

CLAN 2 (CHARLES UPCHURCH)

Charles Upchurch was born at about the time his father moved from Brunswick Co., VA to the Moccasin Creek area of NC. Charles served in the Revolutionary War after which he returned to his NC homsite. Sometime before 1820 Charles immigrated to Georgia. All signs point to him being the head of a large clan which needs to be documented.

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Ben Lane U., Sr. of East Point, GA has been collecting information 4377 on the Thomas Gay U., Sr. subclan for years. Much of this subclan is 2071 now falling into place. However, hard proof is still desired of the presumption that Thomas Gay U., Sr. was the son of Charles Upchurch. 2071, 164 The relationship was very close as they migrated from NC to GA together.

On May 22, 1980 your Editor had the pleasure of meeting Ben Lane U. 4377 Sr. in his office at Georgia State University in Atlanta, GA. Ben is Placement Officer for the University and has long been active in the Georgia National Guard from which he is now retired as a Brigadier General. Ben's father was a second cousin of Martha Louise (Upchurch) Tidd, the 2106 grand lady who worked so hard on Upchurch genealogy. Ben knew her well as "Mattie Lou" and cooperated with her for years. Ben has loaned me his valuable collection of Upchurch notes and papers for reproduction and inclusion in the files of Michael Enterprises for use in Upchurch Bulletin.

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Upchurch talent on TV abounds. The character Cannon of current and long-standing TV fame is understood to be William Conrad Cann who uses the TV name of William Conrad. In November 1980 William Conrad reappeared temporarily in the private detective role he played for five seasons. The October showing was entitled "The Return of Frank Cannon". William Conrad is currently appearing in other TV features. William Conrad Cann, b. about 1921 is the son of Ida May U. of the Charles U./ Thomas Gay U. Sr. Subclan. Ida May U. was a second cousin of Martha Lucy U. (Mrs. Charles Tidd, Sr.) who pioneered in Upchurch genealogy. 2106

Ben Lane U., Sr., a Brigadier General in the Georgia State Guard, 4377 informed your Editor that we have a cousin who serves as a Chemist for Eli Lilly & Co., in Indianapolis. While there on business on April 5, 1981 I contacted the cousin and we had a very pleasant dinner. The cousin is William Nathaniel Cannon, the son of Annie Mae U. of the Charles U./Thomas Gay U. Sr. Subclan. Bill shared much information including the fact that his mother's brother, William Frank U., Sr. was the well known merchant Frank Upchurch who owned extensive meat packing and sales operations based in Fairburn and Atlanta, GA, in the 1930's and 1940's.

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We are deeply indebted to Augusta Lee (Upchurch) Yeats of Gadsden, AL who has supplied much information about her line and especially about Thomas Gay U., Sr., a son of Charles U. Augusta is the dau of Calvin Altonia U., the gd of Joseph E. U., the ggd of Thomas Gay U., Sr., and the gggd of Charles U. (Head of Clan). Augusta reports that her gf, Joseph E. U., was educated in Carroll Co., GA and taught school there. Joseph E. U. moved to Clay Co., AL sometime after the Civil War and there in 1871 he married. When Joseph moved to GA he took his aging parents, Patience (Barnes) and Thomas Gay U., Sr. The parents lived in Clay Co., AL presumably with their son, Joseph, until they died in 1883 and 1885, respectively. They are presumed to be buried in the Liberty Church Cemetery which is four miles west of Ashland, AL.

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We regret to report the death of Mrs. Robert Bernard Watson, nee Bonnilyn Paul Johnson, on 25 MAR 1982 in Birmingham, AL. She was 71 years old. She was the dau of Rosa May U., the gd of Thomas Homer U., the ggd of William Barnes U., the ggd of Thomas Gay U., Sr. and the ggggd of Charles U., Head of Upchurch Clan 2. She wrote to your Editor as follows:

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On 31 MAY 80 - "I was so interested to learn that my Uncle Ralph Upchurch has subscribed to the UPCHURCH BULLETIN. I've been interested for a long time in my family, and have done some research but not in depth. My mother, Rosa May Upchurch Johnson, who died in 1978 was so proud of her family."

On 13 JUN 1980 - "It was interesting to know that you and my mother are 4th cousins."

On 19 JAN 1982 - "Your research has been invaluable to me. I want to hand these Bulletins down to my children and grandchildren."

We are grateful to Bonnilyn for her many contributions. May she rest in peace!

See outline for Charles U./Thomas Gay U. Sr. Subclan this issue of UB. 164/2071

James Paul Johnson, Jr. has reported on an annual reunion which is 7763
held primarily for the descendants of Thomas Homer U., a son of 3147
William Barnes U. and a gs of Thomas Gay U. Sr. In a 16 OCT 1982 2073,2071
letter he wrote about the event which was held on 3 OCT 1982 at
the Shiloh Methodist Church Camp Ground in Carroll Co., GA. "The
reunion was well attended this year with approximately 130 people
there including 30 or 35 friends of the family. The UPCHURCH BULLETIN
was the center of attention this year with many showing an interest
in subscribing. This year two of Uncle George Upchurch's (3145)
grandchildren, Horace and Kathleen Upchurch, came. Some of Uncle Joe
Upchurch's (3108) family from Culman, Alabama were expected.....As far
as I know all others were members of Grandpa's (3147) family.
No records are presently being kept of the annual reunion, but I learned
from Wilma Hamrick Upchurch, wife of James Shields Upchurch, Sr. that
Aunt Elvie kept minutes until her death. Wilma has promised to copy
them for me."

VI. OUTLINE OF SELECTED CLANS OR SUBCLANS

INTRODUCTION AND OUTLINE OF THE THOMAS GAY UPCHURCH, SR. SUBCLAN OF THE CHARLES UPCHURCH CLAN (CLAN 2)

Thomas Gay U., Sr. is the Head of a very large Upchurch Subclan of which many present day members have furnished details to the UB. 2071
The late Martha Lucy (Upchurch) Tidd was one of the many distinguished members of this subclan and prior to her untimely death in January 2106
1973 she gave generously of her time and resources to help establish her own line and to help document the entire Upchurch family. A vast body of information collected by Martha and others leads one to the firm conclusion that Thomas Gay U., Sr. was the son of Charles U. who was a Revolutionary War Veteran and Head of Upchurch Clan 2. Thomas 164
Gay U., Sr. was b. 28 NOV 1797 (Wake Co., NC) and in his early twenties moved with his father to GA. Indications are that Charles U. also had two sons, Eaton U. and Keaton U. and a dau Charity U.

On February 13, 1970 Martha Lucy (U) Tidd wrote "Thomas Gay U., Sr. went from NC to Greene Co., GA before 1821. How early he went there I do not know. In 1821 he drew a Lot in Henry Co., GA from the Land Lottery. Later his section of Henry Co., GA was annexed to Fayette Co., GA. Between 1840 and 1850 he moved to Carroll Co., GA after selling 500 acres in Fayette and 262 acres in Fayette. He was a Justice of the Peace in Carroll Co., GA and owned a farm. Later he moved to Clay Co., AL."

On December 15, 1981 Augusta Lee (U) Yeats wrote "My gf, Joseph E. U. finished school in Carroll Co., GA and taught school there. He moved to AL to teach and married after he came to AL. When he moved to AL he brought his parents with him (Thomas Gay U., Sr. and Patience (Barnes) U.)." All indications are that this move to AL took place shortly after the Civil War when Thomas Gay U., Sr. was in his late 60's or early 70's.

Thomas Gay U., Sr. d. 23 JUN 1885 near Ashland, AL but his wife, Patience died about 1883. On 30 JAN 1951 Love U., a son of Willis J. U. and a gs of Thomas Gay U., Sr., wrote: "I can remember when I was a very small boy coming home from school. My grandmother (Patience Barnes U.) lived on the way home. I would run to her home to get something to eat. Just anything she had was better than it was at home."

James Paul Johnson, Jr., son of Rosa May (U) Johnson, gs of Thomas 7763,3351
Homer U., ggs of William Barnes U., and gggs of Thomas Gay U., Sr.3147,2073,2071
has preserved for us the eulogy published for Thomas Gay U., Sr.
This was found in the Bible of Thomas Homer U. and is presumed to
have been published on the occasion of his death in 1885.

EULOGY TO THOMAS GAY UPCHURCH, SR.

In Memory of Father Upchurch

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Father Upchurch was born in Wake County, North Carolina, November 28, 1797. Joined the Baptist Church and was baptised October 18, 1829. Was ordained deacon at Bethlehem Church in Fayette County, Georgia, in 1831. He was happily married to Miss P. C. Barnes, January 7, 1824, with whom he lived most happily until his death. He had born to him six sons and five daughters. Three sons and two daughters preceded him to the better land. Few men have blessed the world with so exemplary a life as father Upchurch. As a husband he was a model of constancy, affection, and kindness. As a father he was wise, firm, and loving. As a neighbor, the elbow touch of a ready helping hand and co-operative sympathy were constantly felt. He was truly a peacemaker, and one of the few men who literally carried out the apostolic injunction. "If it be possible, as much as lieth in you, live peaceably with all men."

He never had a personal difficulty. He was never a party to a lawsuit. Though a member of the church for 56 years, he never was but once kept from his regular church meeting to attend to his own secular business. His life was full of sunshine and brightened the entire community in which he lived. In father Upchurch was exemplified the beautiful scripture "Mark the perfect man and behold the upright for the end of that man is peace." In answer to his son J. E.'s (Joseph E. U.), "I'm going home, I'm going home in a few hours." It is recorded in the Lord's book that when Lazerus died he was carried by angels to Abraham's bosom. And we confidently believe that when father Upchurch died and his pure spirit was released from its clay prison that the angels carried it up shouting to heaven's blissful shores: "Servant of God, well done!
Rest from thy loved employ
The battle fought, the victory won,
Enter thy master's joy." 2079

An outline of the Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan of the Charles U. Clan, to the extent details are available, is provided below through the 9th generation. Additions and corrections will be welcomed.

OUTLINE

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|---|----------------------|
| I. Thomas Gay U., Sr., b. 28 NOV 1797 (Wake Co., NC), d. 23 JUN 1885 (Clay Co., Ashland, AL)(Bur. same), md. 6 JAN 1825 (Henry Co., GA) | 2071 |
| Patience C. Barnes, b. 1806 (NC), d. 1883 (Clay Co., Ashland, AL) (Bur. same). | 2072 |
| A. William Barnes (Bud) U. CSA, b. 1830 (GA), d. after 1861 (Chattanooga, TN), md. Nancy Matilda Copeland, b. 13 MAY 1834, d. 27 MAR 1912 (Bur. Smith Chapel Cem., Bowdon, GA). | 2073
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| l. Joseph Lumpkin U., farmer, b. 10 NOV (OCT) 1855 (Bowdon, GA), d. 12 JAN 1945, md. (1st) 15 MAY 1881 Betty Muse Robinson <u>1</u> /, b. , d. 25 NOV 1886, md. (2nd) 28 DEC 1895 Mary E. Walker <u>2</u> /, b. 23 MAY 1874, d. 4 OCT 1919. | 3108
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| a. <u>1</u> / William U., b. 27 MAR 1882, d. same day. | 3110 |
| b. <u>1</u> / David U., b. 18 OCT 1883, d. same day. | 3111 |
| c. <u>1</u> / Joseph E. U., b. 3 MAY 1884, d. 27 OCT 1884 | 3112 |
| d. <u>1</u> / Andrew Pierce U., Sr., b. 22 SEP 1885 (1884)(Bowdon, GA), d. 15 MAY 1977, md. 16 NOV 1920 Pearl Todd, b. 24 APR 1893 (Greenville, GA), d. 1971. | 3113
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e. <u>1</u> / Samuel U., b. 25 NOV 1886, d. same day.	3116
f. <u>2</u> / Essie U., b. 23 (?) DEC 1896 (Waco, GA), d. 30 AUG 1950, md. Ira Parrish, b. 1898, d. 1952. No issue.	3119 3120
g. <u>2</u> / Alma U., b. 19 SEP 1898 (Waco, GA), NM.	3121
h. <u>2</u> / Myal U., b. 9 DEC 1900 (Waco, GA), d. 15 DEC 1970, md. 1923 Ervin Handley, b. , d. DEC 1934.	3122 3123
i. <u>2</u> / Glen U., b. 16 JUN 1903(1902)(Waco, GA), d. 8 SEP 1976, md. Opal Nix, b. 27 OCT 1910	3124 3129
j. <u>2</u> / Grace U., b. 22 JUN 1905, md. George D. Handley, b. 3125, 12 FEB 1900 (GA), d. 7 SEP 1977.	3130
k. <u>2</u> / Knox U., b. 15 OCT 1907 (Waco, GA), md. Ester Clements, b. MAR 1919. No. issue.	3126,3131
l. <u>2</u> / Clifford U., b. 1 OCT 1910(1909)(Cullman, AL), md. Viola Arrington, b. 17 MAR 1914.	3127 3132
m. <u>2</u> / Mary Jo U., b. 12 SEP 1919 (Cullman, AL), md. 5 MAR 1938 James Martin, b. 26 OCT 1913.	3128 3133
2. George B. U., farmer, b. 9 APR 1857, d. 15 AUG 1930 (Bur. Smith Chapel, Bowdon, GA), md. (1st)(Bowdon, GA) Carrie Henderson (Wright?)(Sarah C.U.), b. 5 MAY 1860, d. 31 JAN 1917 (Bur. Smith Chapel, Bowdon, GA), md. (2nd) Fannie D. _____, b. 14 FEB 1866, d. 27 OCT 1928 (Bur. Smith Chapel, Bowdon, GA).	3145 3149
a. Alice U.	4789
b. Emory U.	4790
c. John U.	4791
d. Ginnie U.	4792
3. Louise U., b. 1854, d. 1920's, md. (Bowdon, GA) Taylor Alexander, farmer, b. 1849, d. 1898.	3146 3150
a. Nanny Alexander.	4782
b. Tom Alexander.	4783
c. Mammie Alexander.	4784
d. William Alexander.	4785
e. Robert Alexander.	4786
f. Frank Alexander.	4787
g. Maggie Alexander.	4788
4. Thomas Homer U., farmer, b. 8 OCT 1859 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 29 AUG 1947 (Carroll Co., GA)(Bur. Shiloh Cem., Bowdon, GA, md. (1st) 22 SEP 1882 (Carroll Co., GA) Carrie Elizabeth Thurman <u>1</u> /, b. 18 MAR 1865 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 1 APR 1908 (Carroll Co., GA)(Bur. Smith Chapel Cem., Bowdon, GA); md. (2nd) 17 FEB 1909 (Carroll Co., GA) Nancy Hearn <u>2</u> /, b. 16 APR 1873 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 16 MAY 1910 (Carroll Co., GA) (Bur. Carroll Co., GA); md (3rd) OCT 1912 (Carroll Co., GA) Beulah Jeter <u>3</u> /, b. 4 MAY 1878, d. 25 DEC 1962 (Carroll Co., GA)(Bur. Burwell, GA).	3147 3151
a. <u>1</u> / Fannie A. U., b. 22 AUG 1883, d. 4 AUG 1910, md. William Thomas Carpenter, b. 13 JAN 1877.	3349 5688
b. <u>1</u> / Homer Edward U., b. 9 NOV 1885 (Carrollton, GA), d. 8 NOV 1957 (Knoxville, TN)(Bur. Burwell, GA), md. 4 NOV 1908 (Carroll Co., GA) Una Clayton Digby, b. 14 JUN 1891 (Carrollton, GA).	3350 5657
c. <u>1</u> / Rosa May U., b. 8 JUL 1891 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 28 JUN 1978 (Chattanooga, TN)(Bur. Birmingham, AL), md 8 JUN 1908 (Carroll Co., GA) James Paul Johnson, Sr., b. 14 NOV 1889 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 5 OCT 1950 (Birmingham, AL)(Bur. as WIF).	3351 5689
d. <u>1</u> / Charles Lloyd U., b. 25 FEB 1894 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 8 APR 1962 (Bur. Carroll Co., GA), md. 8 SEP 1912 (Carroll Co., GA) May Belle Ashmore, b. 3 SEP 1894.	3352 5480

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e.1/ John Shields U., b. 26 JUL 1896, d. 14 OCT 1980, md. (1st) Evie Johnson, b. 28 JUL 1896; md. (2nd) Jewel Haskins, b. , d. 28 APR 1978.	3353 5690 5691
f.1/ William James U., b. 4 FEB 1899 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 2 MAY 1908 (Carroll Co., GA)(Bur. Carroll Co., GA).	3354
g.1/ Thomas Ralph U., b. 1 MAY 1902 (Burwell, Carroll Co., GA), md. 2 JUN 1925 (Burwell, Carroll Co., GA) Myrtle Maylene Fletcher, b. 13 MAY 1904, (Heftin, AL).	3355 3359
h.2/ Joseph Abner U., 9 MAR 1910 (Carroll Co., GA), md. Willamina Marlow, b. 15 NOV 1914 (Carroll Co., GA).	3356 5692
i.3/ Maynard Parks U., 29 JAN 1914 (Carroll Co., GA) NM.	3357
j.3/ Daniel Stanley U., b. 27 AUG 1915 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 9 SEP 1937 (Birmingham, AL)(Bur. Carroll Co., GA) NM.	3358 3358
5. Mattie E. U., b. 6 FEB 1862, d. 16 JUN 1949 (Bur. Cedar Creek Ch., Cedartown, GA), md. (Burwell, GA - near Bowdon) William Jep Lovvorn, Baptist Minister, b. 19 SEP 1860, d. 19 MAR 1946 (Bur. near Cedartown, GA).	3148 3154
a. Minnie Lovvorn.	4777
b. Ruth Lovvorn.	4778
c. Barnes Lovvorn.	4690
d. Hoyt Lovvorn.	4779
e. Inez Lovvorn.	4780
f. Mary Lovvorn.	4781
g. A son - name?	
B. Jethro Wilson U. (Pony), b. 9 JUL 1831 (GA), d. 27 MAR 1896 (Palmetto, GA), md. (Palmetto, GA) Rosina Morgan, b. 11 JUN 1840 (Palmetto, GA), d. 16 MAY 1915 (Palmetto, GA).	2074 2092
1. John Emmerson U., b. 6 JAN 1861 (1860)(Fairburn, GA), d. 22 (23) MAR 1933, md. Julia Kidd, b. 7 AUG 1858, d. 7 OCT 1927.	2093
a. Roy Connie U., b. 17 SEP 1888 (Fairburn, GA), md. Lucille Ragsdale.	4582 4671
b. Clevia W. U., b. 3 JAN 1884, d. 1915.	4590
c. Chatmon Gay U., b. 9 SEP 1886.	4593
d. Marvin L. U., b. 1885, d. 1933.	4591
e. Freddie Clifford U., b. 2 FEB 1891, d. 1909.	4592
f. Rebie Corine U., b. 8 AUG 1892.	4588
g. Grover Cleveland U.	4681
2. Mollie U., b. 1862 (GA), d. 1924, md. Washington Kirkpatrick.	2094, 2102
3. Joseph Alonzo U., b. 3 FEB 1866 (GA), d. 18 APR 1932, md. Lola Elder.	2095 2103
a. Howard U.	4581
b. -	
c. -	
4. Walter William U., b. 16 AUG 1868 (GA), d. 1958 (TX).	2096
5. Willis Gay U., b. 11 MAY 1871 (AL), d. 27 DEC 1945, md. 26 AUG 1891 Florence Elizabeth Miller, b. 6 OCT 1874, d. 13 JAN 1957.	2097 2014
a. Eunice U., b. 1894, d. 1896.	2105
b. Martha Lucy U., b. 2 MAR 1897, d. JAN 1973, md. 19 SEP 1925 Charles Wharton Tidd, Sr., MD, b. 15 FEB 1903.	2106 2108
c. James Glenn U., b. 19 FEB 1903, d. 24 MAY 1966, md. 31 DEC 1955 Etoile Adams, b. 20 OCT 1910.	2107 2111
6. Edward Franklin U., b. 11 NOV 1873 (Ashland, AL), d. 21 OCT 1958 (NY), md. 5 MAY 1909 (Loveland, IA) Garnet Genevieve Haldeman, b. 11 JUL 1885.	2098 2112
a. Florence Rosina U., b. 26 MAR 1910.	6943
7. Thomas M. U., b. 1876(1871)(1875)(AL), d. 1907(1948), md. Annie Wilkerson.	2099 2113

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8. Robert U., b. 1878 (AL), d. 1935(1936)(Birmingham, AL), md	2100
Fannie Mae Wheelock, b. -	7267
a. Robert Claud U., Sr., Lt. Com., USN, b. 4 JUL 1900, d.	7268
SEP 1944, md. Grace Gardner, b. 22 APR 1904, d. 22 JAN	7271
1979.	
b. Ruth U., b. , d. ca 1975, md. Harry Brown.	7269,7272
c. Malcolm Wheelock U., md. Margaret _____. No issue.	7270
C. Martha J. U., b. 1833 (GA).	2075
D. Rhoda A. U., b. 1835 (GA, md. _____ Barnes.	2076
E. Mary Elizabeth U., b. 24 MAR 1837 (GA) d. 26 APR 1916, md. (1st)	2077
Allen Loveless, md. (2nd) Hillary Hand.	8272,8140
F. John C. U., b. 1839 (GA).	2078
G. Elizabeth U., b. 1841.	4354
H. Margaret J. U., b. 1844 (GA), md. _____ Bonner.	2080
I. Joseph E. U., b. 10 JUL(AUG) 1844 (Carroll Co., GA), d. 24 MAY	2079
1915 (Clay Co., AL)(Bur. Liberty Church Cem. - 4 mi. W. Ashland,	
AL), md. DEC 1871 (Clay Co., AL) Calvina Augusta Russell, b. 1	6708
JUN 1856 (Clay Co., AL), d. 11 JUN 1932 (Clay Co.,AL)(Bur. as HUS).	
1. Calvin Altonia U., b. 18 JAN 1876 (Ashland, AL), d. 5 NOV 1960	5484
(Birmingham, AL)(Bur. Birmingham, AL), md. 25 DEC 1894	
(Ashland, AL)Cora Lee Tomlin, b. 8 JUN 1877 (Clay Co., AL),	
d. 18 JUL 1919 (Birmingham, AL)(Bur. as HUS).	
a. Daisy Myrtle U., b. 23 NOV 1896 (Clay Co., AL), md.	7453
26 JUN 1925 (Birmingham, AL) Ollie Clements, b. 1 MAR	7643
1891, d. 10 JUN 1964 (Bur. Trussville, AL).	
b. Dewey Dewitt U., Sr., b. 8 MAY 1898 (Clay Co., AL), d.	7663
27 SEP 1979 (Atlanta, GA)(Bur. Trussville, AL), md.	
6 APR 1922 (Gardendale, AL) Elsie May Loftis, b. 13 JUN	7671
1900, d. 11 JAN 1970 (Bur. Trussville, AL).	
c. Mary Eldora U., b. 7 SEP 1899, md. Avery Clark Reaves,	7675
b. 3 OCT 1891, d. 10 MAR 1963 (Bur. Trussville, AL).	
d. Augusta Lee U., b. 2 OCT 1901 (Clay Co., AL), md. 8 SEP	5485
1933 (Bessemer, AL) Eugene Lee Yeats, b. 29 APR. 1908	7454
(Gadsden, AL), d. 30 MAR 1962 (Gadsden, AL)(Bur. Gadsden,	
AL).	
e. Flossie Ione U., b. 17 JUL 1905 (Clay Co., AL), md.	7704
Thelmon L. Phillips, b. 1906, d. 29 JAN 1968.	
f. Olin Cleophus U., b. 15 DEC 1907, d. 29 APR 1927 (killed	7722
in auto wreck).	
g. Neva Blanche U., b. 8 SEP 1911 (Birmingham, AL), d. 8 OCT	7705
1968 (Bur. Elmwood Cem., Birmingham, AL), md. (1st)	
Roy Holmes, d. 1938; md. (2nd) Sanders Anton, d. 1973.	
2. Marshall Christopher U., b. 26 APR 1878, md. Lula Benton Walker.	5684
a. Ida May U.	
b. Leo U.	
c. Annie Clyde U.	
d. Marshall Earl U.	5685
e. John Wayne U.	
f. Hubert Cleveland U.	
3. Marvin Evans U., b. 4 APR 1885, d. 9 OCT 1943, md.	
Ella Walker.	
a. Jerome Carl U., b. 1908.	
b. Lenard U., b. 1910.	

- c. John Calvin U., b. 1912, md. Annie May Tomlin, b. 1918.
d. Mattie Rae U., b. 1914, d. 1936, md. Malcolm Harkins,
b. 1902, d. 1940. No issue.
e. Sara Ruth U., b. 1922, md. Edgar Horace O'Pry, b. 1913,
d. 1959.
4. Velma U., b. 26 MAR 1887, d. 20 NOV 1972, md. Walter Hornsby.
5. Zada Eldora U., b. SEP 1882, d. 1953, md. (Ashland, AL)
Joseph Walter Griffin, b., d. 30 APR 1935.
6. Emma U., b. 26 NOV 1891, md. 26 DEC 1911 Grover Cleveland 7452
Tomlin, b. 1889, d. 1975.
7. Huron Gay U., b. 17 MAY 1896, md. 15 JUL 1914 Zella Maude 6709
Patterson, b. 29 DEC 1896. 6711
a. Joseph Wilson U., b. 20 AUG 1919, md. 1 NOV 1941 6710
Carrie Frances Sweat, b. 3 JUL 1922. 6712
- J. Willis J. U., CSA, b. 28 NOV 1826 (Henry Co., GA), d. 28 NOV 1910 2081
(Clay Co., AL)(Bur. Clay Co., AL), md. (1st) Sarah (Sally Bonner) 4355
Mabry 1/, b. 1825 (GA), d. 1860; md. (2nd) 6 SEP 1865 Missouri A. 4356
Whitehead Hutchens (Hudgins) 2/, b. 1832, d. 1916.
- 1.1/ Catherine U., b. 1852, md. George Riley. 2083,4594
a. George Riley. 4595
b. Morterville Riley. 4596
c. Minnie Riley. 4597
- 2.1/ William B. U., railroad man, b. 4 JUL 1854, d. 16 AUG 2084
1928 (East Point, GA)(Bur. Westview Cem., Atlanta, GA),
md. Sally Condor. 4598
a. William Frank U., Sr., meat packer, md. (1st) _____; 4599
md. (2nd) May Reuter; md. (3rd) Mary Wooten. 6197,6198
b. Robert U. 4600
c. Grover U. 4601
d. Benny U. 4602
e. Mozelle U. NM. 4603
f. Annie Mae U., (Bur. Westview Cem., Atlanta, GA), md. 4604
(ATLANTA, GA) Henry Leon Cannon, b. Stilesville, GA
(Bur. Westview Cem., Atlanta, GA). 6202
- 3.1/ Jane U., b. 1855. 2085
4.1/ Charles U., b. 1856, md. 2086
a. Charlie U. 4605
b. Jimmy U. 4606
- 5.1/ John U., b. 1858, md. 2087
a. Willie U. 4607
- 6.1/ Joseph Cephus U., b. 6 OCT 1860 (Bowdon, GA), d. 26 MAR 2088
1938 (Bur. Westview Cem., Atlanta, GA), md. (1st) 1885
Annie Short 3/; md. (2nd) 7 JUN 1903 Delure Shaw 4/, b. 3190,4375
23 AUG 1873.
- a.3/ Homer Berman U., b. 2 JUL 1886 (Campbell Co., GA), 3191
d. AUG 1966 (Campbell Co., GA)(Bur. Fairburn, GA).
md. 28 NOV 1906 (Fairburn, Campbell Co., GA)
Emma Betsy Patton, b. 3 NOV 1887, d. MAY 1966 (Bur. 3192
same as HUS).
- b.3/ Hattie Gay U., b. 16 JAN 1888, d. 4 MAR 1888. 4365
c.3/ Wayne C. U., b. 24 MAR 1889, d. 31 AUG 1894 4366
(train accident).
- d. Aurora Ethel U., md. Claborn Edge. 4367,4610
e. Ouida Gay U. 4368
- f.3/ Colquitt Alfred U., Sr., b. 18 OCT 1894 (Fairburn 4369
GA), d. 15 DEC 1965 (Norfolk, VA), md. Marie Ethel 4634
Anderson, b. 10 APR 1896, d. 23 FEB 1978.

- c. John Calvin U., b. 1912, md. Annie May Tomlin, b. 1918.
d. Mattie Rae U., b. 1914, d. 1936, md. Malcolm Harkins, b. 1902, d. 1940. No issue.
e. Sara Ruth U., b. 1922, md. Edgar Horace O'Pry, b. 1913, d. 1959.
4. Velma U., b. 26 MAR 1887, d. 20 NOV 1972, md. Walter Hornsby.
5. Zada Eldora U., b. SEP 1882, d. 1953, md. (Ashland, AL) Joseph Walter Griffin, b., d. 30 APR 1935.
6. Emma U., b. 26 NOV 1891, md. 26 DEC 1911 Grover Cleveland Tomlin, b. 1889, d. 1975. 7452
7. Huron Gay U., b. 17 MAY 1896, md. 15 JUL 1914 Zella Maude Patterson, b. 29 DEC 1896. 6709
a. Joseph Wilson U., b. 20 AUG 1919, md. 1 NOV 1941 Carrie Frances Sweat, b. 3 JUL 1922. 6710
6712
- J. Willis J. U., CSA, b. 28 NOV 1826 (Henry Co., GA), d. 28 NOV 1910 (Clay Co., AL)(Bur. Clay Co., AL), md. (1st) Sarah (Sally Bonner) Mabry 1/, b. 1825 (GA), d. 1860; md. (2nd) 6 SEP 1865 Missouri A. Whitehead Hutchens (Hudgins) 2/, b. 1832, d. 1916. 2081
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- 1.1/ Catherine U., b. 1852, md. George Riley. 2083,4594
a. George Riley. 4595
b. Morterville Riley. 4596
c. Minnie Riley. 4597
- 2.1/ William B. U., railroad man, b. 4 JUL 1854, d. 16 AUG 1928 (East Point, GA)(Bur. Westview Cem., Atlanta, GA), md. Sally Condor. 2084
4598
a. William Frank U., Sr., meat packer, md. (1st) _____; md. (2nd) May Reuter; md. (3rd) Mary Wooten. 4599
6197,6198
b. Robert U. 4600
c. Grover U. 4601
d. Benny U. 4602
e. Mozelle U. NM. 4603
f. Annie Mae U., (Bur. Westview Cem., Atlanta, GA), md. (Atlanta, GA) Henry Leon Cannon, b. Stilesville, GA (Bur. Westview Cem., Atlanta, GA). 4604
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- 3.1/ Jane U., b. 1855. 2085
4.1/ Charles U., b. 1856, md. 2086
a. Charlie U. 4605
b. Jimmy U. 4606
- 5.1/ John U., b. 1858, md. 2087
a. Willie U. 4607
- 6.1/ Joseph Cephus U., b. 6 OCT 1860 (Bowdon, GA), d. 26 MAR 1938 (Bur. Westview Cem., Atlanta, GA), md. (1st) 1885 Annie Short 3/; md. (2nd) 7 JUN 1903 Delure Shaw 4/, b. 3190,4375
23 AUG 1873.
a.3/ Homer Berman U., b. 2 JUL 1886 (Campbell Co., GA), d. AUG 1966 (Campbell Co., GA)(Bur. Fairburn, GA). 3191
md. 28 NOV 1906 (Fairburn, Campbell Co., GA) Emma Betsy Patton, b. 3 NOV 1887, d. MAY 1966 (Bur. same as HUS). 3192
- b.3/ Hattie Gay U., b. 16 JAN 1888, d. 4 MAR 1888. 4365
c.3/ Wayne C. U., b. 24 MAR 1889, d. 31 AUG 1894 (train accident). 4366
d. Aurora Ethel U., md. Claborn Edge. 4367,4610
e. Ouida Gay U. 4368
f.3/ Colquitt Alfred U., Sr., b. 18 OCT 1894 (Fairburn GA), d. 15 DEC 1965 (Norfolk, VA), md. Marie Ethel Anderson, b. 10 APR 1896, d. 23 FEB 1978. 4369
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From Reynolds Hyatt U., a ggggs of Charles U. we received the following note on 18 FEB 1983: "We appreciate the good work you are doing on the UB and look forward to receiving the 1983 issues. My Dad, Ralph U. (80 years old) has known or known of, many of the relations you have listed and receives many hours of pleasure studying the UB."

All interested Upchurches are invited to attend the Carroll Co., GA Upchurch reunion. It will be held as usual on the first Sunday in October (OCTOBER 2, 1983 this year). It has been held annually since the middle 1920's and while it commemorates the birth of Thomas Homer U., a grand-son of Charles U., all Upchurches are invited. The event is held on the campgrounds of the Shiloh Methodist Church at Burwell in Carroll Co., GA. The attendance is usually 100-125. Many of the attendees go to the church service and then spread their lunch in the fellowship hall. Appreciation is expressed to James Paul Johnson, Jr. who supplied this information.

CLAN 2. (CHARLES UPCHURCH)

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We are especially grateful to the descendants of Colquitt Alfred U., 4369
Sr. and of Benjamin Franklin U. for their recent correspondence pro- 4370
viding details on their lines. These two brothers are sons of Joseph 2088
Census U. of the Charles U./Thomas Gav U.. Sr. Subclan.

Over the past year we have enjoyed our detailed correspondence with Thomas Ralph U. of Birmingham, AL. He has continued to collect and provide information on his descendants and close relatives. He was 83 on MAY 1, 1985 and both he and his wife, Myrtle, are still quite active. On 31 MAR 1985 the Shadyside United Methodist Church dedicated the day of service as "Appreciation Day for Ralph and Myrtle Upchurch". We rejoice with Ralph and Myrtle in this honor which has come to them. From the comments printed in the church bulletin we know the honor is well deserved. From what Ralph has written about his family we know that they are a family on the move - in business, science, and service to society. Ralph, you are indeed a good and faithful servant!

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Does anyone know the whereabouts of the children of Martha
Lucy (Upchurch) Tidd? The last we heard her son Charles Wharton
Tidd, Jr. worked for IBM. We are anxious to dedicate an issue of
the UB to her for her early work on the Upchurch family and need
a picture of her and other details.

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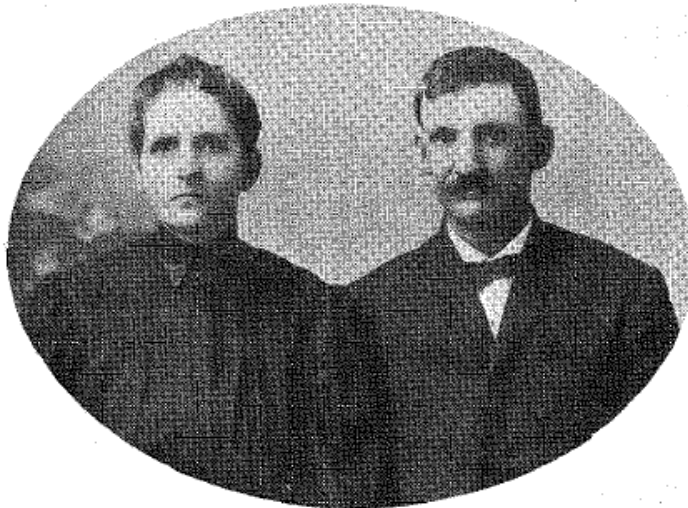
II. PHOTOGRAPH

GEORGE BLAKLEY UPCHURCH, SON OF WILLIAM BARNES U., XID
 GS OF THOMAS GAY U., SR., AND GGS OF CHARLES U., 3145,2073
 HEAD OF CLAN 2 2071,164

George Blakley U., was b. 9 APR 1857 in Carroll Co., GA and 3145
 died there on 15 AUG 1930. He and his two wives are buried at
 Smith's Chapel in Bowden, GA. He is shown below with his first wife,
 Sarah Caroline (Carolyn) "Carrie" (Turner) U. who was b. 5 MAY 1860, 3149
 d. 31 JAN 1917. His second wife was Fannie D. (North)(Garrett) U. who 9798
 was born 14 FEB 1860 and died 27 OCT 1928. He had four children by
 his first wife - Joseph Emory U., John William U., Alice Kate 4790,4791,4789
 U., and Jennie Belle U. but none by his second wife. 4792

George was one of five children of William Barnes U. who 3145,2073
 died on the battlefield in 1862 in the Civil War at Knoxville, TN
 when his son George was only five years old. George apparently 3145
 lived his entire life in the county of his birth. We need more
 details about his activities.

We are indebted to several descendants of George who have
 supplied details. They include Clarabelle (Copeland) Burns, Elouise 9814
 (Copeland) Eason and Felix Charles Upchurch. The latter kindly 9813,9733
 supplied the photograph. Two other gc of George, Mary Kathleen U. 3145,9730
 and Horace Emory U. are interested in the Upchurch family as 9732
 evidenced by their presence at the 1982 Upchurch Reunion in Carroll
 Co., GA. Significant information has also been supplied by nephew,
 Thomas Ralph U.; by niece, Mary Jo (U.) Martin; and by 3355,3128
 James Paul Johnson, Jr. 7763



My good friend and our Cousin William Nathaniel Cannon retired from Eli Lilly & Co. in Indianapolis, IN on 30 APR 1986. Bill has spent his professional life with Lilly as a Chemist and it has been your Editor's privilege to visit with him there several times in recent years. Bill will try Colorado as a retirement location.

CLAN 2. (CHARLES UPCHURCH)

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Ben Lane Upchurch, Sr. of Atlanta, GA has provided information 4377
showing that daughters of two former mayors of Atlanta, GA md. sons
of John Emerson Upchurch. John E. U. was the son of Jethro Wilson 2093,2074
U., the gs of Thomas Gay U., Sr., and the ggs of Charles U., Head 2071,164
of Clan 2. Mayor Issac Newton Ragsdale had a dau, Lucille Ragsdale -,4671
who md. Roy Connie Upchurch, son of John Emerson Upchurch. 4582,2093
Courtland S. Winn II, Mayor of Atlanta 1911-1912, had a dau
Clara Mae Winn who md. Clevia W. Upchurch, son of John 15010,4590,2093
Emmerson U. Clara Mae U., d. 28 FEB 1986 in St. Petersburg, FL 15010
at age 99.

A. Boyd Bradfield Upchurch - Author Extraordinary.

1. The Circumstance.

Starting in 1978 your Editor encountered the following information in a library index: "Upchurch, Boyd - Science Fiction; see Boyd, John" and under Boyd, John found "Barnard's Planet/ John Boyd (i.e. B. Upchurch) New York: Berkley Pub. Corp distributed by Putnam (1975) 216 p". For years this card had an unclear meaning. Several years later it was to become clear that our Cousin Boyd Bradfield Upchurch had become very successful in writing science fiction and that he often used the pen name John Boyd. He also writes other types of books. Since those early years I have come to know Boyd through correspondence and have started collecting and reading his books. He is great!

2. The Books.

The following is a list of books authored by Cousin Boyd:

- a. The Slave Stealer. By Boyd Upchurch.
- b. Scarborough Hall. By Boyd Upchurch.
- c. Behind Every Bush. By Boyd Upchurch.
(With Missouri Congressman Richard Icord).
- d. The Last Starship From Earth. By John Boyd.
- e. Sex and The High Command. By John Boyd.
- f. The Rakehells of Heaven. By John Boyd.
- g. The Pollinators of Eden. By John Boyd.
- h. The Doomsday Gene. By John Boyd.
- i. The Organ Bank Farm. By John Boyd.
- j. The I. Q. Merchant. By John Boyd.
- k. The Gorgon Festival. By John Boyd.
- l. Barnard's Planet. By John Boyd.
- m. The Andromeda Gun. By John Boyd.
- n. The Girl With The Jade Green Eyes. By John Boyd.
- o. The Man Time Forgot. - (Not yet published).

3. The Man.

Boyd was b. 3 OCT 1919, the son of Ivie Doss Upchurch, b. 24 FEB 1878 (Lanett, AL), the gs of James Keating Upchurch, b. 15 AUG 1840 (West GA or East AL). (We have yet to identify the father of James Keating Upchurch.) Ben Lane Upchurch, Sr. of Atlanta, GA was kind enough to send a copy of an interview with Boyd published in the June 1985 issue of Emphasis magazine issued by the Georgia State University Alumni Association. This article tells a lot about Boyd. He went to Georgia State in the late 1930's using a \$250 scholarship he had earned for writing a radio play at North Fulton High School in Atlanta, GA. The school was then Atlanta Junior College. Although he never graduated, he went on to attend Northwestern University and the University of California. During WW II he served in the Navy and sailed with merchant ships to Russia on the Murmansk route. He mustered out as a Lieutenant Commander. It is obvious that Boyd is a gifted writer and that people appreciate his books. Just reading a little of one of his books will convince you that he has a special talent for creating phrases and describing situations, scenes and emotions. He not only has a keen imagination but he knows how to hitch it to his language capability.

For a time Boyd worked in the photo engraving industry and did writing on a part-time basis. Eventually his wife, Fern, a successful real estate broker convinced him to write full time so he did. Fern died in 1985 after a lengthy illness which took Boyd's mind away from writing as he took care of her. More recently Boyd has been considering a historical novel set in Atlanta.

When I asked Boyd if I could use excerpts from the article in Emphasis he wrote - "... and of course you may use the article in any way you see fit. As Kaul (Boyd's late brother) once said, when he read a review of one of my books, 'It is good to see the name UPCHURCH on something besides a post office wanted bulletin.' So if anything I've done can inspire any Upchurch to try their hand at writing, then I will feel I have done the clan a favor."

On the basis of what we know about Boyd Bradfield Upchurch it is reasonable to state that he is the most successful Upchurch author in the long history of our family. With his intellect and capability there is every reason to believe that he will pen more works and it is our fervent hope that he will be fully and abundantly rewarded for his creativity.

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One of your editor's colleagues at the University of Arizona is Dr. Lloyd Gay. A chance conversation led to the discovery that his Gay ancestors came from Clay County, AL. It so happens that this is where Thomas Gay U., Sr. settled after the Civil War. This lead is being explored to see if the Gay-Upchurch connections which started in NC in the late 1700's are related to the Gays and Upchurches who lived in Clay Co., AL in the late 1800's.

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Cousin Ben Lane U., Sr. of the Charles U./Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan has sent us a beautiful sketch of his personal history. It is most impressive. 4377,164/2071

WILLIAM BENNY UPCHURCH AND FAMILY
 (of the Charles U./Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan)

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| 1. Mozelle U., b. 27 MAR 1890, DAU | 4603 |
| 2. Grover C. U., b.1 JAN 1893, SON | 4601 |
| 3. Sarah Levince Condor, b. 16 OCT 1859, MOT | 4598 |
| 4. William Franklin U., b. 16 DEC 1885, SON | 4599 |
| 5. Bennie Beland U., b. 25 SEP 1899, SON | 4600 |
| 6. Robert Zellers U., b. 1884, SON | 4602 |
| 7. William Benny U., b. 4 JUL 1854, FAT | 2084 |
| 8. Annie Mae U., b. 1892, DAU | 4604 |

For this photo of the William Benny U. family we are indebted to William Nathaniel Cannon whose mother, Annie Mae, stands to the far right in the photo. The picture was made about 1902 in East Point, GA.

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William Benny U. was the son of Willis J. U., the gs of Thomas Gay U., Sr., and the ggs of Charles U., Head of Upchurch Clan No. 21. William Benny U. worked for the railroad that ran between East Point and West Point, GA. It appears his home base and his home were in East Point. It has always seemed odd that East Point, GA, is nearby Atlanta, but on the west side. The story behind this is that the railroad started at a point in GA near the AL line which became known as West Point and ran to the Atlanta area. Initially the Atlanta leaders declined to let the railroad build into the city, so its terminus near Atlanta became East Point. This terminus grew into a town and remains so today. There are cotton mills in and around the town.

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A number of Upchurch families settled in East Point, GA and many of their descendants reside there today. Bill Cannon attended school there at William A. Russell High School with his second cousin, Ben Lane U., Sr. Bill was back for a reunion recently and had a grand time.

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In the William Benny U. family the shining commercial success was son, William Franklin U. Frank operated a very successful packing business (animal slaughter) called "Upchurch Packing Company". Bill remembers Frank's fleet of shiny blue trucks which served a large area of the state. Two of Frank's brothers worked with him in the business as did Henry Cannon, Bill's Dad. Brother Robert Zellers U. did not fit into the scene. Eventually the packing business was sold to a larger firm. Although Bill Cannon grew up in East Point he did not know his Upchurch Aunts and Uncles which indicates that they lived away from the town during the decade 1935-1945. He did know his Uncle Frank.

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Bill Cannon recalls visiting his Condor relatives in Palmetto, GA. His mother attended the First Methodist Church in East Point. The Upchurch families of East Point used Westview Cemetery in southwest Atlanta and the families visited gravesites there often.

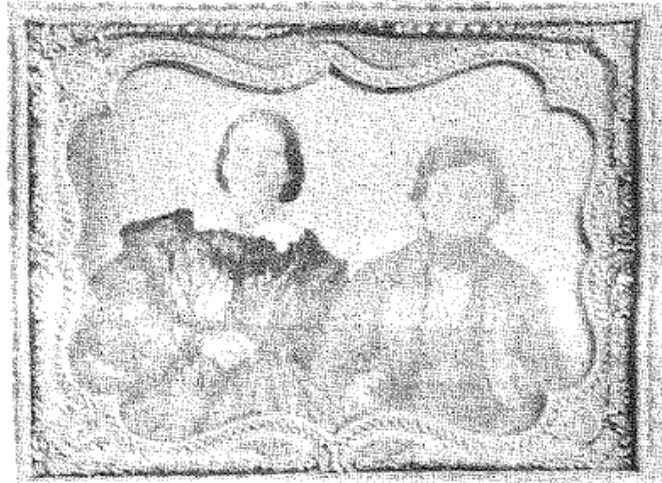
Family history is made of bits and pieces. We are pleased to present this sketch and photo of one part of the Charles U./Thomas Gay U., Sr., Subclan.

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As a footnote to the above we noted that Frank U. appears much shorter than his younger brother Grover. We called Bill Cannon and he confirmed that the labels on the picture are correct. He recalls his Uncle Frank as a small man.

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MEMBERS OF THE CHARLES UPCHURCH/THOMAS GAY UPCHURCH, SR. 164,2071
SUBCLAN



Pictured above are Thomas Gay Upchurch, Jr., b. ca 1827 (GA) and 2082
his wife, nee: Sarah Miller, b. ca 1826 (GA). Information on this 2089
couple and their descendants has recently started to appear in more
abundance. However, we are still in need of many more details. We
do not have a death date on either of the two individuals and are hard
pressed to estimate the date of the photograph. Are they an old
looking young couple or a young looking old couple? The husband certainly
has an abundant shock of black hair. Would a reader disagree if the
Editor hazarded a guess of age 45 which means a photo taken ca 1871?

Thomas Gay Upchurch, Jr. married in GA and his children were born
there around 1850. In due course this family lived in the area of
Vernon, LA. Just how long they lived in LA and whether or not members
of the family died and were buried there we are yet to learn. We do
know that some of the descendants moved on to Corsicana, TX and from this
base became influential in the affairs of the State of Texas. James 20040
Fred Upchurch, a grandson of Thomas Gay Upchurch, Jr., was an Assistant 2082
Attorney General for Texas. His wife the late, nee: Alice Ray Brown 20045
Gray, was interested in Upchurch family history and copies of her
letters of inquiry from the 1950s era have found a place in your
Editor's files.

We are indebted to Mrs. John Joseph Hammett, nee: Ruth Upchurch 21174
Unruh for this photo. She is a greatgranddaughter of the couple
pictured.

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In the Charles U. Clan we have a dynamic new correspondent in the person of Virginia Dianne (Kenney) Greene of Opelika, AL. She is a very active and effective researcher and is making great inroads on the basic genealogical records for our family in AL and GA. Through her work we have more firmly established the Charles U./Eaton U. Subclan to which she belongs. The story of the Upchurches in AL and GA for the 1800s is filling in nicely; so watch the UB for the more complete picture as it unfolds. 164

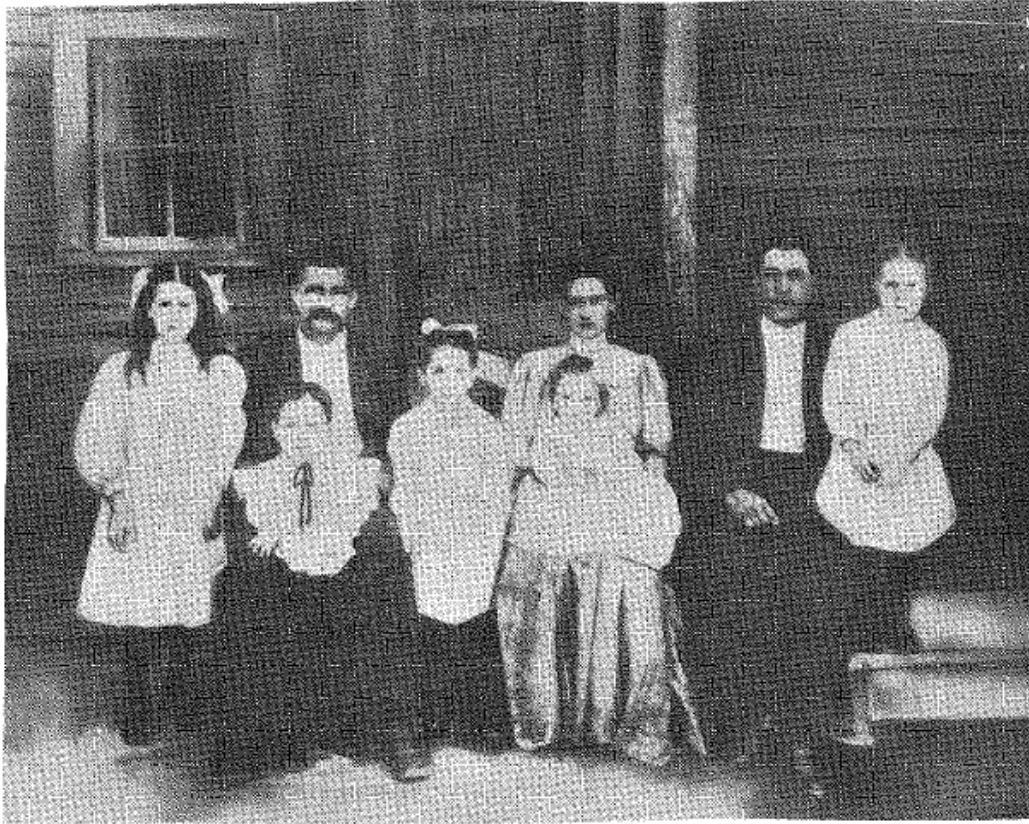
We have been "discovered" by Mrs. John Joseph Hammett, nee: Ruth Upchurch Unruh. She is of the Charles/Thomas Gay U. Sr. Subclan and is descended from Thomas Gay U., Jr. Note his photo in this issue of the UB. Ruth is being very helpful. 21174 164/2071 2082

It is with great satisfaction that we note the continued interest of Thomas Ralph U. in the family. Ralph is a gs of William Barnes U. of the Charles/Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan and he will be 87 years old next May. 3355,2073 164/2071

II. PHOTOGRAPH

JOSEPH LUMPKIN UPCHURCH AND FAMILY
 (OF THE CHARLES U./THOMAS GAY U., SR. SUBCLAN)

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Pictured above are the following:

A.	Alma nmn U. (DAU)	3121
B.	Joseph Lumpkin U. (FAT)	3108
C.	Glen nmn U. (SON)	3124
D.	Essie nmn U. (DAU)	3119
E.	Mary Elizabeth (Walker) U. (MOT)	3110
F.	Grace nmn U. (DAU)	3125
G.	Andrew Pierce U., Sr. (SON)	3114
H.	Myrl nmn U. (DAU)	3122

	Joseph Lumpkin U., b. 10 NOV 1855 (Bowdon, GA)	3108
	d. 12 JAN 1945 (Cullman, AL)(Bur. Mt. Carmel Cem., Berlin, AL) was the son of William Barnes U. and	2073

the grandson of Thomas Gay U., Sr. This photo was
taken about 1905 at the old farm of Joseph Lumpkin U.
in Waco, GA. where the first eleven of his thirteen
children were born. Sometime around 1908 this family
moved to Cullman, AL which many of his descendants call
home whether they live there or away.

Joseph Lumpkin U. md. 1st 15 MAY 1881 (GA) 3108
Betty Matilda Robison. She died in 1886 (Waco, GA) 3109
after having five children of whom four died as infants.
The surviving child was Andrew Pierce U., Sr. and he 3114
is shown as the fine looking twenty year old male in
the photo. He died in 1977 in Stamford, TX but his
son Andrew Pierce U., Jr. survives and now lives in 3115
Greenfield, IN and is a subscriber to the UB.

Joseph Lumpkin U. md. 2nd 28 DEC 1895 (GA) 3108
Mary Elizabeth Walker who appears in the photo. She 3110
bore eight children, the youngest of which is
Mrs. James Henry Martin (nee: Mary Jo U.) who still 3128
lives in Cullman, AL and is a favorite correspondent
of ours. She graciously supplied the photo. The
only surviving member in the photo is Alma nm U. who 3121
lives with her sister Mrs. J. H. Martin in Cullman, AL. 3110
When Mary Elizabeth died in 1919 leaving young
children, Alma took over as surrogate mother and 3121
cared for all. She never married. Her family has
always been grateful for her special service to them.
Other surviving children of Joseph Lumpkin U. are 3108
Knox nm U. and Clifford nm U., both of 3126,3127
Cullman, AL.

Mary Jo has had a long and abiding interest in 3128
her Upchurch heritage. After providing much detail
about her family in many letters she responded to a
special request to describe her impressions and
recollections of her father, Joseph Lumpkin U. 3108
In her letter of 21 FEB 1989 she penned a touching
tribute which is presented here in his honor. Mary Jo 3128
writes:

"Yes, I am glad to get a chance to tell you about
my dear Dad. Yes, he was a wonderful father. He was very
loving and kind to his family and to everyone. He was
very strict but in a kind loving way. We were taught to
love and respect one another and believe in the word
of God, have Prayer before meals, and attend Church & Sunday
school. Everyone thought highly of Dad. He was a good
neighbor, served as a Stewart in the Methodist Church
and was always ready to help those in need and sickness or
to do anything that he could in the community to help
others. He was known by everyone as Uncle Joe. I never

heard his speak short to anyone or use a by-word of any kind. I still miss him very much.

He farmed when he first moved to Ala. Then he moved to the City of Cullman and went in Business with a friend. They had a furniture store. He also had a small portion of land, 25 acres here in the city, which he farmed. After mother died he wanted to move from the home. So he moved out about a mile east of Cullman and quit the furniture business. He worked for a Mr. Luther Baily in his grocery store a few years. Then he moved to Berlin and farmed. He was 89 years old when he died and was almost completely blind. He had glaucoma in his eyes.

I live within three blocks of our old home where I was born. The top floor was removed and the house remodeled some in later years. The rooms and windows are the same and the old garage is still standing. The twenty-five acres are in streets and houses now and there is a park on the south side of the house.

I found the family record out of Dad's old Bible today in some of Alma's things. Sending the info on to you."

We are all grateful for the above information on Joseph Lumpkin U., a stalwart member of the Charles U./Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan.

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After many years of deliberation we have decided to formally establish that Eaton U. and Keaton U. are 22712,22699 sons of Charles U. The evidence is still circumstantial 164 but since so many clues reinforce the relationship we are proceeding to assign XID numbers. So now we have the Charles U./Eaton U. Subclan and the Charles U./ 164/22712,164/ Keaton U. Subclan. We are grateful to Virginia Dianne 22699 (Kenney) Greene of Opelika, AL, who has recently helped with our understanding of the Charles U. Clan. She is extracting the GA and AL records for publication in the UB. Much has already arrived and she continues to extract and summarize.

In this issue of the UB we publish the outline for the Charles U./Eaton U. and the Charles U./Keaton 164/22712,164/22699 U. Subclans. This is a great step forward in the Charles U. 164 Clan and we trust that it will stimulate more advances.

The Charles U./Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan has brought us a nice surprise. We had a note in 1988 that a Dr. Robert Upchurch of Prescott, AZ was named Treasurer of the AZ Naturopathic Medical Association but we were unable to decide which of the many Robert U's this might be. Then the answer came in a newspaper clipping sent to us by longterm correspondent Robert Claud U., Jr. of Kent, WA. It turns out the Robert U. in Prescott, AZ is his son, Dr. Robert Claud Upchurch, III. The newspaper article was an exciting account of the fact that Dr. Robert U. was in Beijing, China for a five-week acupuncture course at the time of the recent civil disturbance. The PRESCOTT COURIER reports: "Rest was difficult... for the three-year Prescott resident and his American companions holed up in their acupuncture academy dormitory rooms while Chinese soldiers and machines of war rolled through the streets firing randomly at anti-communist demonstrators.In hiding just blocks from Tiananmen Square the scene of the worst bloodshed, Upchurch and the other students - turned refugees contemplated their fate." The article reports many of the impressions of Dr. Upchurch and the warm reception accorded him on his return to Prescott, AZ.

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OUTLINE OF THE EATON UPCHURCH SUBCLAN AND THE 22712
 KEATON UCPHURCH SUBCLAN OF THE 22699
 CHARLES UPCHURCH CLAN (CLAN NO. 2) 164

In UB, Vol. 10, No. 2, it was announced that Eaton U. 22712
 and Keaton U. are now formally recognized to be sons of 22699
 Charles U., Head of Upchurch Clan No. 2. Accordingly, 164
 it is appropriate that the outline for these two subclans
 be published.

Charles U. is presumed to have been b. 11 FEB 1755 in 164
 what was then called Granville Co., NC. We now know the area
 where he was born as the southern tip of Franklin Co., NC or
 more especially as the Moccasin Creek Area. Charles U. was 164
 born just after his parents had moved to NC from VA. Most
 likely they came from Brunswick Co., VA. Charles U. grew 164
 to manhood in the Moccasin Creek Area and, no doubt,
 married there, although we are yet to learn the full name
 of his wife, Mary. We speculate that she was of the local
 Gay family and that she was the dau of Thomas Gay since
 Charles U. named one of his children Thomas Gay Upchurch, Sr.

To the best of our knowledge all of the children of
 Charles U., including the two addressed in this article, 164
 were born and raised in the Moccasin Creek Area of Franklin
 Co., NC although he was known to have had some dealings
 just across the line in Wake Co., NC. Charles U. left 164
 from the Moccasin Creek Area to participate in the
 Revolution and he returned there after his service. Records
 show that he moved to GA shortly before 1820, at which time
 he would have been about 65 years of age. At least four of
 his adult children made the move from NC to GA with him.
 This move was most likely triggered by the availability of
 land in GA as a result of his service in the Revolution and
 in view of the fact that he did not seem to be prospering
 in NC. Since his children were grown at the time it is
 quite possible that it was more a matter of his going
 with them rather than vice versa.

Eaton U. was b. 1780 possibly in Wake Co., NC but more 22712
 likely in Franklin Co., NC. He grew to manhood on the
 border of Wake and Franklin Counties, NC and there married
 in the period 1800 - 1801 Frances Norris, the dau of 22713
 Joseph Norris. They had seven children born from about
 1802 to about 1815 in the area where they were married.
 Perhaps the records will in due course show they had more
 children. One child was named Camp or Kemp or Cemp and to
 this day we have difficulty settling upon a spelling.
 The names were used in later generations and in some cases
 one or other of the versions became fixed for a given
 individual. Thus, regardless of the correct original spelling
 we now have all three versions used as legal names in the

family. This is somewhat confusing at first but not all that unusual in history.

Eaton U. sold his holdings in Franklin Co., NC in 1817 probably in preparation for moving his family to Green Co., GA where he was found in 1820. Subsequently, he was found in Henry Co., GA. It is noteworthy that he was age 78(80?) and in the home of his son Henderson U. in Henry Co., GA in 1860. Presumably, he died before the 1870 census. There is some speculation that the town of Eatonton in Putnam Co., GA may be named after him.

We are fortunate that present day individuals known to us are descended from three of the grandchildren of Eaton U. On 9 FEB 1978, your editor, while in Dallas, TX, called one Grady C. U. and in a cordial conversation received numerous family details. Years later these details were meshed with others to show that Grady C. U. is the grandson of Charles Camp U., Sr. who is a grandson of Eaton U. For another example, we can cite one of our very helpful researchers, Virginia Diann (Kenney) Greene, who is a granddau of Victoria Rosabel Hildebrand, who is a granddau of Eaton U. In turn "Dianne" led us to Geneva NMN (Miller) Beights who is a dau of Sarah Lela Hildebrand, another gd of Eaton U. Altogether we are beginnig to get a good feel for the Charles U./Eaton U. Sublcan, although much remains to be learned.

For Keaton U. our records are more sparse, especially as concerns present day descendants. In fact, we have no contact with or record of any member of this family born since 1873. We hope that a present day descendant of Keaton U. will be found.

Keaton U. was b. 1790 presumably in Franklin Co., NC and he md. Lureana Norris there when he was about age 21. She was the niece of Francis Norris who married Eaton U. This couple had at least one son and four daughters, none of whose names are known to us. Keaton U. had five children by Margaret Heath whom he married in MAY 1831 in Henry Co., GA.

In 1820 and 1821 Keaton U. was allocated land in Monroe Co., GA from GA land lotteries. In 1834 he was allocated land in the GA Gold Lottery. He appears on the 1840 census of Henry Co., GA along with other Upchurch relatives.

The outline for the Charles U./Eaton U. Subclan for generations 6 - 9 is published below:

OUTLINE

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I. Eaton Upchurch, b. ca 1780 (NC), d. ca 1865 (GA), md. ca 1801 (p. Franklin Co., NC) Frances Norris, b. ca 1770.	22712 22713
A. Son, b. ca 1802 (NC).	
B. Dau, b. ca 1804 (NC).	
C. Dau, b. ca 1804 (NC).	
D. Henderson U., b. ca 1804 (NC), d. <1870, md (1st) 18 APR 1832 (Henry Co., GA) Catharine Duffey, b. ca 1813, d. SEP 1850 (Henry Co., GA), md. (2nd) 13 AUG 1857 (Henry Co., GA) Eliza A. Smith, b. ca 1818.	22714 22716 22717
1. H. S. U., b. ca 1834 (GA).	22719
2. Alford (Alfred) V. B. U., b. ca 1836 vs 1828 (GA).	22720
3. Calvin E. U., b. ca 1839 (GA) (p. d. in Civil War).	22721
4. Lloyd H. U., b. ca 1841 (GA) (p. d. in Civil War).	22722
5. Walter T. (C.) U., b. ca 1848 (GA).	22723
6. Erasmus T. U., b. ca 1849 (GA), md. 9 APR 1883 (Henry Co., GA) Georgia Ann U., b. ca 1859, d. (BUR.) (DAU of William Claburn U. of the Richard U. III/Claburn U. Subclan).	22724 23415
E. Camp (Kemp) U., b. ca 1808 (NC), md. 25 SEP 1831 (Henry Co., GA) Sarah Frances Vinch, b. ca 1812 (GA), d. ca 1890.	22715 22718
1. Harber M. U. (Harvard)(Harbard), b. ca 1833 (GA), md. Frances _____, b. ca 1843 (GA).	22725
a. Charles Camp U., Sr., b. 1861 (AL), md. Caldonia Townsend.	22736 22742
b. Mollie U., b. ca 1867 (AL); md. probably: _____ Berry.	22737
c. Nancy U., b ca 1869 (AL)_, md. probably: _____ Barnett.	22738
d. Rena U., b. ca 1872 (AL), md. _____ Andrews.	22739
e. Bula U., b. ca 1878 (LA).	22740
f. Robert "Buddie" U., b. ca 1880 (LA), md. _____.	22741
Had many children.	
2. P. V. U., b. ca 1835 (GA).	22726
3. C. C. U., b. ca 1837 (GA).	22727
4. John W. H. U., b. ca 1839(1842) (GA).	22728
5. Little Berry U. (B.A.U.), b. ca 1841(1845)(GA).	22729
6. Rena Ann U., b. 13 JAN 1840 (p. Henry Co., GA), d. 1879 (Clay Co., AL) (Bur. County Line Baptist Ch. Mellow Valley, Clay Co., AL), md. ca 1859 (p. Randolph Co., AL) Lafayette Van Buren Hildebrand, b. 25 FEB 1835 (DeKalb Co.,	22730 22733

- GA), d. MAY 1920 (BUR. AS WIF).
- a. Thomas William Breckenridge Hildebrand, b. 22743
15 JUL 1860 (Randolph Co., AL), d. as a
child (Bur. Broughton Cem., Randolph Co., AL).
- b. F. Josephine Hildebrand, b. 25 NOV 1861 22744
(Randolph Co., AL), md. _____.
- c. James Pate Hildebrand "Jim", b. 25 FEB 22745
1866 (Randolph Co., AL), d. (Bur. p.
Sylalauga, AL), md. (1st) 19 NOV 1885
(Clay Co., AL) Calastiah A. Bailey, 22752
md. (2nd) Marie _____.
- d. Cemp (Kemp) A. Hildebrand, b. 9 FEB 1868 22746
(Randolph Co., AL), d. ca 1830 (Lorraine,
TX)(Bur. City Cem., Colorado City, TX), md.
4 JUL 1888 (Chambers Co., AL) Nancy Sarah 22753
Alford "Sally", b. DEC 1862 d. ca 1940
(BUR. AS HUS).
- e. Sarah Lela Hildebrand, b. 7 NOV 1869 22747
(Randolph Co., AL), d. 10 APR 1956 (Clay
Co., AL)(BUR. AS MOT), md. 23 OCT 1892
(Clay Co., AL) David Wesley Miller, b. 22754
22 MAR 1872 (Clay Co., AL), d. 16 JUL
1953 (Clay Co., AL)(BUR. AS WIF).
- f. Wyatt Lafayette Hildebrand "Cooter", b. 22748
25 APR 1872 (Randolph Co., AL), md. (1st)
Leona Wellingham - had 2 children, 22755
md. (2nd) Edith Presley - had 8 children. 22756
- g. Rosabel Victoria Hildebrand, b. 9 FEB 22749
1874 (Clay Co., AL), d. 7 JUL 1912
(Winston Co., AL)(Bur. Winston Co., AL),
md. 14 AUG 1898 (Randolph Co., AL)
John Thomas Roughton, b. 16 MAR 1879 22757
(Tallapoosa, AL), d. 11 JAN 1918
(Shawmut, AL)(Bur. Shawmut, AL).
- h. Rena Emm Delaney Hildebrand, b. 21(22) OCT 22750
1877 (Randolph Co., AL), d. 18 JUN 1954
(Roanoke, AL)(But. Cedar Woods Cem., Roanoke,
AL), md. 16 NOV 1916 (Clay Co., AL)
James Winslow Osborn, b. 15 DEC 1878 22758
(Randolph Co., AL), d. 7 DEC 1974 (BUR. AS WIF).
- i. Simmie Hetta Pluma Hildebrand, b. 3 MAR 22751
1879 (Randolph Co., AL), md. Oscar Maddox. 22759
- j. No further issue.
7. Martha D. U., b. ca 1849(1850) (GA), md. 21 JAN 22731
1877 (Chattahoochee Mills, AL) Benjamin F. 22734
McVay.
8. Sarah Emily (Emma) U. 1 /, b. ca 1856 (AL)(b. 22732
AUG 1858 (GA), d. 1883, md. 23 DEC 1877
(Chattahoochee Mills, AL) Ivey B. Morris, 22735
b. SEP 1854 (AL).
- a. 1 / Joseph A. Morris, b. 1880 (Lee Co., AL) 22760
b.* Clara J. Morris, b. JUN 1885 (Chambers Co.,
AL).

- c.* Claude J. Morris, b. SEP 1895 (Chambers Co., AL).
- d.* Clarence D. Morris, b. JUN 1897 (Chambers Co., AL).
- e.* Clifton Morris, b. 1901 (Chambers Co., AL).
(*Children of Ivey B. Morris by his 2nd WIF.)
- f. Son, b. 1810 - 1815.
- g. Son, b. 1810 - 1815.

The outline for the Charles U./Keaton U. Subclan 164/22699
for generations 6 - 9 is published below:

- II. Keaton U., b. ca 1790, md.(1st) 25 SEP 1811 (Franklin Co., NC) Lureana Norris₁/, md. (2nd) 11(1) MAY 1831 (Henry Co., GA) Margaret Heath₂/.
 - A.₁/Son, b. 1810 -1815. 22699
 - B.₁/Dau, b. 1810 - 1815. 22700
 - C.₁/Dau, b. ca 1820. 22701
 - D.₁/Dau, b. ca 1820.
 - E.₁/Dau, b. ca 1820.
 - F.₂/Elender U., b. 1832. 22702
 - G.₂/Laureana U., b. 1835. 22703
 - H.₂/Elbert U., b. 1839, md. 21 DEC 1856 22704
 - Sarah N. Jones. 22707
 - 1. C. S. U., b. ca 1858. 23417
 - I.₂/Henry U., b. 1841. 22705
 - J.₂/Calvin U., b. 1843, md. 21 SEP 1865 22706
 - Mary Daniel. 22708
 - 1. Minnie U., b. ca 1862? (GA). 22709
 - 2. Thomas U., b. ca 1870 (GA). 22710
 - 3. Margaret U., b. ca 1873 (GA). 22711
 - K.₂/Thomas U., b. 1852. 23416

CLAN 2. CHARLES UPCHURCH

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Cousin Felix Charles Upchurch of GA will lead in SEP 90 a party of 7 Upchurches and 2 friends to Europe. They will include a brief visit to Little Gidding. This group is a part of the Charles U./Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan. Hilda (wife of Felix) and Mrs. Clarence M. Eason, Sr. are exploring the prospects of a publication on their section of this subclan. We have a nice letter from Reynolds Hyatt Upchurch giving recent information. His father, Ralph, at age 88 is doing well. Numerous other members of this subclan are also corresponding.

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We are delighted that details on the Charles U./Eaton U. Subclan continue to arrive. Geneva Miller (Mrs. Frank Beights) and Mrs. Fred Rush (nee: Jewel Juanita Canady) continue to help us upgrade the outline. Mrs. Virginia (Kenney) Greene of this subclan

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co-authored the GA Census article in the UB, Vol. 10, No. 4, 1989. She and your editor are currently working on a similar article for AL.

The Charles Upchurch Clan was prominently featured in UB, Vol. 10, No. 4, 1989 in the article on the GA census records.

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We had previously placed Mrs. Rachel U. Coan (nee: Rachel Estelle Upchurch) in the Richard U. III/Claburn U. I Subclan. Correspondence with her now establishes that she is of the Charles U./Keaton U. Subclan.

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CLAN 2. CHARLES UPCHURCH

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From the Charles U./Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan we have a new collaborator, James Shannon Elder of Kingsport, TN. He is a gs of John Shannon Upchurch. He and his Mother and his late Father had been working on their Upchurch line for a number of years. We now join forces. He has purchased a full set of the UB.

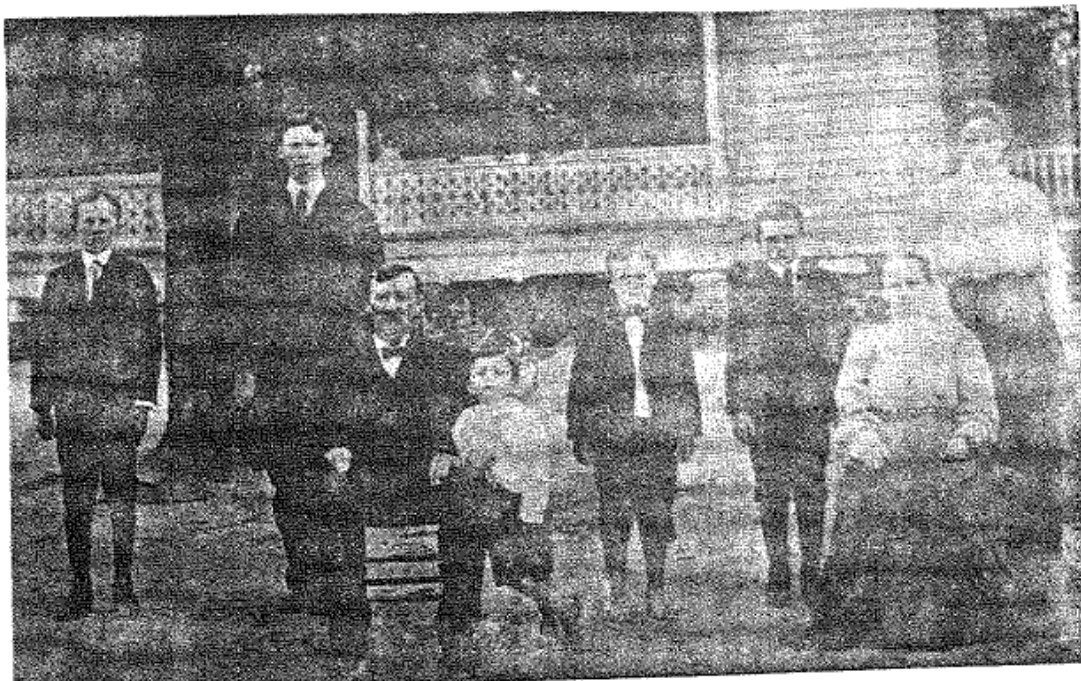
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THE THOMAS HOMER UPCHURCH FAMILY OF THE
CHARLES UPCHURCH/THOMAS GAY UPCHURCH, SR. 164/2071
SUBCLAN



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 C G

A	Charles Lloyd U.	3352
B	Homer Edwin (Edward) U.	3350
C	Thomas Homer U.	3147
D	Thomas Ralph U. (age 5)	3355
E	William James U (died age 9)	3354
F	John Shields U.	3353
G	Mrs. T. H. U. (nee: Carrie Elizabeth Thurman)	3151
H	Rosa May U.	3351

We publish this picture in honor of
 Thomas Ralph Upchurch, who appears as a smug five-year old 3355
 in the picture. He has had a long and abiding interest in
 his Upchurch heritage and besides, he is just a very nice
 person. We are indebted to him also for the photo.

Thomas Homer Upchurch was the son of Wm. Barnes 3147,2073
 Upchurch of the Charles U./Thomas Gay U., Sr. Subclan. 164/2071
 T.H.U. was a farmer and this picture was taken on his 3147
 farm in 1907 between Smith's Chapel and Mt. Zion in GA.
 The picture portrays T.H.U. and his first wife, Carrie 3147,3151
 and all of their children, except Fannie Ailene U. who 3349
 had married and departed the nest. Carrie died in 1908 3151
 and T.H.U. married and had three more children. 3147

This family has also brought us another outstanding
 collaborator - James Paul Johnson, Jr. of Chattanooga, 7763
 TN. He is the son of Rosa May U. who appears in the 3351
 picture as a young sophisticated lady 16 years of age.

We would welcome more pictures of Upchurch family
 members. If a photo contains a likeness of an Upchurch
 family member born before the Civil War, the photo will
 be considered for publication in the UB.

Charles U. had a son Thomas Gay U., Sr. We 164,2071
have always presumed that this son could have been
named after his mother's family which, presumably,
would have had the family name GAY. We have thus
been alert to establish contact with anyone working
on the history of the Gay Family located in east
central NC in the 1700s. A lead of this type appeared
in the November 7, 1992 (Issue 1255) of the publication
Family Puzzlers. A Mr. Jerry A. Hunt of Austin, TX is
interested to work with anyone knowledgeable about the
descendants of John Gay, b. ca 1753, d. ca 1808 (Nash Co.,
NC). We have written to Mr. Hunt to learn if we have
mutual interests. The publication Family Puzzlers is
proving to be a valuable aid in our search to amplify
our Upchurch heritage. Money donated to THE UPCHURCH
RESEARCH FUND is used to purchase this and similar
publications.