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1920-?

1930:

163	165	Lea John B.	Head	W	M	Apr	1848	51	11	32	no	yes
30	18	Bertha M.	Wife - H	W	F	Jan	1851	42	11	23	no	yes
		Mary B.	Daughter	W	F	Jan	1871	11	11		yes	yes
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 on 4 MAR 2012 RPH noted that Susan Clay has a Lea Family Tree with 1650 entries which I found when searching for John Daniel Lea b 1878 (JDL, Sr (I)). However, the tree is not publicly displayed. Below is a message I sent Susan on 4 MAR 2012. As of 10 MAR 2012 no response has been rec'd -

Home Family Trees Search Contact SusanClay61

Contact this member

This private tree contains info

**John Daniel Lea**  
 b. 1878

Contact SusanClay61

FROM: Phil\_Upchurch Not you? Click here

TO: SusanClay61 SENT 4 MAR 2012

SUBJECT: Lea Family of Wake County, N.C.

MESSAGE: (Maximum of 5000 characters. Note: Form fields will not allow certain combinations of "<" and ">" signs.)

Hi Susan--I am Robert Phillip Upchurch of MO and a native of Wake County. I was a classmate and playmate of John D. Lea, Jr and am currently in touch with his dau Patricia. We hope to write about families of Swift Creek Township in Wake. Are you willing to share. My phone no. is 417-238-1111. EMAIL phil@us.com  
 RPH

ANCESTOR LINK: John Daniel Lea (1878-)

Send or Cancel

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Muler. Inmd RT#4 Raleigh, NC

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BONNIE

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○ From Profile of Floyd Ruffin Vaughn, Jr - Entry 3 JUN 2010  
Alex Morris was hit and killed accidentally by  
a car driven on Tryon Rd. by a man named -- LEA  
who had a daughter Bonnie Lea

○ From Profile of Patricia Lea - 3 MAR 2012  
Patricia does not know Bonnie Lea

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Bertha M Lea WIFE	1888 42
Mary B Lea DAUGHTER	1919 11
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John D Lea SON	1927 2
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② From Mary Lea - 30 APR 2007 - Pg 36

Mary Lea was b 1918 in the house across the road from Yates mill which house belonged to the mill. Her GF JIM LEE came to the mill in 1898 and for a time ran the mill jointly with his son John Lea, Sr, the father of Mary. Jim Lea died when Mary was 4 - heard about 1922

③ INPUT FROM MARY LEA 30 APR 2007 - PG 36-40

I. Charles Edward King - [Raised at the old Champion place on mid Pine Rd - where Linda (Champion) Williams now lives. She is D's John & Minnie Champion.] m d (?) Lucy Ann Buffalo D/O Jacob Buffalo (who may be born at Inwood)

A. Ethel (King) Cater

1. Delmer Earl Cater m d (?) Pat - - Both deceased  
Pat died of a heart attack 10 days before retirement

B. <sup>Mable</sup> Bertha King m d John David Lea, Sr

BERTHA LORAN  
UNCLE WELLS  
BUFFALO  
m d (?) ALICE - -

C. Alma (King) English

D. Jessie King m d (1st) - - INGE - died

E. Maggie King m d (2nd) - - -  
m d (3rd) - - -  
Rufus Hummer

F. Mary (King) Alfred

G. Delma King (m) m d (?) - - YOUNG

H. Patten King - died as an infant

I. Ann Lea d 1922

A. John David Lea, Sr  
m d (1st)

Mable Hester  
No issue  
m d 2nd Bertha  
Mable King

1. JDL, Jr

2. Mary Lea

B. Mollie Lee  
to Buffalo Co, NE  
d of Typhoid

C. Mennie Lea  
m d John  
Champion

1. Hubert Sr

2. Hubert Jr

NOT RECENT

Found  
in Pecan  
Grave on Boat  
more place  
John Champion  
Lost an arm  
fallen in  
sludge

RPA  
DOUBTS  
THAT  
JDL, SR  
LIVED  
IN THE  
CHAMPION HOUSE

II Betty King m d Cary Goodwin

III. Florence King m d (?) - - Woodard

IV. Mulla King

V. Jennie King m d Ad Adams (ran store)

VI Sam King m d Veda Franklin

A. Len

B. Jo

C. Hubert

D. Zoyne King m d - - Vargen

His home place is on mid Pine  
across from the King one  
He bought the Alec Mami  
place (which was landlocked  
& gave it to his son  
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who bought up church  
land declined to buy  
the landlocked tract

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 SWIFT CREEK TOWNSHIP - RHAMKATTE - INSCRIPTIONS  
 RECORDED BY RPU 19 JUN 2006. RPU NOTES BELOW MELD  
 DETAILS ON STONES & CHURCH LIST PRINTED 16 FEB 2000  
 LATER INPUTS SHOWN BY [ ]. FAMILY LEA

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951 JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR 20 JUL 1878 - 2 AUG 1963 [MILLES]

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[CHILDREN OF 951 & 952:

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⑦ LIVING STONES History of Inwood Baptist Church 2000 Wabalo, NC

## MISCELLANEOUS NAMES

## CHAPTER TWO (1902 - 1929)

- A. Capt W. R. STEPHENSON funeral 15 APR 1916 (WW I?)
- B. A. Lee - 1902 - Baptized; He was talked to about absence in 1903 - fellowship withdrawn
- C. 1902 - Mabel Ballentine Baptized
- D. 1907 - Mary Lawrence on organ Committee, Active 1902 - 1929 era
- E. 1903 - Claude Summrell declared unchristian
- F. 1915 - D. H. Hood - on Committee
- G. 1892 - 1910 - P. G. ADAMS - Clerk
- H. 1918 - Mrs E. L. Shearon elected Chair of Bld Fund

## CHAPTER THREE (1930 - 1947)

- H. 1931. Mrs DUNCAN Sunday School Officer; & on Church Promotion Comm
- I. 1935 - Andrew BRYAN organ construction
- J. 1936 - John Bennett made statement
- K. JAN 1937 - JAN 1940 CARL DUSLEY
- L. 1931 - Mrs E. L. Shearon on Church Promotion Comm
- M. 1934 - Perry Perry appointed to see absent members about contribution to the Bld Fund

## CHAPTER FOUR (1948 - 1963)

N. 1950 - G. I. MORRIS elected Deacon

O. Paul Flowers - Statement re Deacons

P. 1976 - Mrs Donald Todd - on History Comm

JAMES ARCHIBALD LEA

PG5

⑧ Input from the Death Record of JAMES ARCHIE LEA  
RPM-10MAR2012

Note that A. incorrectly shows the middle name of the deceased as "ORCHIE"

where B. shows clearly it is "ARCHIE" (FOR ARCHIBALD ?? - RPM)

The father of JAL was JOHN DANIEL LEA (Hence JDL, I - RPM)

Note alternating use of LEE & LEA.

B

North Carolina Death Certificates,

Name: James Archie Lee  
Gender: Male  
Race: White  
Age: 73  
Birth Date: 9 Dec 1848  
Birth Place: North Carolina, United States  
Death Date: 5 Nov 1922  
Death Location: Swift Creek, Wake  
Father's Name: John Daniel Lea

B.V.S.—Form 7 NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1 PLACE OF DEATH  
Country: Wake Co. Registration District No. 2-5177 State: NC Register No. 299  
Township: Swift Creek or Village: City: No. (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number) St. Ward

2 FULL NAME James Archie Lee  
(a) Residence No. (Usual place of abode) St. Ward. (If nonresident give city or town and State)  
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS					MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
3 Sex	4 Color or Race	5 Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word)	16 Date of Death (month, day, and year)	17		
male	White	Widowed	Nov. 5 1922	I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from <del>Nov. 5</del> 1922 to Nov. 5 1922 that I last saw him alive on Nov. 7 1922 and that death occurred, on the date listed above, at 1202 a.m.		
5a If married, widowed, or divorced Husband of (or) Wife of	6 Date of birth (month, day, and year)		The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:			
	Dec. 9 1848		Acute Blood Poisoning from gangrene of			
7 Age years Months Days If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.	8 Occupation of deceased (a) Trade, Profession, or particular kind of work		Only a (duration) yrs. mos. ds.			
26	millwright		Contributory (SECONDARY) (duration) yrs. mos. ds.			
9 Birthplace (city or town) (State or country)	(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)		18 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? (Signed) A. W. Goshorn M.D. (Address) Raleigh, N.C.			
nc.	(c) Name of employer		19 Place of Burial, Cremation, or removal Date of Burial			
10 Name of Father John Daniel Lea	9 Birthplace (city or town) (State or country)		Wake Co. Nov 5 1922			
11 Birthplace of Father (city or town) (State or country)	12 Maiden Name of Mother		20 Undertaker H. J. Brown Address Raleigh			
13 Birthplace of Mother (city or town) (State or country)	14 Informant J. D. Lea (Address) Raleigh #3		15 Filed 1922 10 10 1922			

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MELLWRIGHT FAT & MOT

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John D Lea SON JUL 1878 21 VA

Maggie B Lea DAN NOV 1888 11 NC

(10, 5)

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WAKE CO. - BARNER

[FAT & MOT b NC]

Name <sup>OWNERS HOME</sup> Age

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① From Yates Mill Associates Newsletter 11 JAN 2012

Lots of the people you'll meet at Yates Mill have a personal connection to this area - they grew up nearby, visited the mill as children or live in the neighborhood now. That's true to an extraordinary degree with one of our volunteers, Patricia Rhiner.

Patricia has been volunteering at Yates Mill County Park since it opened in 2006. But her ties to the mill are lifelong: **She's the granddaughter of John Daniel Lea Sr., the mill's last and longest-serving miller.**



Patricia Rhiner

She grew up near the mill and often visited her granddad to see him grind corn and wheat, or dropped by to fish in the pond. Her family enjoyed Sunday dinners at the miller's residence - always including fresh cornbread!

As she grew up, married and raised a son, Patricia spent time away from our favorite millpond. But once again, she lives in the neighborhood.

And as her grandfather did before her, Patricia performs many jobs at Yates Mill - staffing the reception desk, helping on corn-grinding weekends and bagging cornmeal for sale. She says: "Anyone who has a good life and has the opportunity to give back to the community should do that."

Visit the Yates Mill Associates blog to read more about Patricia Rhiner and other volunteers who keep the wheel turning!

Make a gift to Yates Mill Associates at [www.yatesmill.org](http://www.yatesmill.org)!

② From RPK Call 1 FEB 2012 to Wiley Albert Perry

Monk reports that Patricia Rhiner is nee Patricia Lea D/o John Daniel Lea Jr and that she has a twin Janet Lea. They are about 7 years younger than Monk and he recalls them riding the same school bus as he did.

(In the same newsletter - CAROLYN CARTER

③

FEB 2012

Subject: Newsletter  
From: phil@upchurchstory.com  
Date: Wed, Feb 01, 2012 2:49 pm  
To: "Patricia Rhiner" <yama1753@gmail.com>

Hi Patricia---

I learned from a recent YMA Newsletter that you are a granddaughter of John Lea, Sr. Upon conferring with my good friend and cousin Monk Perry I learned that your father was J. D. Lea, Jr. He and I were classmates at Swift Creek and Cary Hi many years ago. We were also playmates. I have lived away from Wake County since 1965 but make frequent visits. For quite a few years on these visits I have been collecting information to document the history and people of Swift Creek Township. I hope soon to be making some more definite steps on this project. I would very much like to have the chance to talk with you by phone to share with you some of what I know and to get impressions from you. If you are willing to email me your phone number I will be happy to give you a call. Or you can call me at my home in Missouri at (636) 530 6022. Feel free to give Monk a call about me.

With All Best Wishes.

Phillip Upchurch

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WAKE CO. - SWIFT  
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MILLWRIGHT  
Name m d 30  
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James A Lea HD DEC 1848 52 NC  
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[FAT & MOTHER] →  
Name OWNERS HOME Age  
John D Lee HD 1879 41 VA  
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JOHN DANIEL LEA, I

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RPH-10MAR2012

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B.V.S.—Form 7 NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH  
 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS  
 STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1 PLACE OF DEATH  
 County: Wake Co. Registration District No. 5177 State: N.C. Register No. 2498  
 Township: Swift Creek or Village: City: No. (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number) Ward:

2 FULL NAME: James Archie Lee  
 (a) Residence: No. (Usual place of abode) St. Ward. (If nonresident give city or town and State)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
3 Sex: male	4 Color or Race: White	5 Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word): Widowed	16 Date of Death (month, day, and year): Nov. 5 1922		
5a If married, widowed, or divorced Husband of (or) Wife of:			17 I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from <del>Nov. 5</del> 1922 to Nov. 7 1922 that I last saw him alive on Nov. 7 1922 and that death occurred, on the date listed above, at 12:02 a.m.		
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9 Birthplace (city or town) (State or country): N.C.	10 Name of Father: John Daniel Lea	11 Birthplace of Father (city or town) (State or country):	Contributory (SECONDARY) (duration) yrs. mos. ds.		
12 Maiden Name of Mother:	13 Birthplace of Mother (city or town) (State or country):	14 Informant: J. D. Lea (Address): Raleigh #3	15 Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? (151) Did an operation precede death? Date of: Was there an autopsy? What test confirmed diagnosis? (Signed) A. W. Goodwin, M.D. (Address) Raleigh, N.C.		
15 Filed: 1922	16 Registered: H. J. Brown	17 Place of Burial, Cremation, or removal: Wake Co.	18 Date of Burial: Nov 5 1922		
19 Undertaker: H. J. Brown		20 Address: Raleigh			

JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR

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JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR

○ From Profile of Edith Neusem - Entry 1 JUL 2009

#4

- △ Edith was the D/o Stanley Gordon Smith, Sr who
- △ had only Edith + Stanley Gordon Smith, Jr. Their mother
- △ was nee PURSER of the Purser Lawyers of Raleigh. The mother left when the kids were small and did not show up until Edith's daughter was 18. Edith never saw her brother who lived in NM but corresponded. He died in 2000. Edith says her father or mother was somehow related to the LEA family.

NOTE: On 25 JUN 2006 Edith reported that in the 1930's or 1940's her father worked for John Daniel Lea, Sr at Yates Mill.

○ 2 JUL 2009 Input from Floyd Ruppin Vaughn

- Re questions raised by RBU Call recently to
- △ □ Edith Neusem. Floyd confirms that Edith's real father
  - △ Stanley Gordon Smith, Sr did work for John D. Lea, Sr at Yates Mill in the 1940's and even lived in the upstairs at the mill. The plat thirium, Floyd's
  - △ Uncle William Lounie Alexander actually married
  - □ Edith's mother Mary Purser (Floyd could not confirm the name Purser). Wm + Mary lived at Burlington, NC and Floyd lived with them for a time. Then the couple moved to Washington, DC. They came back and separated and Mary married a young man who was a student at UNC-Chapel Hill. Floyd says he has no awareness that Edith's MOTHER or FATHER was actually kin to John D. Lea, Sr.

JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR

○ INPUT FROM THE DEATH CERT OF JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR  
(Name selected from Inwood Baptist Cemetery)

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(Halifax Co, VA) d 2 AUG 1963 (Ray Hospital,

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JOHN DANIEL LEA

○ IN WOOD BAPT CH CEM - SWIFT CREEK TSP - WAKE CO.,  
NC - MEMBERS OF THE LEA FAMILY

Lea, B. Martha Ann Wilson, b. 5 Jan 1857, d. 24 Jan 1904

Lea, Bertha King, b. 3 Apr 1888, d. 12 Jul 1978

Lea, Harold Bertram, b. 7 Oct 1917, d. 30 May 1917

Lea, J.A., b. 9 Dec 1848, d. 5 Nov 1922

Lea, John Daniel, b. 20 Jul 1878, d. 2 Aug 1963

JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR

○ WESTERN WAKE HERALD WED 24 JUL 1991 APEX, NC ↘

This obituary combined with RPU records yields the following:

I. J. A. LEA 1848 - 1922 (BUR INWOOD)

MO ( ) MARTHA ANN WILSON 1851 - 1904 (BUR - INWOOD)

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← b APT 1924 ( ) d 18 JUL 1991 (RALEIGH, N.C.) - service at INWOOD - BUR -

MONTLAWN. MO ( ) JACK HUNTER

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a. JERRY CLIFFTON HUNTER, I

i. JERRY CLIFFTON HUNTER, II MO 19 MAR 1994

(RALEIGH, NC) KATINA LEIGH SETTLE

u. HAROLD HUNTER

c. ALAN HUNTER

d. STEPHEN HUNTER

l. ANN HUNTER MO ( ) - - PEARSON

f. DEBBIE HUNTER

2. MARY LEA MO ( ) K. T. SIMPKINS

3. JOHN DANIEL LEA, JR

NINA L. HUNTER

Nina Lea Hunter, 67, of Raleigh, died July 18. Her funeral was July 20 at Inwood Baptist Church in Raleigh with the Rev. Randy Bishop officiating. Burial was in Montlawn Memorial Park.

She is survived by four sons, Jerry Hunter of Apex, Harold Hunter and Alan Hunter of Raleigh and Stephen Hunter of the home; two daughters, Ann Pearson and Debbie Hunter of Raleigh; a sister, Mary Simpkins of Raleigh; a brother, John Lea of Raleigh; eight grandchildren; one great-grandson.

Arrangements were by Apex Funeral Home.

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JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR

○ INWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH CEMETERY, WAKE CO, NC  
SWIFT CREEK TOWNSHIP - RHAMKATTE - INSCRIPTIONS  
RECORDED BY RPH 19 JUN 2006. RPH NOTES BELOW MELD  
DETAILS ON STONES & CHURCH LIST PRINTED 16 FEB 2000  
LATER INPUTS SHOWN BY [ ]. FAMILY LEA

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567 J. A. LEA 9 DEC 1848 - 5 NOV 1922

568 MARTHA ANN (WILSON) LEA 5 JAN 1851 - 24 JAN 1904  
↳ WIFE OF 567

951 JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR 20 JUL 1878 - 2 AUG 1963 [MILLED]

952 BERTHA KING LEA 3 APR 1888 - 12 JUL 1978

[CHILDREN OF 951 & 952:

BEATRICE LEA MD ( ) JACK NUNTER

MARY LEA MD ( ) K. T. SIMPKINS

HISTORY OF SWIFT CREEK TSP - WAKE CO, NC

I input by phone on 25 JUN 2006 (SON) to RPA by Edith (Newsom) McCannell. Her hus = Floyd McCannell. Both had attended the luncheon on 27 JUN 06 & agreed to provide more info. when I called Edith answered & provided all input but Floyd was in the background. Floyd came from the Wake Forest Area & went to Mt. Vernon School. He & I were classmates for 1 year at Cary. Edith went to Swift Creek Elementary for 7 years but was 2-4 years behind me. Mrs Shearon taught her in 1st & 2nd Grades. She recalls Mr Holly as a teacher & also Mrs Holland who had a dau Sarah Holland. Edith lived on Tryon Rd on South side just before Swift Creek. Floyd will be 99 in JULY

Edith was born a Smith but was adopted by Mr ALLIE NEWSOM. Her biological FAT was Stanley Smith from Petersburg, VA. In the late 30's or early 40's he worked for John Lea, Sr at Yates mill. The Newsom Family

I. - - NEWSOM

- A. ALLIE NEWSOM (M) - Adopted Edith Smith
- B. ROWLAND " " → RPA classmate
  - 1. DORIS " " <sup>SL</sup> md J. D. Wilson - dec'd
  - ↳ lived Yates Mill Pond Rd
- C. CLENDER NEWSOM d many years ago

1. LILLIAN NEWSOM md (7) Buddy Jephoad

I - - - CROOK

THEIR NOT  
d recently,  
in her 90's

- A. Billy Crook - twin Charlotte } TWINS
- B. Holly " }
- C. Mary Jane Crook
- D. George Crook

I - - HORTON - wife = RUTH - -

- A. Mary Ruth Horton
- B. Margaret Horton md Earl Woodard, N
- C. Jerry Horton (RPA Age) d age young - Grenada
- D. Howard Horton
- E. Fred Horton

I - - OLIVER

- A. RAYMOND O.
- B. ~~GENEVA~~ O
- C. D. C. O
- D. GLADYS (O) SMITH
- E. ROXANNA (O) LAWRENCE

I - EARL & Bess Woodard  
A. Ewendelyn Woodard

Bessie lived Edith & taught her  
Edith was teach of FURR's store

3 MAY 2007 - Pg 50 - Per Floyd Ruffin Vaughn, Jr.

I. -- KING

A. Ed King, Sr

1. Ed. King Jr

2. Ethel King

md() Jessie Cates

a. Delma Earl Cates had Parkinsons

It appears she inherited 2 acres from her father

With name SWEET & SWEETS

Bought 9 Acres to North of the 2 over - Later he bought 22 Acres which had been the Hayes Place First and then the Alexander Place Mr Cates was an officer on submarine duty for many years. He was recalled in WWII but lost fingers & was discharged.

B. Jennie King

md() A.F. Alexander

C. Sam King - a drunkard

md() -- --

D. Jessie King (F)

E. Bertha King md John D. Lea

F. Bette King - Ben Inwood

md() -- Goodwin

G. Mary King

INPUT FROM MARY LEA 30 APR 2007 - PG 36-40

I. Charles Edward King - [Ran at the old Champion Place on Mid Pine Rd - where Linda (Champion) Sullivan now lives. She is D/o John & Minnie Champion.] m.d. (?) Lucy Ann Buffalo D/o Jacob Buffalo (who may be her son at Inwood)

A. Ethel (King) Cater

1. Delmer Earl Cater m.d. (?) Pat - - Both deceased  
Pat died of a heart attack 10 days before retirement

B. <sup>Mable</sup> Bertha King m.d. John David Lea Sr

Bertha had an UNCLE WILEY BUFFALO m.d. ALICE - -

C. Alma (King) English

D. Jessie King m.d. (1st) - - INGE - died

E. Maggie King m.d. (3rd) - - Pace Rufus Harwood

F. Mary (King) Alfred

G. Delma King (m) m.d. - - YOUNG

H. Patten King - died as an infant

II Betty King m.d. Cary Goodwin

III. Florence King m.d. - - Woodard

IV. Milla King

V. Jennie King m.d. Ad Adams (ran store)

VI Sam King m.d. Veda Franklin

A. Len

B. Jo

C. Hubert

D. Zygne King m.d. - - Vaughan

His home place is on Mid Pine across from the King Ave. He bought the Alec Mami place (which was landlocked & gave it to his son John Lea, Jr. The Johnsons who bought Wyszynski land declined to buy the landlocked tract

NOT AFFECT  
RPA DOUBTS THAT JD LEA, SR LIVED IN THE CHAMPION HOUSE

Lived in Pecan Grove on East more place John's Champion lost an arm Patten in slaye

I. John Lea d 1922  
A. John David Lea, Sr m.d. (1st)  
Hattie Hester  
No issue  
m.d. 2nd Bertha Mable King  
1. JDL, Jr  
2. Mary Lea  
B. Mollie Lee to Halifax Co, NC d of Typhoid  
C. Minnie Lea m.d. John Champion  
1. Hubert Sr  
2. Hubert Jr

JOHN DAVID LEA, SR

○ From Mary Lea - 30 APR 2007 - Pg 36

Mary Lea was b. 1918 in the house across the road from Yates Mill which house belonged to the mill. Her GF JIM LEE came to the mill in 1898 and for a time ran the mill jointly with his son John Lea, Sr, the father of Mary. Jim Lea died when Mary was 4 - here about 1922


JOHN DANIEL LEA, SR (II)

LEA FAMILY OF SWIFT CREEK TOWNSHIP- WAKE CO., NC - Susan Clay as a source on 4 MAR 2012 RPH noted that Susan Clay has a Lea Family Tree with 1650 entries which I found when searching for John Daniel Lea b 1878 [JDL, Sr (II)]. However, the tree is not publicly displayed. Below is a message I sent Susan on 4 MAR 2012. As of 10 MAR 2012 no response has been rec'd -

Home Family Trees Search

Contact SusanClay61

Contact this member

 SusanClay61 has chosen to not display this member's profile information in Ancestry's anonymous Connection.

This private tree contains information about:


**John Daniel Lea**

1878-1944 (1878-1944)

- 2 photos
- 2 documents
- 1944 certificate of death

Contact SusanClay61

FROM: Phil\_Upchurch Not you? [Click here](#)

TO:  SusanClay61 SENT 4 MAR 2012

SUBJECT: Lea Family of Wake County, N.C.

MESSAGE: (Maximum of 5000 characters. Note: Form fields will not allow certain combinations of "<" and ">" signs.)

Hi Susan--I am Robert Phillip Upchurch of MO and a native of Wake County. I was a classmate and playmate of John D. Lea, Jr and am currently in touch with his dau Patricia. We hope to write about families of Swift Creek Township in Wake. Are you willing to share. My phone # is 417-233-1111. EMAIL phil@us.com

ANCESTOR LINK: [John Daniel Lea \(1878-1944\)](#)

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① RECORDS FOR "MR LEA - THE MILLER" OF YATES MILL - WAKE CO., NC - RPU 10 MAR 2012 - SWCTWP, WAKE CO., NC

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1870 CENSUS - NC  
WAKE CO - SWIFT  
CREEK TWP - NEW  
HILL POST OFFICE

Wm N Hunter 1825 45  
Saraline Hunter 1835 35  
Margaret Hunter 1864 6  
Joseph Hunter 1866 4

1880 CENSUS - NC  
WAKE CO. & WIFT  
CRK TWP → D NC AS  
WAS FAT  
→ FARMER & MOT

William V. Hunter HD 1825 55  
Sarah Hunter WIF 1836 44  
Margaret Hunter DAU 1865 15  
Joseph Hunter SON 1867 13  
James Hunter SON 1872 8  
Jarvis Hunter SON 1875 5

1900 CENSUS -  
WAKE CO. - SWIFT CREEK  
TOWNSHIP

Jarvis P Hunter HD OCT 1876 23 NC  
James A Hunter BRO FEB 1872 28  
Sarah Q Hunter MOT FEB 1874 66 ↓

1910 CENSUS - NC  
WAKE CO. - NORTH SWIFT  
CREEK TOWNSHIP

I. - - HUNTER

- △ A. WILLIAM N/V HUNTER b ABT 1825 [JARVIS]
- △ MD (C) SARAH - - b ABT 1835 (SARALINE?)
- △ 1. MARGARET HUNTER b ABT 1864
- △ 2. JOSEPH HUNTER b ABT 1866
- △ 3. JAMES A. HUNTER b FEB 1872
- △ 4. JARVIS PEACE HUNTER 1875-1933
- △ MD ABT 1901 (WAKE CO, MD MARY G. SIMPKINS 1881-1962 (BUR- MONTLAWN, W.C., NC) D/O WM. THOMAS SIMPKINS & MARY SUSAN WELLS
- △ L. WILLIAM NELSON HUNTER 1902-1971
- △ AL. ANNA ALMA HUNTER b 1904

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James P Hunter	HD	1878	32 NC
Mary Hunter	WIF	1881	29
William W Hunter	SON	1902	8
Anna A Hunter	DAU	1904	6
Beatrice Y Hunter	DAU	1906	4

1920 CENSUS - NC WAKE  
CO - SWIFT CRK TWP

J P Hunter	HD	1877	43
Mary Hunter	WIF	1882	38
Nelson Hunter	SON	1903	17
Alma Hunter	DAU	1905	15
Beatrice Hunter	DAU	1907	13
Elmond Hunter	SON	1909	9
George Hunter	SON	1914	6
Lillian Hunter	DAU	1918	1

Wells and Reynolds Family Tree

1901 Marriage to Jarvis Peace Hunter  
abt Wake, North Carolina, United States

△ M. BEATRICE Y.  
HUNTER 1906-1999

Mary G Simpkins

Birth 20 Mar 1881 in Pleasant Grove,  
Johnston, North Carolina.

Spouse & Children -

Jarvis Peace Hunter  
1875 - 1933

Private

Death 6 Jul 1962 in Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina.

Parents

Private

William Thomas Simpkins  
1834 - 1903

William Nelson Hunter  
1902 - 1971

Mary Susan Wells  
1841 - 1920

Anna Alma Hunter  
1904 -

Beatrice Y Hunter  
1906 - 1999

George Alonza Hunter  
1913 - 1997

1930 CENSUS - NC

DURHAM CO. - DAK  
TOWNSHIP GROVE

Name	MD	Y	Age
A E Williams	HD	1904	26
Beatrice Williams	WIF	1906	24

△ MD (C) A. E. WILLIAMS

△ (I) RAYMOND WILLIAMS 1930 CENSUS - NC

△ (II) DOROTHY WILLIAMS WAKE CO. - SWIFT

△ MD (C) JOHN CREEK TWP

DANIEL LEA, JR

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Jarvis P Hunter	HD	1877	53 NC
Mary Hunter	WIF	1882	48
Nelson Hunter	SON	1903	27
Elmond Hunter	SON	1911	19
George Hunter	SON	1914	16
Rosie Hunter	DAU	1919	11

△ M. ELMOND HUNTER

△ M. GEO. ALONZA HUNTER

△ M. ROSIE LILLIAN

HUNTER

Wells and Reynolds Family Tree Parents

Beatrice Y Hunter

Birth 4 May 1906 in Wake, North Carolina.  
Death 20 Sep 1999 in Cary, Wake, North Carolina.

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④ From RPU call 27 JUN 2009 re Mary Bertha Lea.

She confirms the "D" in her FAT JDL, SR & her mother JDL, JR = DANIEL. JDL, JR was buried at Montlawn as was his wife, nee Dorothy Williams

⑤ From Profile of Johnny Ray House - Entry 31 MAY 2010

John Lea [ JDL, JR ] bought the Alec Morris House. Two of his GR now own the house. They want \$600/month rent

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NOT RELEVANT  
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JONN DANIEL LEA, JR PG5

⑦ From Wiley Albert Perry to APL via phone 31 MAR 2012

JDL, Jr worked for many years for Long Meadow  
milk Co, of Raleigh. They went out of business at  
which time he probably retired. They were competitors  
of Pine State Creamery. The wife of JDL, Jr was  
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① NOTES OF RPH & JO MORRIS VISIT TO MARY LEA 30 APR 2000

- PGS 36-40

- Picked up Josephine at 1:00 PM and
  - we went to see MARY (LEA) SIMPKINS wife
  - of K.T. Simpkins. She was born 12 MAY 1918 across
- two streets from Yates Mill. The house belonged to the mill. Her GF Jim Lea came to the mill in 1898 and he and his son John Lea, Sr ran the mill together. Her GF died when Mary was 4 (1922).

TO SETHUP EVENTS

Re the suicide on mid-Pines Rd - she was Anna Adams/Alexander wife of Jan Adams s/o Ad Adams. She killed herself with a shotgun & parts of her brains were all over. Her dau Abby Lou Adams told Mary that she was going on a Sunday morning to the Carter house when her mother called her back and begged her upon returning Abby saw the scene and ran to her Aunt Sissy Vaughn (nee Adams) and part way there let out a scream.

Ethel (King) Carter & Mary's mother were sisters

- Mary remembers that a special red chair was
- provided for my GF BSA at the front of the Church
- facing the worshippers. She recalled that Mily Perry
- attended Church.

Mid Pines Road Land & People

I. John Champion → His home place is on mid Pines rd  
 mid of Minie Lea across from the King Cnr  
 A. Hubert Champion, Sr He bought the Alec Mann place (which was landlocked & gave it to his son John Lea, Jr. The Johnsons who bought Wychurch land declared it by King D/o Charles Edwark King the landlocked tract

→ A sibling =  
 John David Lea, Sr  
 mid (lft) Nathe Hicks - issue  
 mid (and) Bertha Mahle  
 King D/o Charles Edwark King

↳ Had a mother called Lea. H. Halyon Co, Sr who died of typhoid

He says the median house on mid Pines Rd was being rented by Paul Stephens at the time it burned. So was there at the fire because she was attending a birthday party for Dorothy Stephens D/o Paul Stephens

TO MID PINES COMM SETHUP

↑ (i) →

Duminy Bailey

Children -> Frances -> Deacon

-> Martha -

God 14 1/2 14 1/2 old

③ Ted Bailey

④ "Red" "

I. - - -

A. Bailey Buffalo - uncle of Mary's mother

and Alice - -

B. Trip

"

- but at Bay Len

C. Agnes

"

- " " " "

1. Besie Buffalo ma Robert Held

1. Lois Held

2. "Pete" Held (F) (?)

I. Walter Held  
NOT RELATER  
A. Moore  
B. Moore  
Mary

upchurch store -

George Ford

John Bennett ! FAT

John Brady - SON

Phenox

Robbery.

Red Home built in 1930's - before that they lived in Low Point House

TO SETUP UNUSUAL EVENTS

Jack murdered  
Killed by - Got Eddie Cross

Bart Moore

John Champion + wife name lived in the place

John Champion lost arm putting in silos

see says - Fawcett (white)

Bart Moore is insurance live lived out Glenwood Ave

go↑

Peta

MON 30 APR 2007 (TOE) - CONTINUED

1) A = Rupert Price and Nattie Woodcock  
↳ sister of Aunt Edna

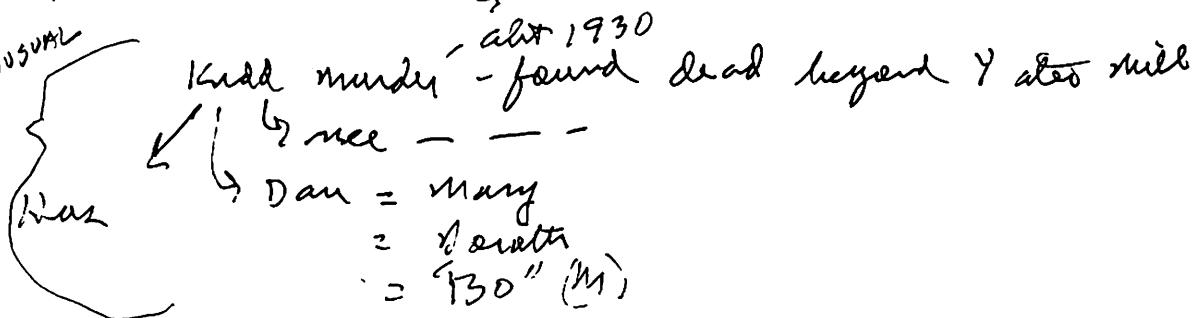
- 1 Leslie Price
- 2 Harold "
- 3 Walter "
- 4 William "
- 5 James "
- 6 "

No relation to Louise

Ma Mae Smet

↳ before Howard home near his 1/2 brother = Quick Home Jones before 1920 plus

TO UNUSUAL EVENTS SCTWP



Mary started Central school. - Margaret Marie Cannon 8 yrs. Then to Enterprise from 4th grade. with on Red Model T Ford

TO SCTWP UNUSUAL EVENTS

Colonel Mann died in fire - Belton Hermann Green  
↳ Mary looked at him.

↑ to Aunt Lena send for Mary.

2) 21 MAY 2007 - RPU called for to get phone NO for Mary for game with me (919) 792-7585 - saying it is unlikely

3) 22 MAY 2007 - RPU called Mary to thank her for her input. She was gracious and will be happy to hear from or see me again. She mentioned Doris Beth whom she admires. She says her father bought the Alex Merin home & gave it to his son John D. Lea, Jr. His DAVE lives there now. The FAT of her Uncle JOHN CHAMPION was a policeman. Mary remembers

③ 22 MAY 2007 - CONTINUED

going to his funeral as a child. The coffin had a glass cover. Mary guesses that John Champion bought property from the Kings - on both sides of Mid-Pine Rd as Mack Champion lived (lived) further south on the west side of Mid-Pine.

④ Notes of RPA call to Mary Bertha Lea 27 JUN 2009

- □ K.T. answered & sternly called Mary to the phone
- Her full maiden name = Mary Bertha Lea
- Δ Her Father "D" = Daniel = John Daniel Lea, Sr
  - Δ J.D. Lea, Jr. lived at Montlaur as in her
  - Δ wife nee Dorothy Williams

TO SCEPTIC EVENTS { The robbery she told me about took place in the 1990's

- □ Δ Mary said her mother told her that Charles Edward King and Rufus Walter King were related. Charles would visit Rufus for a talk on their relationship.
- Δ □ □ CEK had a sister Betha King who met Cary Goodman - who had a brother who was a doctor.
- Mary laments that she is now 91 and has
  - to take lots of pills. She says she is not well - in the house becomes legless.
  - - still she is highly person to come and on to call
  - when K.T. answered the phone I detected
  - no hostility.



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MARY BERTHA LEA PG 7

- ⑧ INWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH CEMETERY, WAKE CO, NC  
SWIFT CREEK TOWNSHIP - RHAMKATTE - INSCRIPTIONS  
RECORDED BY RPU 19 JUN 2006. RPU NOTES BELOW MELD  
DETAILS ON STONES & CHURCH LIST PRINTED 16 FEB 2000  
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[CHILDREN OF 951 & 952]

BEATRICE LEA MD (JACK NUNTER)

MARY LEA MD (K. T. SIMPKINS)

- ⑨ Excerpt from RPU interment 1 MAY 2009 with Davis  
Isabella King

↳ [OF SWIFT CRK TWP, W.C. NC]

- We discussed the 3 King Families - Earlier she  
had reported she had no knowledge of the others
- △ 2. Now she says Mary (Lea) Simpkins who  
is descended from the Kings on Mid River Rd
  - △ reports that her ancestor King would visit
  - △△ R. W. King, the father of Davis, and discuss their  
kinship.
- ↳ [CHARLES EDWARD KING]

- ⑩ See Article in Yates Mill File "Mary Lea Simpkins &  
The Yates Mill" published in News & Observer 8 JUL 2001  
Raleigh, NC. It features a photo of mary with the  
mill in the background & tells her story of growing  
up in association with the mill and mentions  
a Stanley Smith who helped her father and actually  
lived in the mill

MARY BERTHA LEA P69

(1) SPRING 2012 - Effort to contact Mary by phone  
Repeated calls to her home (919) 772-3585 in March  
brought no answer. She does not have  
a recording device. Her husband K. T. Symphon  
died a few months ago. Perhaps she now  
lives elsewhere. I recently had contact with  
her niece Patricia (Lea) Rhiner and wanted to  
reconnect with Mary.

(2) From RPA Call 31 MAR 2012 to Miley Albert Perry  
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○ INPUT FROM DEATH CERT. OF COY LESTER CHAMPION  
(Name selected from Inwood Cemetery)

I. - - CHAMPION

A. JOHN J. CHAMPION MOLL) MINNIE LEA

1. COY LESTER CHAMPION b 19 JUL 1905 (NC)

d 12 NOV 1975 (Key Hwy, Raleigh, NC)

(Bur. Inwood) undamed. Paperites  
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INFORMANT: CATHRYN C. GIAFES

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FAMILY OF JOHN J. CHAMPION OF WAKE CO, NC - ANCESTRY.COM

11 JUL 2007

\* [Handwritten bracket]

1880 United States Federal Census

Name: John J. Champion
Home in 1880: Buckhorn, Harnett, North Carolina

Household Members table for 1880 census listing William A. Champion, Elizabeth Champion, John J. Champion, and Lula L. Champion with birth dates and ages.

1900 United States Federal Census

Name: Minnie Champion
Home in 1900: Raleigh Ward 4, Wake, North Carolina

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1910 United States Federal Census

Name: John J. Champion
Home in 1910: North Swift Creek, Wake, North Carolina

Household Members table for 1910 census listing John J. Champion, Minnie M. Champion, James N. Champion, Hubert M. Champion, Coy L. Champion, and Lee O. Champion with birth dates and ages.

LEE NOT PRESENT IN 1920 - DIED YOUNG? ←

1920 United States Federal Census

Name: Coy Champion
Home in 1920: Swift Creek, Wake, North Carolina

[JAMES N.]
[HUBERT M.]

Household Members table for 1920 census listing J.J. Champion, Minnie Champion, Nathaniel Champion, Herbert Champion, Coy Champion, Fred Champion, Joel Champion, Gaither Champion, and Mattie Champion with birth dates and ages.

[PROBABLY JULIUS W. CHAMPION]

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Name: Hubert M. Champion
Home in 1930: Swift Creek, Wake, North Carolina

Household Members table for 1930 census listing Hubert M. Champion, Bleaker M. Champion, Hubert Champion, and Vivian Champion with birth dates and ages.

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Name: Coy Champion
Home in 1930: Raleigh, Wake, North Carolina

Household Members table for 1930 census listing Coy Champion, Vergie Champion, and Allie K. Champion with birth dates and ages.

1930 United States Federal Census

Name: Fred Champion
Home in 1930: Swift Creek, Wake, North Carolina

Household Members table for 1930 census listing Fred Champion and Vergie Champion with birth dates and ages.

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u. HAROLD HUNTER

c. ALAN HUNTER

d. STEPHEN HUNTER

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f. DEBBIE HUNTER

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NINA L. HUNTER

Nina Lea Hunter, 67, of Raleigh, died July 18. Her funeral was July 20 at Inwood Baptist Church in Raleigh with the Rev. Randy Bishop officiating. Burial was in Montlawn Memorial Park.

She is survived by four sons, Jerry Hunter of Apex, Harold Hunter and Alan Hunter of Raleigh and Stephen Hunter of the home; two daughters, Ann Pearson and Debbie Hunter of Raleigh; a sister, Mary Simpkins of Raleigh; a brother, John Lea of Raleigh; eight grandchildren; one great-grandson.

Arrangements were by Apex Funeral Home.

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EXTENSION OF THE CRAYTON FAMILY OF CHATHAM CO., NC - RPU - 14 FEB 2011

1860 CENSUS - CHATHAM CO., NC MIDDLE DIV.

1870 CENSUS - CHATHAM CO., NC - PITTSBORO RD NORTH SIDE

1880 CENSUS - CHATHAM CO., NC - BALDWIN

Name	PLACKSMITH	Age
Robert Crayton	HEAD	1806 54
Martha Crayton	WIF	1819 41
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Robt G Eubanks	HEAD	1830 40
Missouri B Eubanks		1842 28
James T Eubanks		1862 8
Robt A Eubanks		1864 6
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Wm A Eubanks		1868 2
Harry Small	FARM WORKER	1850 20
Paul Williams	"	1853 17
Shad Lea	"	1853 17
Jos Crayton	MAIL CARRIER	1854 16

Name	Age
James Pace	HEAD 1823 57
Elizabeth Pace	WIF 1834 46
Joseph Craton	W FARM WORKER 1858 22
Thomas Fowler	W " 1860 20
John Baldwin	B " 1860 20

1900 CENSUS - WAKE CO., NC - RALEIGH WARD 4

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△ R. EDWARD CRAYTON b 1800

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Presumed FAT of Adolphus C. Crayton (Creightons) step FF/O R/A

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△ e. Joseph Crayton b 1855/OCT 1857

ma Abt 1893 (L Elizabeth --

△ i. Montie Creighton (M) b OCT 1854

△ j. John Creighton b FEB 1857

Note: Elizabeth seems to be a 2nd wife of Joseph Crayton based on the date of birth of his two oldest sons. RPH

RPU SPECULATION - of the wife in mae Sarah Elizabeth King + her unmarried sister in MARY A. KING

The two females would be a children of Robert King b 24 JUL 1840 (Henderson Co., NC)

1900 - CENSUS - NEW HENDERSON BLUE RIDGE, NC

Name	MD YRS	Age
Robert J King	HD	JUL 1839 60
Sarah E King	WIF (12, 10)	AUG 1840 59
James P King	SON	AUG 1891 10

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Joe Creighton	HEAD	OCT 1854 45
Elizabeth Creighton	WIF (1, 2)	APR 1806 34
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John Creighton	SON	FEB 1837 13
Mary A King	SIL S	FEB 1872 28

NOT FOUND 1910

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Artelia Pennington	1865 45
Philip Nelson	1858 52
Montie Crayton	1885 25
Westley Raines	1892 18

NEPHEW 1880 CENSUS - HENDERSON BLUE RIDGE, NC

Robert King	HD	1840 40
Emily S. King	WIF	1841 39
David C. King	SON	1860 20
Charles C. King	SON	1862 18
Sarah E. King	DAU	1866 14
Hiram P. King	SON	1867 13
Sousan J. King	DAU	1868 12
Disa L. King	DAU	1873 7
Mary A. King	DAU	1871 9
Robert P. King	DAU	1877 3
Govan T. King	SON	1879 1

SON C C K = NEXT DOOR

Kelly Family Tree

Owner: sheila7704

Robert King

Birth 7-24-1840 in Henderson County, North Carolina. Death 6-8-1924 in Henderson County, North Carolina.

Family Members

Parents

Hiram King	1792 - 1891
Mary Ann (Nancy) Jones	1799 - 1855

Spouse & Children

Sarah Hill	
Robert Pleasant (Strawberry) King	1873 - 1966

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NOT RECENT

Lead in Pecan Grove on Boat Moore Place Julius Champion lost an arm Patten in slage

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