if Romulus Madison U knew his Atlanta, TX cousin. I shall inquire when I go to Cors Co, TX in 1996.

#2 Thank you for the profile on Romulus Madison U and his family. I have made this a part of my record system. I am most appreciative when family members prepare such documents. They are extremely useful to me and to the family. If there is someone in your family who is seeking to keep this biography of Romulus Madison U updated I would be glad to work with them. There are probably a few items that could be added to round out the write-up although it is quite good as it is.

You will note from the UB now being prepared (Vol 16 #4) I am working into Texas records. I'll keep working on the Texas records which should put us in better position for the Texas trip.

I am looking forward to the trip and to learning much more about Upshurder on the Texas scene. It is very kind of you, Mary and Betty to offer to be of assistance. I'll look forward to working out details with you.

☺ sincerely yours
Phil Upshurder
[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

went to NOKOMIS, IL by way of Highway 16 and
 we did in fact each buy two of the wagons.
 I could not do much in the way of family
 history work as it would have been an
 improvement on the time of Mr Cobb.
 However, I did ask several people if they had
 ever heard of the name UPKURK without
 any luck. We had passed through IRVING
 on the way to Nokomis so on the way back
 I persuaded Mr Cobb to stop and have lunch
 in IRVING. We had a nice meal. Irving
 is a small town - very much a farming
 town still. Our server mentioned a couple
 of nearby cemeteries but we did not have
 time to see them. Both going & coming we
 passed through the county seat - Hillsboro - but
 again did not have time to stop. I did spot
 the County Courthouse. There is a large very
 well kept cemetery right on the Highway in the
 town of LITCHFIELD and we did drive through
 it but neither Mr Cobb nor I could spot
 an upchurch headstone. We could easily have
 missed one had there been one as we just

dine through quickly.

Since returning home I have studied my Upshur records for Montgomery Co, IL more carefully. I find that several years ago I had contact with descendants of your mother's first cousin Robert Lee U. [He died in 1966 and is buried at Irving, IL]. So I wrote to William Lee U in CA [He is son of Robert Lee U] to see if I could renew the interaction. My letter to William has been returned ^(by the PO) saying I need a more complete address. I was, in fact, able to locate what seems to be a more complete address so I have now remailed the letter and we will see what happens.

I am anxious to make a real "family history" trip to Montgomery Co, IL but would like to develop more background first. I can report that the area is a great farming area with very good soil.

This is an exciting development for me and I wanted to let you know of the event.

Get well!



Sincerely yours
Phil Upshur

[ROBERT PHILIP UPSHUR]

) 1 FEB 1996 - called ELC in San Antonio, TX at (210) 824-3371 (was Area Code 512; now 210) and discussed with her the prospects of an Upchurch lecture at 10 AM on SAT 13 APR 1996 in Austin, TX. She agrees this is workable and suggests I call her sister Mary in the Austin Area. Mary and her son, a lawyer in Austin, are both interested in Family History. Lois will call Mary and alert her to my call. Mary should be able to help us find a place for the lecture. Lois and another family member will plan to come up to Austin for the lecture

) Notes of ELC call to RPH 15 MAR 1996
She has revised schedule re TX trip 4-17 APR 96 and is disappointed I will not come to San Antonio. However, she & Betty will come to the Austin lecture. She has called the U's in San Antonio phone book - of which there are about 6. (see separate notes on Women D. U). She says the Hughes House in which her parents lived is on "Loch Hill"

EVA LOIS COOK

XIM-1154

Phillip - Since this
is in your field I
thought you might
like to see this on TV.
If I can send any
other info. let me know.
I've read what has done
a good job in using your
flowers. Lois Pollard

REC'D
5 FEB 1996

Mrs. C. O. Pollard
311 W Nottingham Pl Apt G24
San Antonio, TX 78209-1825

Enclosed was a brochure on
"Flowers of Texas"

EVA LOIS COOK

XID-1154

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FOR FILE

REC'D
14 AUG 1995

Little Switzerland N.C.
Aug. 7 '95

Mrs C O Pollard
P O Box 85
Ltl Swtzzland NC 28749

For Grand
V. 16. 1995
to be mailed
at end of year
or bounds p. 1 A
25.00

near Phillip and Salaine -
Lake St. Louis Mo.

I'm sure you enjoyed your trip to your old "Stamping Grounds" in Ar. and to see your daughter in N.C. This may be waiting for you when you get back to Mo. After reading of all the places and things you did on your trip to N.C. and through Tennessee, I felt so honored you dropped by to see me. I really enjoyed your short visit and am looking forward to your Texas visit.

I have recovered from my hip surgery and I'm back to normal. I go for my final check up this afternoon.

Rachael and Larry Smith from Apey are up here now and give a glowing report of the lecture in Tebecon and your visit to Apey. Perhaps some fall all of us can see on the mountain to see the fall colors!

The main purpose of this letter is to give you some information to help you plan your trip to Texas this summer.

I talked to my sister Mary Forbes who lives in Georgetown Tex. which is a lovely old town in the center of the state, close to Austin (20 miles), Lockhart, and Lavaca County. She suggests you make your headquarters there and she will be so happy to give you a guide and hostess. She is such an outgoing and lovely person, very active and knows all that section. She was so excited you are coming to Texas. She has two great sons, a lawyer in Austin and

an accountant in Kerrville, Texas. All of them are anxious to meet you. ...

Georgetown has a nice La Quinta Motel but Marys home is open all the time. She is just across the street of South Western University. She will come to San Antonio when you come there as she and Betty know the City so well.

We are not trying to monopolize your time nor plan your trip but hope to be of help in your plans and save you time etc.

Marys address is -

Mrs. Mary Forbes
1501 E 15th St.
Georgetown, Tx 78626
Phone - 512-863-3529

Keep us on your list and itinerary to Texas.
Enclosed is a check ^{for} the board volume
or whatever needed.

\$25 enclosed.

Sincerely

Laes Pollard.

In your letter you mentioned that Ruth was going to send you details about the Esque Magazine Uphurch Family and that you would send these details on to me. Have they arrived yet. I want to write Ruth in any case but prefer to process the packet she was to send you first.

Subsidiary Betty Best wrote in her letter which arrived 9 JUN 97 " I am forwarding some info that Ina and Charles Conaway sent me to Lois and she will probably forward it on to you". Have you received any such material. It would be nice to have it before I write to Betty.

With All Best wishes and appreciation for your help with the Montgomery Co, IL effort.

☺ Sincerely yours
 Phil Uphurch
 [ROBERT PHILIP UPHURCH]

REC'D
4 MAY 1996

Mrs. C O Pollard
311 W Nottingham # G24
San Antonio TX 78209

San Antonio
May 3 1996

Dear Phil -

I will try to answer your letter but first I want to say what a delight to see you again and to hear the wonderful lecture on our family. We regretted the fact that our children couldn't be there to hear it. They will never know what they missed, Mary and Betty were so happy to meet and hear you. Also Sabine was a big hit and are hoping to see both of you again. Mary is completely over her fall and normal once more. Also, thanks for arranging my clippings so neatly. When you complete your arrangements, I do want a copy.

- + Δ The beautiful young lady you asked about is my first cousin Edyth Chloé Slaughter Wallace,
- and was more beautiful than the photo. I don't have
- Δ + □ her 10 but she is the daughter of Anna Upchurch
- + □ Slaughter. She married Lee Wallace and had
- + □ three daughters, Katie Marie, Betty Ann Wallace Best and
- + □ + □ Anna Lee Wallace Connors. (Edyth and Katie Marie
- + □ are now deceased.) She had a brother Marion
- Slaughter; my age now deceased.)
- + □ I was glad to get Larkin U. identified as
- he was mentioned so much and I couldn't
- figure him out.

From your list it looks like the state of Ill. is full of Upchurches. However, from the clippings of E. H. U. + wife's anniversary, Maude Clougheter, Belle Idalgott, Lula Macerlee and Stella Graham settled in St. Louis, Mo. The only one of these children that Mary and I ever knew was Kathryn Butterfield (over)

California. She was real close to Betty Ann Best, of Antrim Co. and Aunt Ana Slaughter who was living with Betty Ann when she died. Betty Ann is the same age as my Betty and have remained close through the years.

I believe this answers your letter except your request for a little story. I will make a stab at it. I will have to do it this summer while I'm on the Mountain. As I'm leaving May 31st and have lots to do, I liked you said story letter as I like to write in story form and it is more appealing to youngsters. If it is not what you want, feel free to edit it or do whatever you wish. My 2 great grandchildren have asked about times when I was a little girl, I have had it in the top of my head to write something so maybe you have given me an incentive to get it done.

Thanks so much for everything
and am sending my love to both of you

Loves

P.S. I will be in N.C. until Oct 20. If
you come to N.C. drop by. L.

I have now made copies of all the material in the packet you loaned me and it is returned herewith. I have made a red [A] and [B] on the two envelopes and am keeping my reproductions separate that way. Some of the envelopes were so fragile I felt it necessary to tape them on white sheets. I hope this was OK. There is a lot of family history in the information in the packets - especially about your relatives at Irving in Montgomery Co, IL. This will be very helpful to me in improving the Master outline for the Lindsey U Line in the Richard U, III / s'is U subdan. It will take me some time to organize and extract the details. If you would like a copy of how I rearrange the items, just let me know.

I can identify most of the people in the packet but for sure not the beautiful young lady in the enclosed photo. Do you know who she is.

you asked about Tarkin U whose picture is in the packet. From my records it is clear he was the son of Joshua Suerie U, who was the brother of your GF R. M. U. Thus Tarkin was your mother's 1st cousin.

Your description of your heritage in Irving, IL and the material you provided has stimulated me to want to visit the area. Would it be possible for you to write a little story about what you recall of your heritage in Irving, IL - along the lines of what you told me - about your visits there, the relatives involved, how things were in those days - how people looked, their jobs, transportation, dress, food, etc, etc. - just anything you recall. This would set the stage for me to become more involved and the document would be a valuable contribution to my files regarding the Lindsey U line. Your own family would probably also appreciate a copy.

Enclosed is an expanded map of a section of IL and MO with Montgomery County, IL outlined in red. Note also where we live. We can easily drive over to Irving and back in a day.

Enclosed also are the two pages of addresses and phone numbers for Upchurch currently known to be in IL. I was hoping to find one with a known Irving IL address but no luck. The closest is Jane Upchurch in Taylorville. If you or Betty want to give her a call to see how she fits in that will be fine. Otherwise, I will do it in due course. Jane has ZIP code 62568. Other U's in the 625XX ZIP code are Lemuel P.U. - 62526 and Lloyd U. - 62563 but there are a little more north. The Irving ZIP code is 62051. The U's with a 620XX ZIP code are Gene R. U. - 62002 and Gary L. U. - 62082. All of these have a slim chance of being of the Irving U line.

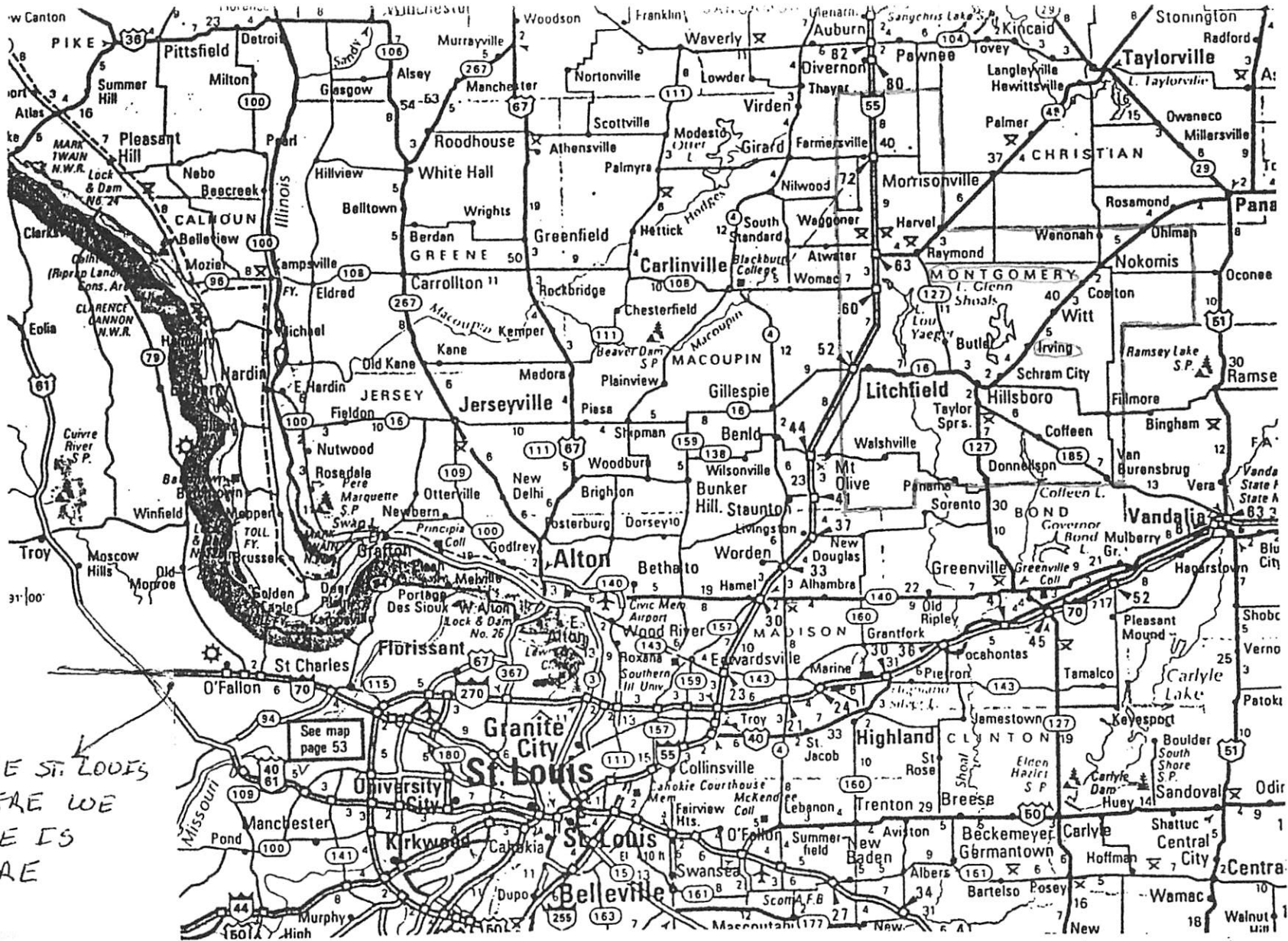
Fair - it is a great pleasure to have you as a collaborator and I appreciate deeply your interest and encouragement.

☺ Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]



W. R. ...
DALLAS, TEXAS



EVA LOTS COOK

XIN-1154

Dear Phillip

Enclosed is a check for research. Because of the Christmas rush I haven't been able to thoroughly read your last correspondence, especially want the early English history on the family.

I am sorry you didn't get to make the Parkway trip to see the colors in the fall. I hope you get to N.C. in 1997 & we can make it to Little Switzerland.

I'm sure you had a happy Christmas.

Best wishes to you and your family
Luis

REC'D
26 DEC 1996



Mrs. C. O. Pollard
311 W. Nottingham # G24
San Antonio TX 78209-1824

...And Best Wishes
for the New Year.

Betty Mae,
Luis

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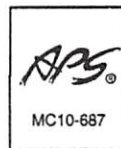
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7 SEP 1996

The Linn Cove Viaduct is recognized as one of the engineering marvels of the world. Blue Ridge Parkway traffic moves through fragile and spectacular scenery without harming the environment.

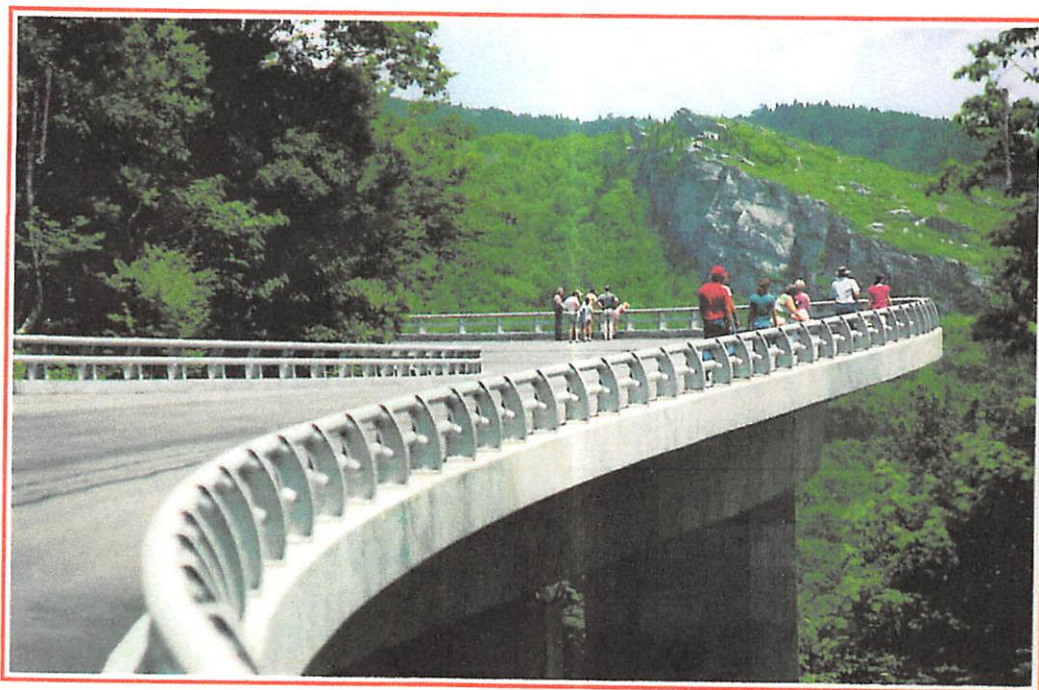
Photo by Marty Harris.



near Phillip + Gabern -
I hope you can come to N.C. to see the colors. I called the Chamber of Commerce and they said the peak in our section would be from Oct 8th to the last week in Oct. North of us they should be about a week earlier. Our section would be from Roanoke to south of Asheville. Roanoke is about 3 1/2 hours from me on the Parkway. You will go over this viaduct and see the color and scenery is spectacular. I am about 30 miles from the bridge.

I am enclosing a map of the Parkway and marking best places to stop on the trip. I hope you will come and head for my house. I will show you the museum at the foot of the hill and other interesting places around here. I will be here until Oct 18th.
hope to see you
Lois

Lois C. Pollard
P.O. Box 85
Little Switzerland, NC 28749



Blue Ridge Parkway

NOTE: Map of Blue Ridge Parkway placed in MAA file - LCP

EVA LOIS COOK

XFD-1154

○ 31 AUG 1996 - RPA called ELCA at her summer home in Little Switzerland, NC [(704) 765-2526] & ask about the peak of fall colors. She says 1st 2 weeks in OCT. She invites us to stay with her if we come that way. She will be there until the 20th. Her UB has just arrived. She says her sister Mary can get info for Williams Co, TX if I want her to do so

EVA LOIS COOK

XIP-1154

Phillips
These two letters
came in the mail to me
this a. m. (one from Betty Ann
Best and one from Ruth
Hesslers). I copied
and for my records.

I'm really enjoying
the mountains.

Lois P.

LOIS C POLLARD
PO BOX 85
LTL SWITZRLND NC 28749

REC'D 14 JUL 1997

NOTE: letters from me
Ruth U dated 12 JAN 1997
and from me Betty
Ann Wallace undated
but both rec'd on
14 JUL 1997 in this letter
from ELC ↑

All of this information deals
with the Romulus Madison U,
& Esau Hazelton U line in
the Richard U, III / Gen U
line.

EVA LOIS COOK

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REC'D
1 JUL 1997

Mrs. C. O. Pollard
P O Box 85
Little Switzer, NC 28749

Little Switzer
June 27 97
Notes

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You may have most of the
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corrections in ink.

Ruth is the daughter of Ted
Spachuch, son of Oscar Husbline
Spachuch.

I'm glad the West Book is
available.
Best wishes
Lois



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1 JUL 1997

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* NOTE - Name last used - This should be "LEE" as in
ROBERT LEE U - RPU

The Upchurch Family

The earliest known members of the Upchurch family in Hughes
 Δ + Δ Springs, Texas were Romulus Madison Upchurch and his wife Mary
 Δ + Δ Lucrecia Rebman Upchurch. In 1877, they moved from Irving,
 Δ + Δ Illinois to Texas. After several moves in Texas, they settled
 in Hughes Springs about 1888.

The parents of Romulus Madison Upchurch were Lindsey
 □ Upchurch, who was from England, and Emily Vesimore Jones
 □ Upchurch, who was from Scotland. The dates of their births and
 □ + □ deaths are unknown but they were married in 1832. Before the
 □ + □ US Civil War, they lived on a plantation in North Carolina
 □ + □ (Franklin County) where they owned slaves and bred race horses.

Linsey Upchurch and his wife had nine (9) children. They
 were: Theodore Sidney (Ted), Josuhua Science, Escue Hazeltine
 (Scooter), Romulus Madison (Mac), Richard Herbert (De), Nancy
 Wheeler (Nanny), Dorch Ancella, Polly Lucretia (Poll), and Mary
 Mandi. After the Civil War, two brothers of the Upchurch
 family moved to Irving, Illinois. Here they bought a farm.
 Romulus Madison was one of the brothers. He also was a
 railroad engineer in Illinois and in Texas, possibly working
 for the Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railroad. The other brother was
 Escue Hazeltine, who had been born in North Carolina in 1841.

The mother of Mary Lucrecia Rebman Upchurch was Margaret
 Hefley who came to the United States from Europe. Margaret
 Hefley's mother was Tabitha Wolchen and was also from Europe.
 Dates of and other information about these ancestors are not

COPY MADE FOR BIOFILE OF ROMULUS MADISON U

- known.

Δ Romulus Madison Upchurch was born on the family plantation in North Carolina in 1842 and died in Hughes Springs in 1910.

□ Mary Lucrecia Rebman Upchurch was born in Irving, Illinois and Δ + □ died in Hughes Springs in 1920. Both are buried in Hughes Springs, Texas. *Case Co.*

Δ + □ About 1888, Romulus Madison Upchurch and Mary Lucrecia

Δ + □ Rebman Upchurch bought their home in Hughes Springs. They had

Δ + □ four (4) children, who had moved to Hughes Springs with them.

□ + □ + □ They were Arthur Upchurch, Eva Lula Upchurch, Ina Estelle

□ + □ + □ Upchurch, and Ella May Upchurch. Arthur and Eva were born

Δ + □ in Illinois, Ina in St. Louis, Missouri, and Ella May near

□ Avenger, Texas. One Christmas while living in St. Louis, Ina's

□ maternal grandmother Bell skated the frozen Mississippi River

Δ to purchase her a doll cradle. Romulus Madison Upchurch was a

- fine furniture craftsman too.

Δ Arthur Upchurch Lived in Tampico, Mexico, and Oklahoma

Δ + Δ City. He worked for an oil company. He was married twice

- having no children and was buried in Oklahoma City.

□ + □ + □ Eva Lula Upchurch married Thomas Cook. Eva Lula was

- sixteen (16) when the family home was purchased in Hughes

Δ + □ Springs. A remembered family story reveals that her father

Δ + □ bought her a dapple grey pony and a sidesaddle and that her

□ + Δ + □ mother made for her a red riding habit with matching hat. Tom

□ Cook would later recall - "that's when I became interested in

- that Upchurch girl". In the Hughes Springs area, ~~Tom delivered~~

□ ~~milk. He had a spring house on his farm.~~ He was friendly with

Δ + □ *He and his brother H. J. Cook (Jack were owners of Cook Bros. General Merchandise Store and a Cottonbuyer. The store still stands, a red brick on main street. (Corrected by Lois, his daughter)*

□ his customers and well liked.

□ + □ Ina Estelle Upchurch married William Wilburn Slaughter.

△ + △ + △ They lived in ~~Hughes Springs~~ ^{Mt. Pleasant, Titus Co}, where William was editor of an

△ area newspaper. He also owned the first car in ~~Hughes Springs~~ ^{Mt. Pleasant}.

△ + △ + △ The couple had two children, both born in ~~Hughes Springs~~ ^{Mt. Pleasant}: Edyth

△ + △ Cloe Slaughter (1896) and Marion Arthur Slaughter. Edyth did

△ + △ proof reading for her father's newspaper and learned to drive

△ + △ + △ his car. In ~~Hughes Springs~~ ^{Mt. Pleasant}, Edyth married Lee Oliver Wallace;

△ + △ + △ + △ Lee Wallace was a pharmacist. After her marriage to Lee, she

△ + △ taught him to also drive. Katie Wallace was born in ~~Hughes~~ ^{Mt. Pleasant}

△ + △ + △ Springs in 1919. The family moved to Stamford, Texas where Lee

□ was part owner in a drugstore. Betty Ann Wallace was born there

△ + □ + △ in 1926. His partner died, and Lee was forced to sell the

△ drugstore. Moving to Cleburne, Texas, he put his savings in

- the local bank. The banker stole the bank's deposits and took

△ off for South America. In 1929, Ina Lee Wallace was born in

□ + △ Cleburne, Texas. Doctor Knox delivered Ina, in the front

△ bedroom of their home on College Street. Eva (Auntie Cook)

△ + △ + △ came to Cleburne to help Edyth after her daughter was born and

△ + △ + △ + △ also gave her child the name Ina Lee. Later, the family moved

- to Tyler and then Teague. In 1938, the family moved to Waco ^{Tx},

△ where Lee opened his own drugstore. During the 1930's, the

- Dust-Bowl and the Depression caused hard times in the area.

△ A lingering memory recalls that in 1937, Ina Lee Wallace

△ + △ visited her Auntie Cook's home in Hughes Springs. On the back

△ + △ porch of the home, she learned to churn milk. Ina was seven

- (7) years old at the time.

Handwritten signature

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△ + △ After Lee Oliver Wallace died in 1960, Edyth Cloe Wallace

△ + □ moved to Amarillo, Texas to be near her daughter Katie. In

△ 1966, on a visit to Alexandria, Virginia to see her daughter

△ + △ + △ + △ Ina ... she died. Edyth and Lee are buried in Waco, Texas.

△ Marion Slaughter moved to California and became a movie

△ stuntman. He also worked for the Southern Pacific Railroad.

△ + □ He married a lady from Tennessee named Elizabeth, and they had

△ a home in Laurel Canyon. In the early 1920's, Ina Upchurch

△ + △ + □ Slaughter and William Slaughter moved to California also. They

△ + △ both died in California, Will first in 1938 and Ina when she

- was 84 in 1959.

△ + □ + △ Ella May Upchurch married Charles Graham. He was an

△ + △ electrical engineer from Dallas, Texas. They had two children

△ + □ + △ - Frank and Rena Mildred. Charles did the lighting for the

△ Texas Centennial in the mid 1930's. Also Charles had visited

△ + △ Alaska and brought back a polar bear rug, head and all. The

- couple sold their place in Arlington Heights and bought a

△ working farm outside of Dallas. There Charles also raised fish

△ and pheasants. Frank Graham was also an electrical engineer

△ and upgraded the lighting on the Panama Canal in 1938. Rena

△ Mildred with her husband came to Waco in 1948 to visit the

△ + △ + △ Wallaces. Auntie Cook came too as did Aunt May and Lois Cook.

△ Ina Slaughter was there from California for health reasons.

△ + △ Rena Mildred had lived in Boston in WW II, where her husband

△ + △ was stationed. The couple were very nice.

EOF: 1997

EVA LOIS COOK

NE-1159

REC'D
23 MAR 1996

Mar. 21, 96

Mrs. C O Polard
311 W Nottingham # G24
San Antonio, TX 78209

Dear Phillip -

Enclosed is a check for \$50.00, I am not sure how much I owe so use it for my dues and if any is left use it for the research fund.

There will not be too much to see in Hughes Springs, Cass Co. except the home of Bonnie Madison H. and the two graves in the town cemetery. They are small stones beside the main road in the cemetery. To get to the house on Cook Hill go past the Methodist Church and turn left at the first street, continue to the top of the Hill and the house is on the left. I was born there and all my family lived and grew up on Cook Hill. This information is in case no one remembers us.

I have mailed flyers to the following U's in San Antonio phone books.

Neil Upchurch 3222 Lyle St, 78217

Mark ^{H. 26} Fairchild St, 78236. (in the military)

Warren H. 3939 Fredericksburg Rd. C. 2 78201

There are two more I couldn't contact.

Since you will not be coming to San Antonio I will bring my clippings, pictures, etc. to Austin for you to look over.

Looking forward to seeing you and Salene again

Lois Polard

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B. 8-96
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