

KISSEE FAMILY

NOTE: The name KISSEE morphed into KISSEL/KISSELL and these names have sometimes been used interchangeably and alternately. See one input from Linda Entas below.

In the Upchurch Profile System two family folders will be maintained as follows:

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From 10:27 FEB 2004 Linda Entas to RPM:

There is a reason for the different spellings of Kisse (Kissel) Kissell - it's grandpa. He was born Kisse but after he left Kentucky he changed it to Kissel - sometimes one L and sometimes 2 L's. My oldest uncle used 2 L's and my youngest uncle used 1 L and grandpa used both spellings

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5 & 8 JAN 2004 Melva Davis U to RPU with input from LINDA DODDROE
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Notes for JOHN HENRY MCGOWAN:

Russell County, Kentucky, Marriage Records - Book 3

John H. McGown (sic) & Mary Upchurch married on 13 March 1877 by G. H. Wilson. Bond signed Moses Wilson. No other information found.

NOTE: IN OTHER LIST LINDA DODDROE SAYS THAT
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 - iii. HETTIE MCGOWAN, b. August 1884.
 - iv. JOSEPH H. MCGOWAN, b. June 1886.
 - v. HATTIE B. MCGOWAN, b. December 1887.
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 - vi. BENJAMIN H. MCGOWAN, b. February 1890, Kentucky.
 - vii. NORA A. MCGOWAN, b. December 1892.
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