

ALICE

KERR

○ EXCERPT FROM INDEX OF BOOK "THE GOODWIN FAMILY OF CENTRAL N.C." BY THOMAS JERRY GOODWIN, SR - 2009 RPU 24NOV2012. - NOTE: INDIVIDUALS LISTED AS MEMBERS OF THE \_\_\_\_\_ FAMILY - [WAKE/CHATHAM COUNTIES]

Kerr  
Alice 854

① From: UPCHURCH STORY By Oline Morgan Pg 52

Eugene Kerr md FEB 1936 (?) Helen Eltonia

McDonald b 27 DEC 1910 d 11 FEB 19XX. She was the  
daughter of Ethel Small of the Richard U, III / Bookner  
U Subclass - Wesley U Lind.

② see It 25 JUL 2001 Marilyn Jane Kerr d RPM  
my father Eugene Willard Kerr md my  
mother in MO. she is Helen Eltonia McDonald and  
she is buried in the Mt Sterling City Cem.,  
in Brown Co, IL.

○ See Iti 9 DEC 1994 Richard Sean U. DRPU

I. John Milton U, I of the John U, III / Samuel  
U Sublan - John U Leno.

A. Clyde Ellen U

1. Neva Eleanor Witters b 3 SEP 1915 (Dahlgren, IL)  
md (1st) 22 JAN 1938 (Alamosa, CO) Alfred Henry  
Solman b 11 SEP 1912 ( ) & 13 NOV 1987

md (2nd) 22 JUN 1992 (Reno, Washoe Co, NV)

Wayne Beard b 29 AUG 1914 (Lake City, Modoc Co,  
CA)

a. Diane Verian Solman b 10 OCT 1939  
(Alamosa Co, CO)

md (1st) 11 JUN 1961 (Ashland, Jackson Co, OR)

Gerald Carl Kerr b 3 SEP 1938 (ND)

Deceased 1969

① See Book Extract "A Trip from GA to TX ---"  
by Mrs C. E. Kerr

Celestia Eunice Lofton traveled GA to Comico, TX  
in 1865 when she was age 10 with her mother,  
Harriet K to 7 MAY 1813 (GA). Her children were  
Lavene Kerr, Mahel Kerr, Harrietta Kerr.

② See Ltr Roy White 26 AUG 1980 to RPH

"I telephoned Mrs [Bruce] Grippin [~~Celestia~~ Frances Elease  
Coleman] and then her Aunt Harrietta [Harrietta Kerr]  
(Mrs J. Davis Camp of Decatur, GA) who is a daughter  
of C. Eunice and is 82 yrs old ---" Roy says  
Aunt Harrietta related to him a story about  
how Eunice TX was named for Celestia  
Eunice Lofton

③ See Ltr Reid 8 SEP 1981 by RPH from Paddy Eunice Coleman  
Harriett Kerr bca 1898 md J. Davis Camp. They had a  
dar Doris Camp who md James ~~Walker~~ Walker +  
had 3 children.

④ See Ltr 3 NOV 1980 Frances Elease Coleman to RPH  
Harriet Frances Kerr b 27 FEB 1898 md 17 DEC 1919  
was only living child. - Mrs J. D. CAMP  
211 Garden Lane } 2nd AF  
Decatur, GA 30030 }

(5)

In 83 and past the age to be interested in ancestry, I had a wonderful mother Celestia Ennis Loftin Kerr but glad my niece Mrs. Bruce Suffin is interested. PG 2

DEPARTMENTS FOR UPCHURCH BULLETIN

The eleven items listed below give some idea as to the Departments (Sections) which appear in the bulletin.

My key side of the family are into on Ancestry + have made numerous trips to Europe checking everything + I have all this.

Wish I had known someone interested while she was alive she could certainly have filled you in - Mrs Davis Camp

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MRS J. DAVIS CAMP

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⑥ See It 4 NOV 1984 Frances Elease Coleman to RPH  
 [note: Frances indicates that she got help with  
 her answers. Circumstances dictated that the  
 help was from Harriet Frances Kerr who  
 penned a note at the end "My sight is  
 very bad - glaucoma - so hope you can read  
 all of this. I'm 86 - live alone but do by  
 choice - have a marvelous daughter, 3 grandsons,  
 all doing fine - 3 greatgrandchildren - so I'm  
 blessed. - Regards Harriet Kerr Camp." ]

Answers:

Harriet Frances Kerr b 27 FEB 1898 (Decatur, GA)  
 and 17 DEC 1919 Bapt Taherunde [assume  
 Decatur, GA - RPH]. Jesse Daws Camp b 2 MAY 1892  
 d 15 MAY 1939 - Bur - Decatur Cem - Camp Lot.

① See Lt 14 AUG 1981 Ruth~~e~~ Eunice Coleman to RPH  
my mother, Maude Laurene Kerr, had a  
brother Edwin Kerr.

② See Lt Reid 8 SEP 1981 by RPH from Ruth Eunice Coleman  
Edwin Kerr and Magnolia Bostwick. They had  
a son Edmund.

③ See Lt 3 NOV 1980 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH

A. Mr James E. Kerr  
802 Lullwater Rd  
Atlanta, GA 30307 } in AF. } [conclude this  
in JR not  
SR - RPH]

~~James Edwin Kerr~~  
B. James Edwin Kerr b 15 DEC 1888 d 24 NOV 1924  
and Magnolia Bostwick

④ See Lt 4 NOV 1984 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH  
James Edwin Kerr, Sr d in Atlanta, GA. He and  
Magnolia BOSTWICK in Bostwick, GA. She was  
b in Bostwick, GA. She ~~was~~ married again  
after James died. She d in Gainesville, GA & is  
buried in the KERR Cem plot in Decatur, GA

⑤ See Lt 15 APR 1985 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH  
James Edwin Kerr, Sr is buried in Kerr lot in  
Decatur, GA. He and in Decatur, GA. His wife  
Magnolia was b Bostwick, GA. She d in  
Gainesville, GA but is buried in Kerr Cem, Decatur, GA.

JAMES EDWIN KERR, JR

XFD-7084

① See Ltr 8 SEP 1981 Ruthy Ennie Coleman to RDU

Edwin Kerr is son of Edwin Kerr & Magnolia  
Bostick. The Kerr are of the James U IV/Burnell  
U Subdan.

② See Ltr 3 NOV 1980 Frances Glenn Coleman to RDU

Mr James E. Kerr  
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Atlanta, GA 30307. } in AF



- ① See Extract of Eunice Joften Bible  
James L. C. Kern and C. Eunice Joften were  
md 28 FEB 1870(?), 1878(?).
- ② See It's 1 AUG 1980 Frances Eleese Coleman to RPU  
James L. C. Kern b 2 MAY 1842 d 8 JUL 1917 (or 1916)  
md 28 FEB 1878 Celestia Eunice Joften.
- ③ See Book Extract "A Trip from GA to TX ---"  
by Mrs C. E. Kern.  
Celestia Eunice Joften at age 10 in 1865 travelled by  
Conrad Wagon GA to Grimes Co, TX with her  
mother ~~Harriet~~ Harriet U b 7 MAR 1813 (GA) and  
at age 90 wrote of this trip. She md.  
Lupton Kern. Their children = Laurene Kern, Mabel Kern,  
Harriette Kern
- ④ See Family chart rec'd 11 FEB 1981 from Frances Eleese Coleman  
Her gf is listed clearly as JAMES LUTHER CARY KER.  
b 2 MAY 1842 d 8 JUL 1917 md 28 FEB 1878 C. Eunice  
Joften.
- ⑤ See It's 14 AUG 1981 Ruth Eunice Coleman to RPU  
James L. C. Kern b 2 MAY 1842 Caswell Co, NC  
d 8 JUL 1917 (Decatur, GA).
- ⑥ See It's rec'd 8 SEP 1981 by RPU from Ruth Eunice Coleman  
James L. C. Kern was born in Decatur GA (DeKalb Co)  
or near his wife.
- ⑦ See It's 4 NOV 1984 Frances Eleese Coleman to RPU  
~~The family~~ James Luther Cary Kern & his family lived  
for a time at Yanceyville, NC where Jan Oline d  
(5 JUL 1887) & son Roy Spencer Kern d (8 AUG 1891). Subsequently he  
moved to Atlanta, GA & thence to Decatur, GA. Eventually Roy  
was moved to the Kern Plot in Decatur, GA but Oline was not.

(See file Reid 8 SEP 1981 by RPH from Ruth Emmelolman)

John Kerr is son of John Kerr of the  
John U<sup>th</sup> / Barnell U Subclan. John  
Kerr, the elder, and Estelle Swanson

- ① See Ity 14 AUG 1981 Ruth Ennie Coleman to RPH  
my mother, Maude Lawrence Kerr, had a brother  
John Kerr.
- ② See Ity Reid 8 SEP 1981 by RPH from Ruth Ennie Coleman  
John Kerr and Estell Swanson & they had 3 children  
Robert & John + Ennie.
- ③ See Ity 3 NOV 1980 Frances Elsie Coleman to RPH  
John B. Kerr b 1 JAN 1879 d 28 JAN 1904. Bur  
DeKalb Co, GA and Estell Swanson on  
6 OCT 1897.
- ④ See Ity 4 NOV 1984 Frances Elsie Coleman to RPH  
John B. Kerr b 1 JAN 1879 d Decatur, GA  
Bur Decatur, GA Lem and Decatur, GA  
Estelle SWANTON b 19 MAY 1876 (Decatur, GA)  
d 30 DEC 1929 bur Kerr Lot Decatur GA Cem.
- ⑤ See Ity 15 APR 1985 Frances Elsie Coleman to RPH  
John Bosley Kerr ↑. His wife died at Decatur, GA
- ⑥ See Those Mississippi Yulmudh'z (42, Pg 16)  
John Kerr ↑ and Estell SWANSON

① See H's rec'd 8 SEP 1981 by RPH from Ruth Ennis Coleman

Ennis Kerr is son of John Kerr of the John W. B. /  
Burnell Subclass

② See H's 15 APR 1985 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH  
& note from her Aunt Harriet Frances Kerr. "About 30  
years ago when Josephine Ennis Kerr only daughter  
of Robert Kerr [Robert Kerr was her bro; John Wesley Kerr  
was her father - RPH] was in bed last stages of  
cancer, begged me to get all this information together  
& I worked weeks on it & made several copies and  
gave Sister Dr. One of your girls will have it.  
Tho I was Ennis's Aunt I was only 7 months  
older than her and we were inseparable until  
she married.

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by Mrs C. E. Kerr.

Celestia Emine Joften traveled GA to Grinn Co, TX  
in 1865 when she was age 10 with her  
mother Harriet U b 7 MAY 1813 (GA). Her children  
were Laurene Kerr, Mabel Kerr & Harriette Kerr.

② See It's Rec'd 8 SEP 1981 by RPH from Ruth Emine Coleman  
Mabel Kerr never married.

③ See It's 3 NOV 1980 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH  
Mabel Eliese [ELEISE?] Kerr b 28 JAN 1895  
d 18 DEC 1971 bur Kerr lot ~~DEK~~ DEKALB CO, GA.

④ See It's 4 NOV 1984 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH  
Mabel Eliese Kerr b Atlanta, GA d in  
the ~~GA~~ Baptist Hospital in Atlanta, GA.  
She was bur in the cemetery at Decatur, GA

① See It# 26 JUN 2001 Carol Ann Marshall to LPA for list of Attendees at Upchurch Reunion, Trussell, IL 17 JUN 2001 - Attendees marked \*

- I. Richard U, III - Head of Elm
  - A. Burkner U
    - 1. Wesley U
      - a. James Madison U
        - i. Ethel Eva U

- (I) Hazel Amanda McDonald
  - (A) Connie Sue Dunn\* md Paul Gallaher\* Both of Mt Sterling, IL
    - (1) Kristopher Paul Gallaher\* md (1) GAYLE — —\* Both of Mt Sterling, IL
    - (2) Brandon Gallaher\* + Friend ERIN REISCHE\*
    - (3) Lois Jean Shinkbarger\* md (2nd) BOB WENDT\* Both of Huntsville, AL
- (II) Kenneth Leon McDonald md (1) WILMA — —\* {She lived at La Prairie, IL
  - (A) Shirley McDonald\* of Augusta, GA
  - (B) Barbara June McDonald\* of Elson, IL md (1) -- WOODS
- (III) Margaret Estella McDonald\* md (1) -- HESTER
- (IV) Helen Elloria McDonald
  - (A) Marilyn Jane Kerr\* md Tipton McCauley\* - Both of Wheaton, IL

② From UPCHURCH STORY by Oline Morgan - Pg 55

Marilyn Jane Kerr b 5 JUL 1943 md (1) Tipton McCauley [Actually McCawley - see ① & ③ - RPA]. She is dau of Helen Elloria McDonald b 27 DEC 1910 of the Richard U, III / Burkner U Subdan - Wesley U line - Ethel Eva U

MARILYN JANE KERR (P62) XIN-1458

③ See notes of RPU/SSU Sojourn to Urbana Reunion on 17 JUN 2001 at Tamarack, Adams Co, IL on this occasion RPU visited with MJKP and she provided her card →. At the Reunion she addressed the Group and asked the successive generations to stand up. She appears to have a fair amount of interest in family history.

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④ Address in It 21 FEB 1980 Olive Morgan to RPU

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1 AUG 2001

MARILYN J. McCAWLEY  
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Dear Cousin Marilyn,

Thank you for your nice letter of 25 JUL 2001 and for all the family details. I appreciate your cooperative spirit but will certainly understand that your participation in our family heritage project will have to unfold over time due to other pressing matters in your life at this particular time.

Your records/interests and mine would seem to match nicely. I have spent a lot of time on the family in earlier years and you have spent more time on more recent generations. Lets keep exchanging and see how helpful we can be to each other.

I love your approach of getting people to write things down. Note enclosed sheet illustrating how I have treated your Aunt



Jane's article. I have tried to get many people to write such stories and have been successful in a few cases - but not many. I collect all I can get my hands on.

The letters are also priceless. Note enclosed enclosed 2 Page 4 Item Profile on Donald Elliott U + how the Elmer James U letter helped it come together. I had items ② + ③ in my files but not collected together under XIX-1393.

Enclosed is a copy of my 3 Pg 6-Item Profile on Wesley U - The GF of your GM Ethel Ina U. There is so much more we need to know - and some of it is still out there waiting for us.

The downloads you indicate you can send over time would be most helpful. Sorry I don't have E-Mail or computer smarts.

Let me hear from you when time permits.

Sincerely yours  
 Phil Upchurch  
 {ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH}

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REC'D  
28 JUL 2001

July 25, 2001

Dear Phil,

I was delighted to find your letter today when I came home from work. I was hoping you would eventually communicate with me. I took all the information from you and then my aunt, Margaret McDonald Hester, who was traveling with us that weekend ended up with the paperwork. I have not been to her house to get it or to make a copy. I knew eventually I could get it from her, but at least this is faster.

I would like very much to work with you and to provide additional information. I see a lot of mistakes in the information you sent - spelling of names and birth dates/deaths, etc. I should be able to correct that information for you and also to have my many cousins verify that the information is accurate. However, at the present moment, I must ask you to be patient with my response time. My beloved aunt, Jane McDonald Brooks Kluvanek Bell died on Sat. 7/21/01. I had spent many days in Wisconsin supervising her care and the eventual placement in a hospice facility. I am now struggling to piece together all of her financial data and to begin probate proceedings. At the present moment this task is consuming all my "free" time. I still have a full-time plus job and after being gone so many days, I am working extra hours to help organize my business life as well as struggling with all the other demands on my life.

I believe I will be able to provide a lot of the exact dates for those immediate relatives of Ethel as well as burial locations etc. I have a wealth of information available to me. Most of my focus has been on accumulating stories from my family members about my grandparents - Guy and Ethel McDonald. I am sending you the story my Aunt Jane wrote for me about her childhood memories. I don't know whether this is the type of thing that you wish to include in your information. These stories are all available on my computer. I have "set" many of the stories to pictures that I had available or different family members provided. I am also including the photocopy and typed translation of a letter sent by Elmer Upchurch (brother of Ethel McDonald) from California. It is my understanding he never returned to Illinois to visit after he moved there.

Just some basic information on correcting information on my basic family.

My mother was Helen Elorie McDonald. She married Eugene Willard Kerr in Missouri. I will verify the dates, etc. when I send you additional information. She is buried in the Mt. Sterling, IL. City Cemetery.

I am Marilyn Jane Kerr McCawley. My birth date is 7/1/43 and I was born in Quincy, IL. I married Tipton Hanson McCawley Jr. in Sherman, IL. on 6/6/64. My middle name is in honor of my aunt Jane A. McDonald Bell. (Jane changed her name from Alzina Jane to Jane A.)

Note: Letter of Elmer James U placed in her Biopile  
Life story of Alzina Jane McDonald placed  
in her Biopile

Copied  
for  
Biopile of  
Alzina  
Jane  
McDonald

△+△+△ We have two children - Monica Jo McCawley Isgren (birth date 6/16/67) who was born in Winfield,  
△+△ IL. She married John Gustav Isgren on 10/14/89 in Wheaton, IL.

△+△+△ Brian Keith McCawley (birth date 5/27/72) who was adopted. He was born in Chicago, IL. Brian  
△ married Ana Mariela Solares in Addison, IL on 4/10/99.

△+△+△ Monica and her husband have two children - Michael James Isgren, born 10/22/94 in Winfield, IL  
△ and Margaret Jane (called Maggie) born 5/24/97 in Houston, TX. Maggie is named for her two great  
□+□ grand aunts - Margaret McDonald Hester and Jane McDonald Bell.

△+□ Brian and his wife are expecting his first child in September.

Again, Phil, please be patient with me as I work my way through mountains of paperwork. So much of my data is on the computer and I will need to print a lot of it for you.

□ If you have e-mail, my address is:

[tiptonmccawley@worldnet.att.net](mailto:tiptonmccawley@worldnet.att.net)

If you work in a special word processing program, please let me know which one. I can work in either Microsoft Word or Corel Word Perfect and/or convert my documents from either program.

*Marilee McCawley*

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23 JUL 2001

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Dear Cousin Marilyn,

It was great to see you and other family members joyfully gathered at the James Madison U homestead on 17 JUN 2001. I enjoyed your effort to get the different generations stand up in sequence. It reminded me a little of trying to herd cats. Such is nature of family gatherings.

Right after the event I put a lot of the information and impression gained in order. Then I went off on some other projects. Recently my copy of the Brown Co, IL Cemetery Book arrived and I have spent a couple of days extracting all of the Upchurch details. A lot of things now fall into place. For example, we now have a fair idea of where the four sons of Bodner U were buried - although your Wesley is the most difficult to sort out. Naturally, we have also come up with more questions.

I wish you and I could have visited more. Hopefully, it is not too late to establish a working relationship by mail. If you have an ongoing interest we can proceed at what ever pace suits you - and deal with whatever aspects interest you. I am always excited about exchanging information.


Enclosed herewith is a copy of my master outline (4 pages) for the family of your GM Ethel Eva (U) McDonald. She was my 4th cousin. It has been sometime since this outline has been updated so no doubt many aspects have changed. I would welcome any corrections or updates you may have. An extra copy is enclosed in case you would like to make notes on it for return to me.

I collect full name (full maiden name of females), dates of birth/marriage/death and place of birth/marriage/death/burial. For place I like to include the town/county/state and the name of cemetery when available. It is not critical to get all of this detail - but sometimes we are lucky enough to do so.

Please let me know what aspects of the Upchurch heritage interest you.

Enclosed is a sheet on the Upchurch Publications. I encourage people to subscribe to the 2001 issue of the Upchurch Bulletin. This get at least 2 items/year sent to cooperators.

I am anxious to collect as much information on the Upchurch Family of Brown Co, IL as possible. I know a huge amount of detail about the Upchurch setting in NC where he <sup>(BOCKNER)</sup> was born and grew to adulthood. He and my GGF Gilbert U were 1st cousins + grew up together. It would be great to hear from you.

Sincerely yours  
 Phil Upchurch  
{ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH}

①

MAUDE LAURENE  
~~MAUDIE LAURENE~~ KERR

XFD-4879

① See It's 1 AUG 1980 Frances Eleese Coleman to RDU.

Maudie Lawrence Kerr b 23 DEC 1883 d 14 FEB 1960

md 12 AUG 1908 Frederick A. Coleman b 23 OCT 1874

d 18 JUL 1936.

② See Book Extract "A Trip from GA to TX ---"

by Mrs C.E. Kerr. near

Celestia Emmie Lofton traveled GA-TX by covered  
waggon in 1865 when she was age 10. Her

mother = Harriet K b 7 MAR 1813 (GA). Her children

= Laurene Kerr, Mabel Kerr, Harriette Kerr.

③ See Family Chart rec'd 11 FEB 1981 from Frances Eleese Coleman

Her mother = MAUDE LAURENE KERR = spelled  
very clearly.

The mother of Maude is shown as C. EMMIE LOFTON  
& the father of Maude = James Luther Cary Kerr.

④ See It's rec'd 26 MAY 1981 by RDU from Ruth Emmie Coleman  
C dau of Maude Lawrence Kerr.

my m + f were md 12 AUG 1908 (Decatur, GA). Father,

Frederick Aurthur Coleman, b 23 OCT 1874 in Grayson Co, GA  
(now called Twin City, GA) d 18 JUN 1936 (Grayson Co),

bur Coleman Cem in Twin City, GA. Mother, Maude  
Lawrence Kerr, b 23 DEC 1883 Caswell (sic) Co NC

d 14 FEB 1960 in Augusta is bur in Coleman Cem.  
Twin City, GA.

⑤ See It's 14 AUG 1981 Ruth Emmie Coleman to RDU - "My mother  
was b in NC because her parents lived there in Yancyville, NC  
for a time then moved back to GA.

(2)

MAUDE LAURENE KERR

XED- 4879

TO RPU FROM FRANCES ELEESE COLEMAN IN HER  
LTR OF 3 NOV 1980 TO RPU

Kerr-Coleman

The wedding of Miss Laurene Kerr and Mr. Frederick Arthur Coleman, of Graymont, Ga., was a pretty event of Wednesday morning, taking place at 9:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents in Decatur.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Colonel and Mrs. J. L. C. Kerr, of Decatur, and is a beautiful girl, a tall, graceful blonde.

The entire lower floor was thrown together, and beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and cut flowers. The ceremony was performed in the front parlor before an altar of palms, by Dr. A. T. Spaulding, who officiated at the wedding of the bride's brother and father.

The bride was beautiful in a gown of soft crepe de chine, made empire, and trimmed with lace, and she wore a handsome pearl and diamond brooch, the gift of the mother. Her bouquet was of white roses.

Her only attendant was her little sister, Mabel Kerr, who directly preceded the bride, wearing a dainty white frock, and carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Only the relatives and intimate friends were invited.

After the ceremony an informal reception was held. Little Misses Harriett and Ennis Kerr, sister and niece of the bride, served punch in the back parlor under an arbor, made beautiful with festoons of grapes and roses.

The bride's going-away gown was of Copenhagen blue taffeta, trimmed with piping of leather-color, and worn with a dainty blouse and a large black hat.

Miss Mary McAfee caught the bride's bouquet.

Mr. Coleman is a prominent business man of Graymont, and the owner of a large mercantile business. He left with his bride on the noon train for Asheville, and they will go to New York and Niagara before going to Graymont, where Mr. Coleman has built a beautiful home.



- ① see #14 AUG 1981 Ruth Emmie Coleman to RPH  
my mother, Maude Lawrence Kerr, had a  
sister Olive Kerr who d early. Olive is  
bur in Yanceyville, NC.
- ② see #18 SEP 1981 by RPH from Ruth Emmie Coleman  
Olive Kerr died at age 6.
- ③ see #13 NOV 1980 Frances Elsie Coleman to RPH  
Olive Kerr. b 28 APR 1881 (Yanceyville, NC  
d 5 JUL 1887 (Yanceyville, NC) (Bur - Yanceyville, NC).
- ④ see #14 NOV 1984 Frances Elsie Coleman to RPH  
For a time the parents of Olive Kerr lived  
in Yanceyville, NC. Olive died there 5 JUL 1887  
as did her brother Roy Spencer Kerr on 8 AUG 1891.  
The family subsequently moved to Atlanta, GA  
and thence to Decatur, GA. Eventually they  
moved Roy's remains to the Kerr lot in  
Decatur, GA but Olive had been buried  
too long to move.  
Olive is a female. Don't know of a 2nd name.  
I have a painting of Olive Kerr which was done  
by my GM Celestia Emmie (after) Kerr. I am  
giving it to Jan [JOHN EDWARD] Waters
- ⑤ see #15 APR 1985 #15 Frances Elsie Coleman to RPH - Quote  
from Harriet Frances Kerr "I have no idea date of Olive's birth  
or death. & when Roy's remains were moved to Decatur, GA.  
mother said Olive had been buried too long to move"

ROBERT KERR

XFD-7081

① See file Reid 8 SEP 1981 by RPM from Ruth Eunice Coleman  
Robert Kerr <sup>son</sup> of John Kerr of the John U. IV/Burnell  
U subsidiary..

- ① See It's Reid 8 SEP 1981 by RPH from Ruth Ennie Coleman Celestia Ennie Loftin [y James U IV / Bunnell U Subclan] had a son Ray Kerr b 13 MAR 1891 d 6 AUG 1891.
- ② See It's 3 NOV 1980 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH  
Ray Spencer Kerr b 2 MAR 1891 d 6 AUG 1891  
Lur De Kalb Co, GA.
- ③ See It's 4 NOV 1984 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH  
Ray Spencer Kerr b 12 MAR 1891 d 8 AUG 1891. He was first buried in NC where his parents were living at the time but they subsequently moved to Atlanta, GA and thence to Decatur, GA and they moved Ray to the Kerr lot at Decatur, GA. An elder sister Olive Kerr who d 5 JUL 1887 in Yanceyville, NC had been buried too long to move.
- ④ See It's 15 APR 1985 Frances Eliese Coleman to RPH  
Ray Spencer Kerr was b in Yanceyville, NC not Atlanta, GA.

○ The Noaman Mills Family By W.A. Mills - Pg 63

- I. Abraham Mills
- A. Naaman Mills
- 1. Lucretia Mills
- 2. Nathan Mills
- a. Joseph Hinton Mills

GGM of RPH

He m'd (1st) H. H. (Broadwell) W  
 [widow of Parker Upchurch.  
 - Children = #1 & #2 [RPH use  
 Harriet Harker Broadwell - W.A  
 Mills use Harker Harriet]  
 He m'd (2nd) Mary Frances White -  
 had - children = #3 → #12

CHILDREN

#10 & #11 →

PRESENTED

HERE

- 10. Mary Bertha Mills (b 7 Jul 1885, d Jan 1925) m 18 Oct 1905 Irving Stephens (b ca 1883). Married in Apex, NC. She lived to age 39.

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- 11. Gertrude Cleone Mills (b 1 Jan 1888, d 13 Mar 1956) m 15 Sep 1909 James H. Brown (b 17 Dec 1885, d 26 Dec 1970). Married by Bap. Min. W.S. Olive, in Apex, NC. Buried at Montlawn Cem., Raleigh, NC. Resided in Raleigh, NC. Gertrude lived to age 68. Their children:
  - (1) Mildred Cleone Brown (b 9 Jul 1911) m Aug 1935 Thomas Kerr, Jr
  - (2) Frances Ann Brown (b 1920, d 1944).
  - (3) James H. Brown, Jr. (b 1927, d 1969) m 19\_\_ Mary Bailey. Their children: Michael, Mary Jane, and David Edward Brown.

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