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Ruth [illegible] [illegible]
offers to help with
one in Houston, TX
Rec [illegible] 28 MAR 1990

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH ① XID-21174

UPCHURCH
351 SHETLAND VALLEY COURT
CHESTERFIELD, MISSOURI 63005-4840
(636) 530-6022

9 FEB 2001

MRS RUTH U. HAMMETT
3400 RESORT DR # DR 8
SIERRA VISTA, AZ 85650

Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thank you very much for the clipping on the Upchurch family in your area. Enclosed is a copy of the extract sheet I have made and placed in my Biofile system for each individual involved. It is quite a coincidence that I discovered a part of this family last month. I just happened to be looking for an address for someone in the U of A Directory and realized that an extra Upchurch had appeared. At that time I concluded that CHRIS was a male - but from the article you sent it is clear she is the wife. I still cannot link this family to the main Upchurch family.

We trust this finds you well and enjoying Arizona. We were in Phoenix and Tucson 23-30 JAN 2000 and had hoped to thaw out after a very cold 2-3 months in MO. We had a couple of nice days and then the storm came. We had hoped to drive up to Flagstaff to see our oldest Granddaughter who is enrolled in NAU as a freshman - but the weather was too bad.

The Upchurch Family history project is making excellent progress - there is always more to process thanks to cooperators like you. Inclosed are details on the UB for 2001 in case they did not reach you.

Please do keep sending me Upchurch stuff. It's great fun to see how it all fits together.

Sincerely yours

Phil Upchurch

{ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH}

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH PG2 XID-21174

(5) Rec'd 8 FEB 2001 from RUU the following message

[V = should be U-RPU]

Mrs. Ruth V. Hammett
3400 Resort Dr. # Dr. 8
Sierra Vista, AZ 85650

Thought this may be of interest to you

The article enclosed concerned M/M Jack U (wife = "Chris") & daughter Tiffany U. See their Biopsies for details

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH PG1 XID-21174

(1) See ltr 15JUN 1993 O. Marie Oden to RPM

O. Marie Oden & Ruth Upchurch Unruh are first cousins. Marie reports that details needed for her mother's descendants [Lena(A)Oden] will be sent in by Ruth.

(2) Change of Addrss Rec'd 3SEP 1993

R. P. UPCHURCH
MICHAEL ENTERPRISES
POST OFFICE BOX 35804
TUCSON, AZ 85740

Address Correction Requested

NAME
1st Notice 8/27
2nd Notice SEP 04 1992
Return 9/6

Resent
9-5-93
V. 14 #3
1993

HAMM402 770712073 3893 08/23/93
FORM 3547D
HAMMETT
PO BOX 600
SPLENDORA TX 77372-0600

Ruth Hammett
15402 W. Ritter Cr.
Houston TX 77071

(3) Invoice sent NOV93 returned by PO:

MICHAEL ENTERPRISES
R. P. UPCHURCH
P. O. BOX 35804
TUCSON AZ 85740

RETURN TO SENDER
MOVED, LEFT NO ADDRESS
FORWARDING ORDER EXPIRED
ATTEMPTED NOT KNOWN
UNCLAIMED ☐ REFUSED
NO SUCH STREET
NO SUCH NUMBER
INSUFFICIENT ADDRESS

TUCSON AZ: GMF 85726 DCR#2

TUCSON, AZ 857
PM
1993

Rec'd
2 NOV 93

Ruth Hammett
P. O. Box 600
Splendora, TX 77372

(4) Resent Invoice to Ruth's addrss 2 NOV 93

BUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XIX-21174

Sorry about the address. The Post office is trying to do some strange things. Our new one is:

NEW ADDRESS
JOHN & RUTH HAMMETT
PMB5166
151 RAINBOW DRIVE
LIVINGSTON, TX 77399-9330

1999

But they still accept the
151 Rainbow Dr
#5166
77351

Ruth

7.24.99
recorded new address
Resent V. 20 #2, 1999

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH D XTA-21124

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

10 MAY 1999

RUTH HAMMETT
151 RAINBOW DR # 5166
LIVINGSTON, TX 77351

Dear Cousin Ruth,

The UB Vol 20 No 2 we mailed to you recently has been returned by the Post Office. Enclosed is a copy of what was written on the envelope. The address does not match anything we have in our files - exactly. We were unsure about the ZIP 77399/77397? written on the envelope so called our Post Office for help. They said the ZIP for Livingston is 77351 - so now we are more confused. Could you send us your current address so we can remail the UB?

We continue to progress on the Abel U, so can do research you belong. Let me know when & how we need to interest.

Hope all is well!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
(ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH)

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH (1) XED-21174

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

16 DEC 1995

RUTH HAMMETT
101 RAINBOW DR, APT# 5166
LIVINGSTON, TX 77351

Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thanks for the renewal on the UB for 1996 and for the order for UB 1994 & 1995. The back issues were put in the mail to you yesterday. Hope you enjoy them. It's good to have you back in the fold. You have been extremely helpful in the past in documenting our shared family history. Perhaps you can continue to help update the records as you get between your travels. We have made wonderful progress on the Thomas Gay U, Jr line to which you belong and I hope we can keep up that progress

Your mothers family is in excellent shape (master outline copy enclosed). The only specific missing items I see are;

- what is the full maiden name of ALISON WEISS and when and where was she born?
- Did you have just four grandchildren?

As you look over the Master outline perhaps you will recall some births, marriages, deaths, divorces or other special events that may not have come to my attention. Any input will be appreciated.

Recently I had a very nice visit with Cousin Marie Melby. This was in her daughters home in St Louis. We go to the same church as her daughters family.

We were planning a family history trip to Texas in the fall of 1995 but have rescheduled that for MAR/APR 1996. I hope to give two or more Upchurch Lectures on the trip, one will be in TOMBALL, TX. This is not too far from you. I'll keep you informed and hope that our paths can cross while we are in Texas

All the best for a Merry Christmas and a Blessed New Year.

Sincerely Yours
Phil Upchurch
{ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH}

P.S. – Please let me know if you have any idea on how we can cooperate
Phil U

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH ✓ XID-21174

Document Handed to RPU on 14 APR 1996 in Tomball, TX
(Extended 19 APR 1999 - RPU)

13 Apr 1996 Descendants of: Michael UPCHURCH ? RPU Page 1

1 Michael UPCHURCH b. ca 1620 d. 1681 m. 1651 Frances DELKE d. 1690
2 _____ UPCHURCH b. ca 1654
2 ___ UPCHURCH b. ca 1656□□□□□□□
2 Michael UPCHURCH II b. ca 1667 d. ca 1697
2 Richard I UPCHURCH b. ca 1658 d. 1700 m. wife of 304
+ 3 John (I) UPCHURCH b. 1678 d. 1758 m. 1718 Elizabeth HUNNICUT
4 Elizabeth UPCHURCH b. ca 1700
4 Sarah UPCHURCH b. ca 1707
4 Tryphena UPCHURCH b. ca 1709
4 John UPCHURCH II b. _____ d. 13 Apr 1713 m. Elizabeth ?
4 James UPCHURCH III b. 1724 d. 1784 m. Wife of 314
+ 5 John UPCHURCH III b. 1724 d. 1795 m. Ann HAMILTON b. ca 1750
+ 5 James UPCHURCH IV b. _____ d. 1800 m. Mary ?
+ 5 Harmon UPCHURCH b. 1740 d. 1810 m. Betty ?
+ 5 Selah UPCHURCH m. Benjamin MOSELEY
+ 5 Edith UPCHURCH m. ? MOSELEY
3 William I UPCHURCH
+ 3 James (I) UPCHURCH b. 1685 d. 1765 m. Elizabeth
+ 4 James UPCHURCH II b. _____ d. 1783 m. Elizabeth ?
4 William UPCHURCH II b. 1735 m. wife of 323
+ 5 William UPCHURCH b. 1774 m. 2 MAR 1808 Henrietta JENKINS
+ 5 John UPCHURCH IV b. 1770 m. 21 JUN 1790 Mary Ann HARRIS b. ca 1770
4 Richard UPCHURCH II b. ca 1725 d. ca 1800 m. Unknown
+ 5 Richard UPCHURCH III b. ca 1750 d. 1817 m. 14 SEP 1796 Susannah Pace
5 Frances UPCHURCH
+ 5 Benjamin UPCHURCH b. 1752 d. 1816 m. Nancy LEDBETTER
5 Moses UPCHURCH b. 13 FEB 1753 d. 23 Feb 1853
m. Mary SIMMS b. 1754 (1757) d. 1848
5 Charles UPCHURCH b. 11 Feb 1755 d. 1842 m. 1779 ? Gay
6 Thomas Gay UPCHURCH Sr b. 28 Nov 1797 d. 1883
m. 6 Jan 1825 Patience C. BARNES b. 1806 d. 1883
7 William Barnes (Bud)(CSA) UPCHURCH b. 1830 d. Aft 1861
m. Nancy MATILDA COPELAND b. 13 May 1834 d. 27 Mar 1912
8 Joseph Lumpkin UPCHURCH b. 10 Nov 1855 d. 12 Jan 1945
m. 15 May 1881 Betty Muse ROBINSON d. 25 Nov 1886
m. 28 Dec 1895 Mary E. WALKER b. 23 May 1874 d. 4 Oct 1919
9 William UPCHURCH b. 27 Mar 1882 d. 27 Mar 1882
9 David UPCHURCH b. 18 Oct 1883 d. 18 Oct 1883
9 Joseph E. UPCHURCH b. 3 May 1884 d. 27 Oct 1844
9 Andrew Pierce UPCHURCH b. 22 Sep 1885 d. 15 May 1977
9 Samuel UPCHURCH b. 25 Nov 1886 d. 25 Nov 1886

9 Essie UPCHURCH b. 23 (?) Dec 1896 d. 30 Aug 1950
9 Alma UPCHURCH b. 19 Sep 1898
9 Myal UPCHURCH b. 9 Dec 1900 d. 15 Dec 1970
9 Glen UPCHURCH b. 16 Jun 1903(02) d. 8 Sep 1976
9 Grace UPCHURCH b. 22 Jun 1905
9 Knox UPCHURCH b. 15 Oct 1907
9 Clifford UPCHURCH b. 1 Oct 1910 (09)
9 Mary Jo UPCHURCH b. 12 Sep 1919
8 George B. UPCHURCH b. 9 Apr 1857 d. 15 Aug 1930
m. Carrie HENDERSON b. 5 May 1860 d. 31 Jan 1917
m. Fannie D. ___ b. 14 Feb 1866 d. 27 Oct 1928
9 Alice UPCHURCH
9 Emory UPCHURCH
9 John UPCHURCH
9 Ginnie UPCHURCH
8 Louise UPCHURCH b. 1854 d. 1920's
m. Taylor ALEXANDER b. 1849 d. 1898
9 Nanny ALEXANDER
9 Tom ALEXANDER
9 Mammie ALEXANDER
9 William ALEXANDER
9 Robert ALEXANDER
9 Frank ALEXANDER
9 Maggie ALEXANDER
8 Thomas Homer UPCHURCH b. 8 Oct 1859 d. 29 Aug 1947
m. 22 Sep 1882 Carrie Elizabeth THURMAN b. 18 Mar 1865 d. 1 Apr 1908
m. 17 Feb 1909 Nancy HEARN b. 16 Apr 1873 d. 16 May 1910
m. Oct 1912 Beulah JESTER b. 4 May 1878 d. 25 Dec 1962
9 Fannie A. UPCHURCH b. 22 Aug 1883 d. 4 Aug 1910
9 Hower Edward UPCHURCH b. 9 Nov 1885 d. 8 Nov 1957
9 Rosa May UPCHURCH b. 8 Jul 1891 d. 28 Jun 1978
9 Charles Lloyd UPCHURCH b. 25 Feb 1894 d. 8 Apr 1962
9 John Shields UPCHURCH b. 26 Jul 1896 d. 14 Oct 1980
9 William James UPCHURCH b. 4 Feb 1899 d. 2 May 1908
9 Thomas Ralph UPCHURCH b. 1 May 1902
9 Joseph Abner UPCHURCH b. 9 Mar 1910
9 Maynard Parks UPCHURCH b. 29 Jan 1914
9 Daniel Stanley UPCHURCH b. 27 Aug 1915 d. 9 Sep 1937
8 Mattie E. UPCHURCH b. 6 Feb 1862 d. 16 Jun 1949
m. William Jep LOVVORN b. 19 Sep 1860 d. 19 Mar 1946
9 Minnie LOVVORN

9 Ruth LOVVORN
9 Barnes LOVVORN
9 Hoyt LOVVORN
9 Inez LOVVORN
9 Mary LOVVORN
9 __ LOVVORN
7 Jethro Wilson (Pony) UPCHURCH b. 9 Jul 1831 d. 27 Mar 1896
m. Rosina MORGAN b. 11 Jun 1840 d. 16 May 1915
8 John Emmerson UPCHURCH b. 6 Jan 1861 d. 22 Mar 1933
8 Mollie UPCHURCH b. 1862 d. 1924
8 Joseph Alonzo UPCHURCH b. 3 Feb 1866 d. 18 Apr 1932
8 Walter William UPCHURCH b. 16 Aug 1868 d. 1958
8 Willis Gay UPCHURCH b. 11 May 1871 d. 27 Dec 1945
8 Edward Franklin UPCHURCH b. 11 Nov 1873 d. 21 Oct 1958
8 Thomas M. UPCHURCH b. 1876 d. 1907
8 Robert UPCHURCH b. 1878 d. 1935
7 Martha J. UPCHURCH b. 1833
7 Rhoda A. UPCHURCH b. 1835
7 Mary Elizabeth UPCHURCH b. 24 Mar 1837 d. 26 Apr 1916
m. Allen Loveless
m. Hillary HAND
7 John C. UPCHURCH b. 1839
7 Margaret J. UPCHURCH b. 1844
7 Joseph E. UPCHURCH b. 10 Jul(Aug)1844 d. 24 May 1915
m. Dec 1871 Calvina Augusta RUSSELL b. 1 Jun 1856 d. 11 Jun 1932
8 Calvin Altonia UPCHURCH b. 18 Jan 1876 d. 5 Nov 1960
8 Marshall Christopher UPCHURCH b. 26 Apr 1878
8 Marvin Evans UPCHURCH b. 4 Apr 1885 d. 9 Oct 1943
8 Velma UPCHURCH b. 26 Mar 1887 d. 20 Nov 1972
8 Zada Eldora UPCHURCH b. Sep 1882 d. 1953
8 Emma UPCHURCH b. 26 Nov 1891
8 Huron Gay UPCHURCH b. 17 May 1896
7 Willis J. (CSA)UPCHURCH b. 28 Nov 1826 d. 28 Nov 1910
m. Sarah (Sally Bonner) Marby b. 1825 d. 1860
m. Missouri A. Whitehead HUTCHENS b. 1832 d. 1916
8 Catherine UPCHURCH b. 1852
8 William B. UPCHURCH b. 4 Jul 1854 d. 16 Aug 1928
8 Jane UPCHURCH b. 1855
8 Charles UPCHURCH b. 1856
8 John UPCHURCH b. 1858
8 Joseph Cephus UPCHURCH b. 6 Oct 1860 d. 26 Mar 1938

8 Will UPCHURCH b. 1866 (1876 d. 1944
8 Victoria UPCHURCH b. 1868 d. 1950
8 George UPCHURCH
8 Bob UPCHURCH
8 Willborn UPCHURCH
8 Love UPCHURCH
8 Emma UPCHURCH
8 Mittie UPCHURCH
7 Thomas Gay UPCHURCH Jr. b. 1827 m. Sarah MILLER b. 1826
8 Robert Gay UPCHURCH b. 1847 m. Eliza Jane BARR
9 William Edward UPCHURCH
9 John Robert UPCHURCH
9 Thomas Rebrent UPCHURCH
9 Claud UPCHURCH
9 Ida UPCHURCH
9 Allie UPCHURCH
9 Cora UPCHURCH
9 Maggie UPCHURCH
9 Josephine UPCHURCH
8 Willis UPCHURCH b. 1846
8 James Simeon UPCHURCH b. 3--JUN-1846 d. 9-18-1932
m. 24-NOV-1881 Mary Etta LAWHON b. 26-DEC-1865 d. 3-28-1954
9 Claude Elmer UPCHURCH b. 2-JUL-1883 d. 18-Apr-1931
m. 26-OCT-1917 Mattie THOMAS b. 14-JAN-1894 d. 20-JUL-1977
10 Claude E.UPCHURCH Jr. b. 16-JUL-1918
m. 11 Mar 1944 Virginia HIGGINS b. 16 Oct 1922
11 Ronald Lawhon UPCHURCHb. 2-DEC-1948
11 Martha Virginia UPCHURCH b. 17-MAR-1953
m. 22 May 1982 Keith Alan BLECHER b. 5 OCT 1951
12 Virginia Grase BLECHER b. 18 SEPT 1987
11 Molly Duval UPCHURCH b. 17-MAR-1956
m. 7 APR 1979 John David TIPTON b. 14 Jul 1955
12 Melanie Duval TIPTON b. 1 MAR 1984
12 John David TIPTON Jr. b. 18 Feb 1986
12 Mary Elizabeth TIPTON b. 14 Jun 1989
10 Josephine UPCHURCH b. 29 Apr 1922
m. 31 May 1947 Donovan CAMPBELL b. 1 APR 1923
11 Donovan CAMPBELL Jr. b. 8 NOV 1950
m. Polly Jane ALLEN b. 13 Dec 1949
12 Donovan CAMPBELL III b. 3 FEB 1979
12 Caleb Robert CAMPBELL b. 13 Oct 1981

12 Joshua Michael CAMPBELL b. 23 Aug 1983
12 Jordan Christian CAMPBELL b. 5 OCT 1985
12 Chase Paul CAMPBELL b. 19 Apr 1988
11 Claudia CAMPBELL b. 8 OCT 1948
10 James Oliver UPCHURCH b. 5-JUN-1924
m. ?-?-? Nancy BROWN b. 21 Mar 1929
11 James Alan UPCHURCH b. 02-Oct-1953
11 Nancy Ann UPCHURCH b. 27-DEC-1954
9 Carra Leona UPCHURCH b. 21-JUN-1885 d. 12-NOV-1977
m. 10-JUN-1910 Robert Curtis GRANBERRY b. 8-mar-1882 d. 25-mar-1970
10 Robert Curtis GRANBERRY,Jr. m. Imogene ?
11 Curt GRANBERRY m. Jan ?
12 Jenny GRANBERRY
12 Judy GRANBERRY
12 Jim GRANBERRY
12 Jeff GRANBERRY
11 Bill GRANBERRY m. Susan ?
12 Kim GRANBERRY
12 Lynn GRANBERRY
10 Harry Bert GRANBERRY
10 Mary Ellen GRANBERRY m. George STARR
11 Mickie STARR
11 Mike STARR
11 Thresia STARR
11 Patsy STARR m. Phil SHAW
12 Kathy SHAW
12 Pat SHAW
12 Kerry SHAW
11 Susie STARR
11 Margie STARR m. Richard STINSON
12 Johnnie STINSON
12 Tommy STINSON
12 Charley STINSON
12 Bobby STINSON
11 Jimmy STARR m. Ophelia ?
12 Jimmy START
12 David STARR
12 Johnny STARR
12 Baby Girl STARR
11 Kathy STARR m. Rod GOBAR
12 Brian GOBAR

11 Debbie STARR m. Payton LANE
10 Clara Jean GRANBERRY b. 4-MAR-1920
m. 9-SEPT-1939 Clare Mayo CLARK b. 30-NOV-1915
11 Robert Erle CLARK b. 27-DEC-1940
m. 24-AUG-1962 Betty Earle NOLAN
12 Robert Nolan CLARK b. 16-APR-1964
m. 13-FEB-1988 Jennifer Fays KING b. 7-MAR-1961
12 Amy Dryer CLARK b. 27-DEC-1965
12 Molly Jean CLARK b. 26-DEC-1968
12 Erle Mayo CLARK b. 26-JAN-1971
11 Jean Mayo CLARK b. 27-JAN-1944
m. 29-NOV-1968 Charles English HARKLEROAD b. 12-AUG-1938
12 Clark Andrew HARKLEROAD b. 14-SEPT-1970 d. 23-SEPT-1970
12 Hudley Mayo HARKLEROAD b. 9-MAY-1972
12 Elizabeth Jean HARKLEROAD b. 12-DEC-1974
11 Molly Ann CLARK b. 9-NOV-1949
m. 6-JAN-1973 David Dallas THOMASON b. 21-JUNE-1948
m. 4-MAY-1089 Robin Edmund HARTRICK b. 5-JAN-1955
12 Samuel David THOMSON b. 5-DEC-1975 d. 5-DEC-1975
12 Benjamin David THOMASON b. 16-MAR-1977
9 Olive UPCHURCH b. 8-22-1888 d. 0--MAY-1969
m. 12 Jun 1908 Robert Lee HOLMES b. 30 Aug 1887 d. 31 Dec 1973
10 James Robert HOLMES b. 17 JULY 1911 d. AUG 1989
m. Ruth Marion HENNEBERGER b. 22 JUL 1914 d. SEP 1967
11 Jim Bob HOLMES m. Pat Cline
m. ?-___-1981 Julie
12 Marion Lee HOLMES m. 3 DEC 1988 Susan Marie ENGLISH
13 Andrew HOLMES b. JAN 1992
12 Judy Claire HOLMES
11 Ruth Marion HOLMES b. 11 APR 1942
m. John Larry GRANBERRY
12 Dean Michael GRANBERRY
12 James Read GRANBERRY b. 8 AUG 1967
11 Suzanne HOLMES b. 17 JUL 1946
m. 29 MAY 1967 Charley S. TUCKER b. 8 SEP 1943
12 Carie Suzanne TUCKER b. 29 JUN 1969
m. 3 AUG 1991 David Michael LAMBERT
12 Lucretia Christine TUCKER b. 27 NOV 1970
10 Marie HOLMES b. 9 JAN 1914 d. 9 JAN 1976 m. Jim DOBKINS
11 Jane DOBKINS
11 Jim DOBKINS m. Maureen?

12 Chris DOBKINS
12 Brian DOBKINS
10 Frederic Oliver HOLMES b. 14 Dec 1920
m. 2 JUN 1943 Alice Rosalie NEWMAN b. 8 OCT 19923
m. ? OCT 1969 Billie Jean LACEY
11 Patricia Ann HOLMES b. 8 DEC 1948
m. 23 Mar 1968 William Earl CONNER, JR. b. 11 SEPT 1943
12 Amy Elizabeth CONNER b. 10 Dec 1969
12 Angela Nicole CONNER b. 19 Feb 1975
11 Frederic Oliver HOLMES, JR b. 4 FEB 1951
m. 15 Mar 1972 Mary Shawn IRVIN b. 3 DEC 1952
12 Eric Benjamin HOLMES b. 9 MAR 1978
9 Lena UPCHURCH b. 13-DEC-1890 d. 2-23-1977
m. abt 1915 Jasper Delk ODEN b. abt 1890 d. abt 1950
10 Dorothy Elizabeth ODEN b. 6-19-1916 d. 3-12-1981
10 Jasper Delk (JD) ODEN b. 19 Jan 1919 m. 1940 Mary Jean WEAVER
11 Andrea ODEN b. abt 1940 m. abt. 1960 Floyd LEE
12 Troy LEE
11 Lorraine ODEN b. abt 1944
10 Kenneth ODEN b. 5--SEP-1923 d. 18-JAN-1990
m. 29-MAY-1948 Francis WALKER b. 20-JAN-1928
11 Kenneth ODEN, Jr. b. 4-AUG-1952 m. 13-JUNE-1981 Debra HALL
12 Amy Leigh ODEN b. 0-APR-1983
12 Lisa Ann ODEN b. 0-OCT-1985
11 Theresa Lynne ODEN b. 21-JAN-1954
m. 31-DEC-1984 C. M. HENKEL III
11 Patricia Marie ODEN b. 29-NOV-1957
m. 5-DEC-1987 Joe David MILLER III
10 Olive Marie ODEN b. 12-2-1926
m. 17-FEB-1946 Arne MELBY b. 27-AUG-1915
11 Arne III MELBY b. 27-JUN-1947
m. 13 JULY 1975 Cherie LONG b. 4 may 1948
12 Todd MELBY b. 14 Oct 1976
12 Christine (Clair) MELBY b. 11 June 1978
12 Jennifer Lynn MELBY b. 22 JULY 1983
11 Kenneth MELBY b. 18-FEB-1951
m. 24 JUNE 1984 Jane UNGER b. 9 oct 1957
12 Lucia Marie MELBY b. 5 MAY 1987
12 Margaux Claire MELBY b. 7-Oct 1989
11 Clair MELBY b. 13 Mar 1953 d. 27 Mar 1953
11 Lynn Oden MELBY b. 11-NOV-1956
m. 26 Jan 1985 Mark SABLEMAN b. 13 Sept 1951

12 Paul Edward SABLEMAN b. 23 Jan 1986
12 Charlotte Marie SABLEMAN b. 5 Aug 1989
9 Mary Ethel UPCHURCH b. 1-12-1892 d. 9--APR-1980
m. William Henry MCKELVEY b. 22 JULY 1882 d. 4 OCT 1968
10 Mary Ruth MCKELVEY b. 19 Aug 1919 d. 31 May 1986
m. Allen TURPIN, JR
11 Billy MCKELVEY m. Barbaara TIEMAN
11 Joyce MCKELVEY m. Tommy BRAKEFIELD
m. Clyde MOREAU
12 Debbie BRAKEFIELD
12 Dorothy BRAKEFIELD
10 William Henry MCKELVEY JR b. 21 Feb 1926 d. 27-APR-1989
m. 22 Feb 1950 Margaret MORGAN b. 5 MOV 1928
11 Sharon MCKELVEY b. 2 FEB 1951
m. 10 JUNE 1978 Russell Wilson BROOKS b. 3 MAY 1948
11 Yvonne Floria MCKELVEY b. 7 MAR 1953
m. 11 Aug 1979 Thomas Lillard STALLINGS b. 2 JULY 1951
12 Lauren Nicole STALLINGS b. 19 Feb 1981
12 Morgan Elena STALLINGS b. 8 DEC 1983
12 Stephen Thomas STALLINGS b. 26 Apr 1989
11 Paul Curtis MCKELVEY b. 29 SEPT 1959
m. 17 Nov 1984 Tanya JORDAN b. 29 Jun 1960
12 Brent Jason MCKELVEY b. 6 FEB 1987
12 Christopher Jordan MCKELVEY b. 29 Apr 1989
9 James Fredric UPCHURCH b. 16 Jul 1895 d. 24-MAR-1973
m. 0--AUG-1923 Alice GRAY b. 02-JAN-1899 d. 19 Sep 1984
10 Mary Armour UPCHURCH b. -- - 1926 d. -- - 1926
10 Adella UPCHURCH b. 20 Feb 1928
m. 14 Jun 1951 David Perry HANSFORD b. 19 Nov 1921
11 David Perry HANSFORD II b. 12 Apr 1953
m. 11 Mar 1978 Jeanette LARA b. 23 Aug 1956
12 Christopher David HANSFORD b. 3 JUN 1978
12 Clinton Ross HANSFORD b. 19 Jan 1982
12 Curtis Emory HANSFORD b. 13 Jul 1983
12 Christina Lara HANSFORD b. 14 Jan 1986
11 Mary Armour HANSFORD b. 24 Jul 1957
m. 4 AUG 19-- Donald Louis DAY, Jr.
12 Ashley Michelle DAY b. 14 Nov 1983
12 Heather Leigh DAY b. 13 Jul 1985
11 Adella McCluer HANSFORD b. 19 Apr 1961
10 Armour UPCHURCH b. 11-OCT-1935
m. -- - 1974 Fred S. SHIN b. 27 Nov 1950
m. 2 JUL 1955 Donald Colin DINGWALL

11 Alice Gray SHIN b. 9 apr 1972
11 Susannah Bennett DINGWALL b. 20 Sep 1958
9 Clara UPCHURCH b. 24-NOV-1897 m. Clifton BERRIEN
10 Molly BERRIEN m. John HUTCHINSON
11 Karen HUTCHINSON
11 Claudia HUTCHINSON
11 Mariette HUTCHINSON
11 John HUTCHINSON
10 Adelaide BERRIEN b. 0--___-1935 m. Gary FISHER
11 Gary Jr. UPCHURCH
11 Kathryn FISHER
11 Scott FISHER
10 June BERRIEN m. Fredolin KADERLI
11 Chris KADERLI
11 Nancy KADERLI
9 Fannie Ruth UPCHURCH b. 10-MAR-1902 d. 18-FEB-1962
m. 02-JUN-1927 Guy Carlton Irvine UNRUH b. 05-NOV-1897 d. 06-JUN-1943
10 Alice Irvine UNRUH b. 24-SEP-1929
m. 10-JUN-1951 Jack Pierce THOMAS b. 20-NOV-1929
11 Benjamine Pierce THOMAS b. 07-NOV-1957
m. 13-JAN-1981 Allison WEISS b. 04-APR-1958
12 Austin DeWitt THOMAS b. 24-JUN-1985
12 Travis THOMAS b. 4- Jun 1992
11 Carolyn DeWitt THOMAS b. 27-AUG-1959
m. 03-JUL-1986 Mark Darrell MONTGOMERY b. 25-AUG-1957
10 Ruth Upchurch UNRUH b. 18-FEB-1935
m. 20-AUG-1955 James Lewis RAMSEY b. 25-MAY-1936
m. 17-JUN-1974 John Joseph HAMMETT b. 15-JUL-1929
11 Terri Lynn RAMSEY b. 09-NOV-1956
m. 01-SEP-1978 Clifton Lee DICKEY b. 04-NOV-1957
12 Becky Lynn RAMSEY b. 24-MAR-1978
12 Leigh Ann DICKEY b. 03-JUL-1979
12 Nicole Priscilla DICKEY b. 24 Oct 1991
11 Ruth Ann RAMSEY b. 16-NOV-1959
m. 15-NOV-1980 Richard Coryton WADE b. 12-JAN-1959
m. blank blank
m. Max PRICE b. 23 AUG 1959
12 Randi Renee WADE b. 14-SEP-1981
12 Felicia Ryan WADE b. 21-NOV-1988
12 Brian James PRICE b. 28 MAY 1993
11 John Carlton RAMSEY b. 13-MAR-1961

6 Eaton UPCHURCH
6 Keaton UPCHURCH
6 Charity UPCHURCH
5 Betty UPCHURCH
5 Nathan UPCHURCH b. 1759 d. 1835 m. 1780 Unknown
5 Nancy UPCHURCH
5 James UPCHURCH V b. 1768
5 Jubal UPCHURCH b. ca 1775 d. ca 1836
5 Abel UPCHURCH b. 1775 d. 1846
4 Michael UPCHURCH III b. 1728 d. 1795 m. Wife of 325
5 William UPCHURCH IV b. _____ d. 1787 m. Sarah ?
5 George UPCHURCH b. 1757 d. 1830
m. 1781 Rachel BATHSHARES b. 1763 d. ca 1830
+ 5 Elizabeth UPCHURCH II m. 27 NOV 1787 Thomas BETHSHARES
5 Sherwood UPCHURCH b. 1771 d. 1850
m. 21 OCT 1790 Elizabeth TOMBERLINSON
m. 2 JAN 1804 Mary (Smith) Polly PELL

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-27174

MICHAEL ENTERPRISES
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18 DEC 1997

RUTH HAMMETT
101 RAINBOW Dr. APT. #5166
LIVINGSTON, TX 77351

Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thank you for the obituary for Claude Elmer Upchurch. He seems like a fine person. These clippings add greatly to our information about the family and are really appreciated.

I trust that finds you and John well and that by now you have had lots of experience traveling around the country. Gaillaine and I want to travel more but our list of things we want to do keeps getting longer & longer. In any case I enjoy farming and family history.

Our family will all be together in our home this Christmas - equal parts of joy & pandemonium. Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
(ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH)

Thought you might be interested in this

ROTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

UPCHURCH

CLAUDE ELMER UPCHURCH, age 79, of Houston, Texas, died of heart failure at Memorial City Hospital on November 24, 1997. He was born July 16, 1918, in Corsicana, Texas. At an early age, he moved to Tyler, Texas, and graduated from Tyler High School and The University of Texas with both Bachelor of Arts and Bachelor of Laws degrees and was admitted to the State Bar of Texas in 1941. At the University, he was a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity and a Charter Member and President of the Silver Spur Service Organization. He joined the Army Air Force in January, 1942 as a Flying Cadet. Upon graduation, he was assigned as a flying instructor at Lake Charles, Louisiana, Aloe Army Air Base in Victoria, Texas and later at the United States Military Academy at West Point. He attained the rank of Captain before being assigned to overseas duty as a fighter pilot with the 10th Air Force in the China India Burma theater. After the war, he began the practice of law in Carthage, Texas, where he served as City Attorney. In 1951 he joined the Law Department of Gulf Oil Corporation in Ft. Worth, transferred to Midland, Texas, 1958 and later to Houston in 1976 where he served as Counsel for the Houston Production District of Gulf until he retired in 1982. He continued in a limited private pracice until his death. He had served as President of the Midland County Bar Association and as Chairman of the Oil, Gas and Mineral Law Section of the State Bar. He was a member of the Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church, a Scottish Rite Mason, a Knight Templar, a Shriner and a member of Pioneer Oil Producers Association. He was preceded in death by his son, Ronald L. Upchurch, M.D. He is survived by his wife of 53 years, the former Virginia Higgins of Victoria, Texas, two daughters, and four grandchildren: Martha Blecher, son-in-law, Keith Blecher and granddaughter, Virginia Grace Blecher; Molly Tipton, son-in-law, John Tipton and grandchildren, Melanie, John David and Mary Tipton of Houston, Texas; a sister, Josephine Campbell, and her husband, Donovan Campbell, M.D. of Dallas, Texas; and a brother, James O. Upchurch and his wife, Pat, of Kerrville, Texas, and numerous nieces and nephews. Graveside service were held at The family plot in Oakwood Cemetery in Corsicana, Texas, on Wednesday, November 26, 1997. A memorial service will be held in the Chapel at Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church on Monday, December 1, 1997 at 2:00 p.m., with The Reverend Mac N. Turnage officiating. A reception will follow the service in the church parlor. Memorials may be sent to Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church, 11612 Memorial Drive, Houston, Texas 77024 or to the charity of choice.

John & Ruth Hammett
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Livingston, TX 77351

REC'D
12 DEC 1997

[Note: This obituary already in hand - RPH]

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26 OCT 1997

RUTH HAMMETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth

Thanks for the Archive article on Fred Upchurch [James Frederick W] which arrived on 20 OCT 1997. It has now been placed in his biofile and makes a fine addition. I have also extracted some details which were new to me for other members of his family. Inputs such as these are always appreciated.

Tomorrow I start to work on an issue of <u>ENGLANDIA</u> and right afterwards will be time to write another <u>U.B.</u> Where does ~~the~~ ~~time~~ go!

Sincerely yours

Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XTD-27174

⑤ On 20 OCT 1997 an archival item on James Frederick was rec'd from RUUH. It has been placed in the biofile. There was no message attached to the letter

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RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

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5 JUL 1995

MRS JOHN HAMMETT
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Dear cousin Ruth,

Thanks for your renewal on the 1995 UB and for your note and Christmas letter. I especially enjoyed reading your Christmas letter because we have been going through the same moving experience. I am amazed at how many things you have to do when you move. However, as every day goes by we are more and more settled in our new home.

I can appreciate that your genealogy work has been put on hold. In my own case there was about six months when I could do very little on family history. Please don't forget it altogether.

All the Best for the New Year!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH

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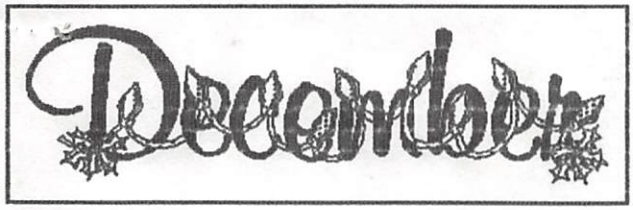
Attached is a "Holiday Letter" As you can see we will be doing a lot of traveling starting next year.

My research is at a stand still while I try & get settled

Good luck in your new home

Ruth Church Dammett



HAPPY HOLIDAYS

Just after one year and having made the decision to go full time; We've done it. Believe it or not the house is empty and on the market. We, along with all of the mess are now in our new home a 33.11' Fifth Wheel in Livingston, TX. Just how long we will be here depends upon the weather [which we can always predict] and when we can optain our new truck.

Seems the biggest problem now is getting the truck. Dodge says they make it, but no one seems to be able to get it. John will put in our order soon and all we can do is sit back and hope for a quick delivery.

It really did take a year ⊖ to move out of the house ⌂. Of course, we didn't work full time at it, but when we did decide to go full steam ahead I couldn't believe all the misilaneous problems. First, I couldn't believe how much "Great Stuff" we had. We had 4 "Garage Sales" [which we did great with] and gave away lots. Next we had to have the repairs to the house made, now that alone is an accomplishment - no two providers even talk the same lanuage - and you can't believe how hard it is to just get someone to come and talk to you. I never hear so many excusses. I guess people either don't want to work, or don't need the money. Oh yes, ask someone to "wash windows" $ hope you own the bank $. Then, of course we had to list the house ⌂. Now that wasn't too bad although we must have filled out tons and tons of papers and it only took 3 hours. Seems "BIG DADDY" has stepped into the Real Estate business as well. Realtors also want to be sure you know what you are doing and what they are going to do for you in full detail. But it is now on the market and we hope it sells soon.

Like Now, don't forget your insurance - I'm really now sure just what all is going on, but seems ~~link~~ for 30 days our rates go, down but after that they go UP $ UP $ UP $.

Next you spend days filling out all those "NEW ADDRESS" forms that the post office kindly gives you. Just trying to remember who needs to be told is trying on the brain, that is if you havn't lost yours by now. Now don't forget to go see you doctors for the "LAST" time and try to get some records to take with you while on the road. Great idea, except I ended up having to have a tooth pulled.

But that is all behind us now. We are enjoying our new home and the area. The people up here are great and we look forward to staying while we look for the truck. We are living at a park called Woodsy Hollow on HWY 2665 off U.S. 59. Our new address is:

105 Rainbow Dr. Apt. 5166
Livingston, TX 77351-9330

Have a good holiday and best wishes for 1995.

THE HAMMETT'S
JOHN & RUTH

RUTH HANNETT (1) XID-21174

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22 AUG 1992

RUTH HANNETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth -

Thanks for your letter of 4 AUG 92 re the LA Uplumber. I have returned to it several times and have just now finished processing same. This AM I called our cousin Jewell Charles H, Jr "J.C." of De Quincy, LA to discuss some aspects - more of that later.

We are making excellent progress but still have more to do on the LA U's

Re 1860 census - one family. The T. G. H is indeed Thomas Gay H, Jr of the Charles H/ Thomas Gay H Sr Subdans.

Re 1870 census - Two families. R. H = Robert Gay H - son of above mentioned T. G. H. All OK The other family I have not been able to identify - Headed by C. H age 22 b GA. - nor does this family appear later in LA. Need more debate.

Re 1880 census - Two families Harbert H in Lincoln Parish is of the Charles H/ Eaton H Subdans. R. G. H in Jackson Parish is the same as Robert Gay H on 1870 census.

1900 Census - Four families

#1 Robert U Family = Robert Guy U Family - same as on 1870 + 1880

#2 Thomas R. U Family = Thomas REGRENT (ROBERT?)
Guy is son of above mentioned Robert Guy U.

#3 Charles U b JUL 1862 Family = Charles B. U.
I have a query on this one but need more details. The jewell U is jewell Charles U, Sr - the father of "J.C." whom I called this AM. I have searched all my records for a Charles B. U b JUL 1862 and cannot find same. However, I have a speculation as follows: I. Abel U, Sr - Head of Clan.
A. James Eaton U, → XID-7230
1. Charles B. U b 1835 [See Bio file on him enclosed]. I am speculating that this Charles B. U b 1835 is the father of the above Charles B. U b 1862. Note that the former was reported to be in Sumter Co, AL in 1860. I do not have the Sumpter Co, AL census or other records.

#4 Cornelia U b JUL 1839 - in home of son-in-law James B. Carson (who md S. A. U on 16 JAN 1877) I am speculating that this Cornelia U is the widow of Charles B. U b 1835 and that she is the mother of Charles B. U b 1862. "J.C." says the relations are close in LA.

1910 Census - Thirteen Families

#1 G.D.U Family - cannot identify this one

#2 J.H.U Family - " " " "

#3 John B.U Family " " " "

#4 John R.U - Family. Part of the Charles U/ Thomas Gay U, Sr Subclass.

#5. Wright U Family [Wright Elliott U]. This is part of the Nathan U/ Burtis U Subclass. This Wright U is my 3rd cousin. He was born in Wake Co, NC and went to New Orleans, LA to seek his fortune. He was killed in a construction accident about 1932. I met his daughter-in-law in Hawaii several years ago & also have other connections with this branch.

#6 C.C.U Family - This is the Charles Lamp U, Sr Family of the Charles U/ Eaton U Subclass.

#7 Cornelia U Family (widow) & #8 Charles U Family — Same as #3 & #4 on 1900 census - in some respects this 1910 data looks like a repeat of the 1900 data - could you recheck your records and make sure the two families are valid for both 1900 & 1910?

#9 Thomas R.U = Thomas Relient U Family - of the Charles U/ Thomas Gay U, Sr Subclass.

#10 - Cora U Family - Cannot identify this one

#11. Claude U Family - Cannot identify this one - since it is in Lincoln Parish one speculates that Claude U is a descendant (son?)

of Harber H whom we find on the 1880 census in Lincoln County. Where is the Harber H Family in 1900??

#12 Elyja J. H - cannot identify this one

#13 Esbert H - cannot identify this one.

with a little more effort we may get all the HA records to fall into place. I am writing to "J. C." and will inquire if he is willing to go over to where Cornelia H was living in 1900 & 1910 to see what he can learn. If you are able to get more details on any of these items they will be most appreciated.

Hope you enjoyed your visit to Salt Lake City.

Sincerely yours

Robert Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH

XID-21174

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REC'D
6 AUG 1992

August 4, 1992

Sometime ago I told you I would look up some of our LA Upchurch family. Sorry this has taken so long - and I hope that you haven't totally given up on me. any why the above is what I have.

Todate this is all that I have been able to find on the Upchurch's as they passed through LA. Hope this helps.

I will continue my search as we receive new books, etc. I will get to spend next week (Aug 8 thru Aug 14) in Salt Lake City UT while my Husband attends a Purchasing Conference. (for a genealogist it must be called "gone to heaven☺")

Sorry about the Print — This machine has a mind of its own

Ruth

UPCHURCH'S IN LOUISIANA

COPY MADE FOR LA CENSUS FILE

US Census records record no Upchurch families until 1860.

T. G. Upchurch: Jackson Parish; P.O. Vernon; Dwelling #319; Family # 319. His occupation is listed as Farmer; Real Estate Valued at 6,000 and Personal Property valued at 1,000. T.G. and all his family were born in Georgia.

NAME	AGE	SEX
T. G. Upchurch	33	M [This I think is Thomas Gay Upchurch]
Sarah	32	F
Robert G.	13	M
Willis J.	11	M
William J.	8	M
Theodosia (?)	6	F [I think]
James N.	4	M

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1870 Census

R. Upchurch was a Farmer. He shows his Personal Property valued at 250. Dwelling #53 Family #53 It also showed he and his wife could not read or write, but were eligible to vote.

NAME	AGE	SEX	BIRTHPLACE
R. Upchurch	25	M	GA
L.	22	F	AL
E.	2 Mos.	M	LA

C. Upchurch was listed as a Farmer. It also shows he could not read or write but was eligible to vote.

NAME	AGE	SEX	BIRTHPLACE
C. Upchurch	22	M	GA
T.	17	F	LA
J.	11	M	LA
J.	8	F	LA

In 1880 I find two Upchurch families living in LA. The first is Harber Upchurch who lives in Lincoln County. The second is Robert Gay Upchurch, son of Thomas Gay Upchurch, who lives in Jackson County, Ward 1.

1880 Census

NAME	AGE	SEX	RELATION	BIRTHPLACE
Harber Upchurch	47	M		GA
Frances	37	F	W	GA
Charles Camp	19	M	S	AL
Mollie	13	F	D	AL
Nancy	11	F	D	AL
Ramie (Rena)	8	F	D	AL
Bula	2	F	D	LA
Buddie (Robert)	2/12	M	S	LA
Robert Gay Upchurch	32	M		GA
Eliza Jane Barr	36	F	W	AL
William Edward	12	M	S	LA
Sarah A. (Allie)	8	F	D	LA
Maggie "O" or "D"	6	F	D	LA
Mel "Josephine"	3	F	D	LA
J.R. (John Robert)	1	M	S	LA
T. R. (Thomas Robert)	1	M	S	LA

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I find a number of Upchurches in LA in the 1900 Census although only one family that was there in 1880. (Of course the 1890 Census is lost to us).

1900 Census

NAME	REL M/YR	BIRTH	AGE MD.	YRS	PB	FPB	MPB	PROF.
Robert Upchurch		8/1847	53	33	GA	GA	GA	Gardner
Eliza J.	W	8/1843	57	33	AL	AL	AL	
Allie (Sarah A.)	D	11/1871	29		LA	GA	GA	
Cora	D	4/1882	18		LA	GA	GA	
Claude	S	8/1886	14		LA	GA	GA	
NOTE: Owns farm free of Mtg. Living in Jackson County, Ward 1								
Thomas R. Upchurch		10/1878	21	1	LA	GA	GA	
Lelia O.	W	10/1880	19	1	LA	AL	GA	
John R.	B	10/1878	21		LA	GA	GA	
James Wheeles	BO	1/1879			LA			
NOTE: Thomas & John are Twins - I think their father is Robert Upchurch (see 1880 Census) They are living in Jackson County Ward 4; House 171, Family 172.								

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1900 Census

NAME	REL M/YR	BIRTH	AGE MO.	YRS	PB	FPB	MPB
Charles Upchurch		7/1862		13	MS	MS	MS
Sora	W	11/1866		13	LA	LA	LA
Cornilia	D	3/1888			LA		
Anice	D	9/1889			LA		
Jewell		S 6/1891			LA		
Cammie		D 3/1893			LA		

NOTE: *His Profession is Constable. They are living in Abberville LA, Vermilion County, Ward 3; house 152

Cornelia Upchurch	7/1839			AL	NC	AL

James B. Carson (Mother-In-Law)

NOTE: She is a Widow living in Opelousas LA, St. Landry County Ward 6.

1910 Census

NAME	REL	AGE	YRS MD.	PB	FPB	MPB	PROFESSION
Cornelia Upchurch		71		AL	NC	AL	

James B. Carson (Mother-In-Law)

NOTE: She is a Widow living in Opelousas LA, St. Landry County Ward 6.

Charles Upchurch		48	13	MS	MS	MS	*
Sora	W	49	13	LA	LA	LA	
Cornilia	D	22		LA			
Anice	D	21		LA			
Jewell		S	19		LA		
Cammie		D	17		LA		

NOTE: *His Profession is Constable. They are living in Abberville LA, Vermilion County, Ward 3; house 152

Thomas R. Upchurch		32	11	LA	GA	GA
Lelia O.	W	29	11	LA	AL	GA

NOTE: living in Jackson County, Ward 4

Carra Upchurch		26	TX

NOTE: She is the niece of John Butler. She is living in Alexandria, LA

Claude Upchurch		21
_ffie	W	23
Georgie E.	D	10/12
Margie Green	Ser	20

NOTE: They are living the Lincoln County, Ruston, LA

Eliza J. Upchurch	26

NOTE: She is living alone

Esther Upchurch	15	TX

NOTE: Neice of John Butler

1910 Census

NAME	REL	AGE	YRS MD.	PB	FPB	MPB	PROFESSION
G. D. Upchurch		28		GA			
Margarette	W	25		AL			
Loyd	S	1		AL			
NOTE: They are living the Washington County, Bogalusa, LA							
J. H. Upchurch		27					
Pearl	W	25					
Earl	S	3					
NOTE: living in Lincoln County							
John B. Upchurch		30					
Bettie	W	24					
Susie	D	5					
Lorie	D	3					
NOTE: Living the Winn County, Winnfield LA							
John R. Upchurch		31					
Allie R.	W	28					
Bessie M.	D	8					
Bicci	D	7					
Robert G.	S	5					
NOTE: Living the Jackson County							
Wright Upchurch		28		NC			
Carrie	W	21					
Eldora	D	3					
Wright	S	1					
NOTE: Living in Terrelcamne County							
C. C. Upchurch		49					
M.N.	W	48					
Aris		19					
C. C. Jr.		17					
NOTE: Living in Lincoln County, Vienna LA Ward 1,							

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The Southwest Records by Rev. Donald J. Herbert shows the following information

Vol. 28 (1897)
Upchurch, Maggie m. 6 Oct 1897 Marion Tubre
(Opel. Ct. Hse: Mar. #26360
Opel. Ct.= St. Landry Catholic Church, 900 Union St. Opelousas, LA 70570 - Record Began 1776

Vol. 18 (1887)
Upchurch, Charles B. m. 21 Feb 1887 Zona E. White
(Abbeville Ct. Hse. Mar. #180
Abbeville Ct. Hse = Vermillion Parish Courthouse, Abbeville LA, 70510 - Estab. 1844 - due to fire records begin with regularity about 1885

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— Vol. 13 (1877-1878)
△+△ Upchurah, S.A. m. 16 Jan 1877 J. B. Carson
(Opel. Ct., Hse: Mar# 10011

The "Records of LA Confederate Solders and LA Confederate Commands Vol II - Book 2 , page 898 lists the following:

△ UPCHURCH, J.W., Pvt. Co. K. 2nd LA Inf. En. Sept 12 1861, Monroe, LA Present on all Rolls to June 1862. Roll July and aug., 1862, Absent, wounded. Roll Sept. and Oct. 1862, Absent, sick, in Hspl., richmond VA. Roll Nov. and Dec., 1862, Absent on furlough. Roll Jan. and Feb., 1863, Absent sick. Roll March and April 1863, Absent without leave. Rolls May, 1863 to Aug. 1864, Absent wounded, on furlough.

△ UPCHURCH, JOHN, Pvt. Co. D, 42nd Ala. Inf. Roll of Prisoners of War, C.S.A., Paroled at Meridian Miss., May 16, 1865. Res. Pickens Co., Ala.

△ UPCHURCH, ROBERT, Pvt. Kennedy's Co. Reserve Corps LA. Mil. On Roll of Prisoners of divers companies and regiments unattached C.S.A., Paroled Monroe, LA June 18, 1865. Res. Jackson Par.

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

RUTH HAMMETT
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1-5-91

Dear Cousin Phil —
Working in LA Sounds Great - I need to do a lot of Research in that area on Both My Side & My husband!
I Volunteer at Ft Bend Lib in Gene so it will be Easy & fun —
Let me Know what you have & what you Need/want —
Ruth

PS - Alison Wise has No Middle Name!

REC'D 9 JAN 91

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XJD-21174

12 JAN 1991

RUTH HAMMETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thanks for your card of 5 JAN 1991. It is exciting to know that we are going to be working together on the Upchurches of Louisiana. The key thing to start with in my records would be the census records. I am enclosing the two single sheets in my file on LA census - showing 0 UC's in 1850 and two families in 1880. You will note that both of the 1880 families have been assigned to a suburban and XJD's have been assigned. I think the next step is to obtain census records for 1860, 1870, 1890 & beyond if possible. Can you do that? Of course any other records (marriages, wills, deeds, cemetery records, deaths, etc that fall into your hands could be helpful. I'll be glad to try to fit what you find into family structure (outlines). We have all sorts of options as data begins to surface. I'll look forward to you & I authoring an article on LA UC's for the UC in due course.

Sincerely yours,
Phil Upchurch
(ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH)

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

17 DEC 1990

RUTH HAMMETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thanks for your renewal on the U's for 1991 and for your questions about LA and TX. I have not made a concerted study on the U's in either state. I have done some in GA & AL. The GA material appeared in UG Vol 10 No 4. The AL stuff is essentially finished and ready to publish.

For LA & TX I have complete census abstracts for 1850 and for TX I have also 1910 - as regards all U's. As I learn the connections of the U's I enter them Dan/Subclan & XID's on the census record. We are coming along nicely in LA & TX but the TX groups are much larger. I would like to make more progress on both and would be glad to work with you on them. Some more census extracts would help a good deal. Would you like to start on LA? I'll be glad to send a map of where I am.

Happy Holidays!

Sincerely yours,
Robert Upchurch

[ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH]

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XFD-21174

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signed 20 MAR Ruth Hammett

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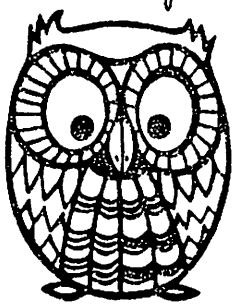

Charles / Thomas Gay
Fannie Ruth U

3-28-90

Video
sent 4-12-90

Dear Cousin Phil,

Reading your Bulletin made me really sad I couldn't make the trip to Atlanta. It must have been great. Also would have loved meeting all the Upchurch's.

If you start thinking of Houston, Let me Know - I'd love helping.

Here's my 20.00 for the tape - can hardly wait to see it.

Ruth

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

10 APR 1990

RUTH HAMMETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thanks for your note of 28 MAR 1990 and for the check for the video tape. It is now being sent to you. Enclosed are copies of some of the visuals used in the lecture. Hope you enjoy the tape.

Thanks for your offer to help on an Upchurch festival in Houston. I'll put it on the list for consideration. It could be a winner!

On the family of Fannie Ruth U. we seem to have a perfect outline except for:

1 where in 1893 was Clay Carlton Irvine Unruh born?

2 what is the full maiden name of Alison West and when & where was she born?

For the rest of the family of James Simeon U we are more sketchy. Any idea on how we can make progress? Can I send you the outline?

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XFD-21174

26 NOV 1989

RUTH HAMMETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thanks for the order for UC 85 & 86 and for the renewal on UC for 1990. The 85 & 86 went out on 20 NOV 89 and should be to you by now.

Sorry you cannot make the upcoming lecture. If you find you can come at the last minute please do so. I hope your various problems are beginning to clear up now.

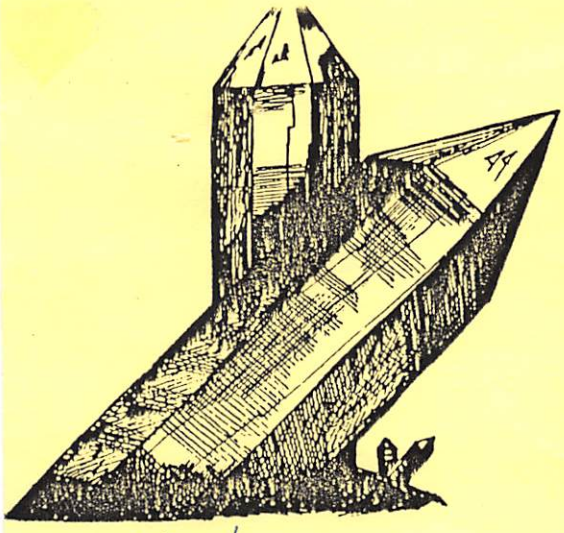
I am not sure about typing the lecture, we might be able to do it. There are a few number of things that have to be done - such as getting my slides ready. If I could type it the audience might allow me to improve the next one. We'll see.

All the Best!

Sincerely yours,
Phil Upchurch

(ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH)

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID- 21174



From the desk of

RUTH HAMMETT

REC'D
15 NOV 1989

11-9-89

Hi!

Had really hoped to go to Atlanta, but I've come down with a good case of hoof poising and a few other problems seem to get in my way.

Have you considered taping the lecture? I'd be glad to pay for a tape —

I'll try for the next one —

Ruth

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

15 JUL 1989

RUTH HAMMETT
15402 W. RITTER CR.
HOUSTON, TX 77071

Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thanks for your note of 12 JUL 89. The 1934 issue of the U R was being sent under separate cover. The contribution to the Upchurch Research Fund is appreciated.

I am pleased to know that you plan to enter the DAR under Charles U (Head of Clan) (XID-164). Enclosed is a copy of his 15 page Profile. This should give you a good start. When you find other specific items you need I may have some of them.

I'll look forward to the data you plan to assemble on your family. It is always nice to get the Master outline a little more completed.

Hope you had a nice week end.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

Ruth Hammett

REC'D 14JUL1989

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7-12-89

Dear Cousin Phil,

Thanks for your letter. Please your $12.00 for a 1984 backissue & Keep the $3.00 for research.

I'm going to start getting information on joing the DAR using Charles Upchurch. - Any Copies of needed records would be appreciated!

Hope to get into Aunt Alice's material by Oct. Should be able to answer some Questions I have the Info. from your 12-25 letter

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH (1) XID-21174

7 JUL 1989

RUTH UNRUH HAMMETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth,

Thanks for your letter which arrived on 15 JUN 89 and for all of the details on the family. They have now been properly recorded.

On your check for $15.00 I can report that you were up to date on your payments. I can accept the $15 as a donation to the Unruh Research Fund, a donation as a memorial to someone of your choice, payment for the 1990 UB, send you a back volume of UB or return the $15. Let me know your choice.

Normally we issue the UB in the third month of the quarter (MAR, JUN, SEP, DEC). They bear dates of JAN, APR, JUL, OCT. For the June issue this year we got it out the last of June rather than the first week of June because of our trip to Europe. Then the Post Office took their time in delivering bulk mail. Trust you have yours by now.

In my letter of 25 DEC 1988 to you I provided an attachment listing what was missing on James Simeon [illegible] & his family. Do you still have this list? If so can you provide or get

any of the missing details? If this list has disappeared (as things tend to do over Christmas) I'll be glad to send another copy if you so desire. If you have any suggestions as to how we can proceed to the next round of improvement for the Charles U/Thomas Gay U, Sr Subdivision they will be appreciated. We really have made great progress on the family of Thomas Gay U, Jr. For so long I had very little on he and his family

The family of Fannie Ruth (Upchurch) Unruh is now in excellent shape. The only thing missing is the full maiden name of ALTSON WETSS. You wrote me that the middle name for her was "NA". Does this mean "not available"? Is there any chance that we can get it. It is not a big deal but then it would be nice to have a perfect set of records. Of course, you will let me know if there are any changes in the family of Fannie Ruth (U) Unruh.

It is always good to hear from you Let me know if I need to send you something.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch
(ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH)

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

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Dear Cousin Phil:

Sorry for the delay - I must be behind on my payment as I can only find my Jan '89 issue - I'm Enclosing $15.00 just in case.

Hope I've answered most of your questions

(2)

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22 NOV 1988

RUTH UNRUH HAMMETT
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— Nov 5, ~~1898~~ 1897 (he was Born in Bradford, PA

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— and when & where was she born?
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~~and where is she buried?~~
— divorced Mar 1983
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Any answers you can provide on the above will be appreciated.

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Hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely Yours
Phil Upchurch

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RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH (1) XID-21124

25 DEC 1988

RUTH UPCHURCH HAMMETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth,

Three cheers for you! Your 13 DEC 1988 letter and all the attachments were just great! I had heard about the Bible and thought it or some details from it on the Thomas Guy II, Jr Family would surface. What you have supplied adds significantly to our base of information for the Thomas Guy II, Jr family - but what an improvement. I would still like to see a xerox copy of the page in the Bible or an exact transcript. Perhaps you will come by it.

The original on the Thomas Guy II, Jr portrait is returned herewith. Thanks for letting me use it. It is too bad it did not reproduce better in the U B but the idea is there.

I have a variety of things from Alice Guy II and Martha Guy II but what you sent was new information although I have most of the substance. In any case I have found good places in the various Bibles for this

material. And you need any of it back? If so please let me know.

We are close to having a perfect set of details on the family of Fannie Ruth U. Here is what is missing:

A. when in 1893 was Guy Carlton Irvine Unruh born?

B. what is the full maiden name of ALTSON WEISS and when and where was she born?

C. when in 1956 were you married?

Missing details on James Simeon U and his children are summarized on three sheets which are enclosed. Perhaps you have or can get some of these details. Perhaps you can contact some of your first cousins. Of course there are missing details on some of the gr & ggr of James Simeon U & we can get into that in due course. Additionally, your letter provided details on the siblings of James Simeon U and we can get into that too. In the meantime anything you can find irrespective of which generation is involved will be welcomed.

I take it that Thomas Guy U, Jr lived out his adult and later years in the area of Vernon, LA and is buried there. Have you ever been back to that setting? Do you have any cousins still in that area. (My Boss's wife is from MINDEN, LA). Do you know anything more about the stay of Thomas Guy U, Jr in Maryland after the Civil War or about his service in that war?

I dont know why Martha Lucy (U) Tidd wrote that the Thomas Gay U, Jr that interested Alice (Gay) U was not the son of Thomas Gay U, Sr. I think maybe the name of Robert Gay U b 1847 (son of Thomas Gay U, Jr) may have entered the picture. Perhaps they used the name GAY to represent all three of these people and that led to confusion. Martha was usually on target. I am sorry I never got to meet her. She is one of the most outstanding Upchurch females and I want to dedicate an issue of the U B to her - but need a picture and more details.

Our house is now full of all of the smells of a Christmas dinner being cooked. Our son Barry is here from St Louis. Our Tucson daughter & her husband & 3 kids returned home last night from a trip to NC to show off the kids. They will be joining us for dinner and Christmas Tree festivities - presents, etc. My wife is giving the kids a checker board which stays with us so I can play checkers with the kids. Being an obedient husband I will do so. It is a joyful Christmas for us and I hope that you and yours will have all the best now and in the New Year!

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch [ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH

MISSING DETAILS ON JAMES (4) 25 DEC 1988
SIMEON UPCHURCH & HIS CHILDREN

(1) For James Simeon U
(a) Was he born 3 JUN 1855, 3 MAR 1856 or 3 JUN 1856?
(b) In addition to his eight known children was there another child and if so was it named, die young? There is some indication that there were 9 children overall but no indication as to where in the order of births this child came.

(2) For Claude Elmer U, Sr
a. Did he marry 16 OCT 1916 or 26 OCT 1916
b. Is his wife MATTIE Graves Thomas or MARTHA Graves Thomas?

(3) For Carrah Leona U
a. when in JUN 1885 was she born?
b. when in 1978 did she die?
c. where did she die and where buried?
d. when and where did she marry?
e. what does the "R" in R. Curtis Granberry stand for; when & where was he born, when and where died; and where buried?
f. Did she have just one child?

(4) For Olive U
a) what is her full maiden name?
b) when in FEB was she born and was it 1887 or 1888?
c) when in MAY 1969 did she die & where died & where buried?
d) when and where married?
e) was her husband James Robert Holmes or Robert L. Holmes and if the latter what does the "L" stand for and when & where born; when & where died & where buried
f) Did she have just two children?

(5) For Lena H

a. what is her full maiden name?
b. when in APRIL was she born and was it in 1889 or 1890?
c. when in 1979 did she die; where died; and where buried?
d. when and where did she marry?
e. to her husband JAMES DAP ODEN or JAMES DAP ODUM? when & where was he born; when and where died; and where buried?
f) did she have any children? If so how many and what were their names?

(6) For Mary Ethel H

a) when in MAR was she born and was it in 1892 or 1893?
b) when in 1980 did she die, where died & where buried?
c) when and where did she marry?
d) what is the middle name of William McKelvey (I have middle initial M. and H) and when & where was he born; when & where died; & where buried?
e) did she have any children? If so how many and what were their names?

(7) For James Frederick H

a) when in 1973 did he die; where died; where buried?
b) when in 1899 was Alice Ray Brown Gray born? and where did she die?
c) did he have just three children?

(8) For Clara H

a) what is her full maiden name?
b) when in NOV was she born? & was it 1897 or 1898? Is she still living?
c) when and where married?
d) what does the "R" in Clifford R. BERRIEN

(6)

(8) CONTINUED

stand for and when & where was he born, when & where did he die and where buried?

l) Did she have any children? If so, how many and what were their names?

(9) For Fannie Ruth II

a) When in 1897 was Guy Carlton Irvine Unruh born?

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH (1) XID-21174

REC'D
17 DEC 1988

RUTH UPCHURCH HAMMETT
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Houston, TX 77071

December 13, 1988

Dear Cousin Phil;

Guess my Xmas came early this year. My luck, and luck only, we found some of Aunt Alice's papers (Alice Gray Upchurch). I am enclosing a copy for you to look over. I have not gone over them with my records yet, but thought you might like to have what I found. I'm still going to her daughter's house after the first of the year and see what else we can find. I also understand one of my cousins has some of the information that might be good.

The picture turned out pretty good. (I would like to have my original back). I'm very interested in the Virginia Greene of Opelika, AL. Some of the information from Aunt Alice might be helpful. What do you think?

I'm also giving up the update you needed:

1.a) At present I am not sure of the date of Guy C. Unruh's birth. I am in the process of locating it.

2.a) Not sure of Alison's middle name (will have to write her)

b) Mark Montgomery was born in Logansport, ID.

3.a) I have drawn a blank on just when I was married. Did find my divorce papers that said I was divorced 17 APR 1972. Also that I was married in 1955 - but no date - I'll get that soon and send it.

b) You're right, John Carlton was born in 1961.

c) Clifton Lee Dickey was born 4 NOV 1957.

d) Ruth Ann did not DIE - She was divorced in March, 1983 (not sure of the date). Since our last correspondance she has had a child. Felicia Ryan Wade (Father is Richard C. Wade) born 21 NOV 1988, Houston, TX Harris Co. - to date they have not married again.

e) Randi Renee Wade.

Have a good holiday season!

Sincerely,

Ruth

Ruth

→Three pages of Martha Lucy U compilation put in Thomas Guy U, Sr Bio.
PS- Also Included the short about Sam Upchurch.
He is #8 "Baby Boy"

Note: Ltr 23 OCT 1962 Alice (Gray) U to Bena Jane U, Sr placed in his Profile.
Ltr 31 OCT 1960 to " " " from Martha Lucy U placed in MLU "
Two pages of Martha Lucy U compilation put in Charles U Profile.

Inserted by A.G.U.
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" " died on June 23, 1885, near Ashland, Ala. (2)]

C-1 Copy from Thomas G. Upchurch's Bible

Births

[?-RPU]
△ Thomas G. Upchurch was born on March 7, 1827
married on [illegible] [illegible] cemetery [illegible] Vernon
△ Sarah Upchurch " " " September 7, 1822 → [SARAH MILLER]
— Not 1826

— Children:
△ Robert G. Upchurch was born July 17, 1847 ✓
△ Willis J. Upchurch " " on April 15, 1849
△ Patience E. Upchurch " " " January 13, 1851
△ William J. Upchurch " " " August 17, 1852
△ Theodosia Upchurch " " " May 18, 1854
△ James S. Upchurch " " " June 3. 1856
△ Sarah M. Upchurch " " " July 7/1, 1855/58 [2]
△ Thomas W. Upchurch " " " Jan. 15, 1860
△ John F. Upchurch " " " March 20(?), 186-
△ → moved to Carrol Co. Ga; then back to Terrell/Athens, Texas

Marriages

Mary ("Mollie") Etta Lawhon (age 16), and James Simeon
(b. on Dec. 26, 1865 in La.)
Upchurch were married on Nov. 24, 1881, in Texas.

— Children:
- Claude Elmer Upchurch (dec'd) to Mattie Thomas of La.
- △+□ Carrah Leona " to R. C. Granberry
- △+△ Olive " to James Robert Holmes
- △+△ Lena " to Dap Odum, dec'd
- △+□ Mary Ethel " to William McElvey of Tenn
- △+□ James Frederick Upchurch to Alice Gray,
- □+△ Clara " to Clifford Berrien
- □+□ Fannie Ruth " to Guy Unruh, dec'd, of Phila., Pa.

Children of Robert G. Upchurch: Bob + [illegible] twins); Ed; Claude,

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△ ✓ An Obituary notice in a La. Nsp. gives the birth date as Aug. 11, 1847.

△ 2 Probably means 1858. Copy is very dim.

□ P.S. It might be a wise idea to get this old copy photostated, and signed by Mrs. R.C. Granberry, and Mrs. Robert Holmes before a Notary Public — If so, I'll mail one to Mrs. Tidd. and to you if you want it — AGU. → [MRS ALICE GRAY U]

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The family of Thomas Gay Upchurch Sr. (Gay Upchurch was born in Wake County, N.C. on Nov. 28, 1797; died on June 23, 1885, near Ashland, Alabama.)

Thomas Gay Upchurch Sr.
Nov. 28, 1797 - June 23, 1885
Md. Jan. 6, 1825 1835

Patience Barnes
(1806-)

Willis J. Upchurch
(1821 - 28 Nov 1910)
Sarah Mabry
(1825 - 1860)
Married 6 Sept 1865

M A Whitehead Hatchens
(1832 - 1916)

Dau. of Jethro J. Barnes who started the first grist mill in Henry Co., Ga. He came from N.C. b. 1775 or was age 60-70 in 1840, C.

Thomas Gay Upchurch Jr
(1827-)

Sarah Miller
(1826-)

Correct data begins with Thos. G. Upchurch to Sarah Mill[illegible] both natives of Henry Co., Atlanta, Georgi[illegible]

William Upchurch 1830

J W Upchurch (Coney)
(7-9-1831 - 3-27-1896)

Rosina Morgan
6-11-1840 - 5-16-1915

Martha Upchurch (1833-)

R A Upchurch (Girl) (1835-)

Mary E. Upchurch (1837-)

John C. Upchurch 1840

Joseph E. Upchurch 1843
Christopher

Margaret J. Upchurch 1846

Book 1822-1837, Henry Co., Ga

Alice Upchurch

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The family of Willis J. Upchurch - elder son of Thomas Gay Upchurch Sr.
first wife Sarah Mabry

Willis J. Upchurch
(1821-28 Nov 1910
1850
Sarah Mabry
(1825-1860)

Catherine Upchurch
1852
George Riley

George Riley
Martersville (boy)
Minnie

Frank
Robert
George [GROVER - RPU]
Benny
Moselle
Annie Mae
Charlie
Jimmy
Willie

William Upchurch
(1853-
Sally Condor

Jane Upchurch 1855

Charles Upchurch 1856

John Upchurch 1858

Joe C. Upchurch
(1860-)
Annie Short

Delure Shaw
(23 Aug 1873

Should be 1826 error - RPU

Note: Civil War Record W J Upchurch member
2nd Regt Ga State Troops Co I from Carroll County
Pvt 14 Feb 1863 absent sick Jan 1864 no record of this unit
after 11 July 1864 they were destroyed by fire at Middlegville by Sherman

Alice Upchurch

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[illegible] of Willis J. Upchurch - elder son of Thomas Gay Upchurch Sr.
second wife M.A. Whitehead Hutchens

Willis J. Upchurch
(1831 - 28 Nov 1910)
6 September 1855
M.A. Whitehead Hutchens
(1832 - 1916)

1864 (R-PU)

Will Upchurch (1876 - 1944)
Victoria Upchurch 1868 - 1950
Georgia Upchurch
Jim Miller
Bob Upchurch
Callie Riddle
Willborn Upchurch
Lavonia May
Love Upchurch
King
Emma Upchurch
Monroe Richardson
Mittie Upchurch
Sylvester Pinkston

Myrtle
Bob Miller
[illegible]
Claude
R. G. Upchurch
Irma
Buren Upchurch
Sarah Upchurch
Inez Upchurch
Willie May
Vernia Upchurch
Velma
Nellie Jo
Annie Maud
Gladys Richardson
Herman Richardson
Annie Mozell
Wofford
Willis Gay
Jap Slaughter
Emma Lou

Alice Upchurch

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The family of J. W. (Pony) Upchurch - son of Thomas Gay Upchurch SR.

J W (Pony) Upchurch
(7-9-1831 - 5-27-1896)

Rosina Morgan Upchurch
(6-11-1840 - 5-16-1915)

John Upchurch
(1-6-1861 - 3-23-1933)

Julie Kidd
(8-7-1858 - 10-7-1927)

Connie Upchurch

Cleve Upchurch
1884 - 1915

Marvin Upchurch
1885 - 1933

Fred Upchurch
1891 - 1909

Tom Upchurch
(2-8-1866 - 4-8-1932)
Elder

Howard Stirling

J. M. Upchurch 6-22-1876 died 12-17-1909

Will G. Upchurch
(1871 - 1948)

Fanny Midler

Mattie Lou

Glenn

Bob Upchurch

Ed Upchurch

Mollie Upchurch

Kirkpatrick

F 6.

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The family of Joe C. Upchurch - youngest son of Willis J. Upchurch and Sarah Mabry

first wife Annie Short

Joe C. Upchurch (1860-1937)

Homer Berman Upchurch
2 July 1886 Married 28 Nov 1907
Emma Patton
3 Nov 1887

Annie Short

Hattie Kay Upchurch
16 Jan 1888 - 4 March 1888

Wayne C. Upchurch 24 March 1889 - 31 Aug 1894

Aurora Ethel Upchurch

Claborn Edge

Calquitt Alford Upchurch

Ethel Anderson

Ouida Upchurch died 2 May 1902

Benjamin Franklin Upchurch (1899-1936)
Mary Bryan Jane

Alice Upchurch

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The family of Joe C. Upchurch youngest son of Willie J. Upchurch and Sarah Mabry

Second wife deLure Shaw

Joe C. Upchurch
(1860-1937) Married 7 June 1903
deLure Shaw
(23 Aug 1873 -)

Sara Elizabeth Upchurch
(9 Oct 1904 - Married 14 June 1923
James Henry Aldridge

Hugh Lorimichael
James Henry

Lillian Upchurch
(18 Nov 1905 Married 25 Dec 1927
W Earle Hassler

Jacqueline Nan
Barbara Jean

Lucille Upchurch
21 June 1908
George Anthony Jasater
12 July 1930

Joe Cephus Upchurch 6 Nov 1910 - 18 Jan 1911

Mary Helen Upchurch
3 May 1913
20 Feb 1937
Ralph D. Davis

Nancy Joe Davis

alice Upchurch

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and Annie Short

Homer Berman Upchurch
(2 July 1886-

married
28 Nov 1907

Emma Patton
(3 Nov 1887

Everett Tamar Upchurch

Everett Tamar
1 Jan 1936

Martha Smith

Joe Cephus
22 Sept 1939

William Upchurch

Etheline

The family of Colquitt Alfred Upchurch - son of Joe Cephus Upchurch and Annie Short

Annie Aurora Upchurch

Colquitt Alfred Upchurch

Ethel Anderson

Virginia Hope

P J Leary

Dorothy Marie

E Bogrell

Colquitt Alfred Upchurch Jr.

Ouida Gay

Alice Upchurch

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The family of Benjamin Franklin Upchurch - youngest son of Joshua Upchurch and Annie Hoot

Benjamin Franklin Upchurch - (1899-1936)

Mary Bryan Lane

Ben Lane Upchurch Sr.
(5 Oct 26 - 15 May 1954

Joanne M. Palmer
(10 Aug 1931 -

Ben Lane Upchurch Jr.
25 July 1955

Annie Marie Upchurch
(2 Oct 1930 -

Alger R. Duke

Alice Upchurch

THOMAS BRYANT Upchurch

Birth January 21 1875 Place

Chr. Baptist Co. Missionary Place Navarro Co.

Death December 12 1942 Place Corsicana Inf. Navarro Co.

Burial Bazette Baptist Cemetary Place Nr. Kerens Texas

Father William Jefferson Upchurch Mother (Maiden Name) Sally Lawhorn

Mar. Jan 2, 1898 Place Kerens Texas

Other Wives (if any) J. M. Jennings

This shows Sam Upchurch #8 = Verified by daughter + Claude Upchurch

WIFE Lena Tamilea Schomerus

Birth Jan 28, 1877 Place

Chr. Baptist Place

Death July 28, 1957 Place Ora Framels Home Bazette Nr. Kerens

Burial Bazette Bapt. Cemetary Place Bazette Nr. Kerens

Father William Schomerus Mother (Maiden Name)

Other Husb. (if any)

Place Additional Genealogical and Historical Data on Reverse Side

Male or Female		CHILDREN (Give names in full in order of birth)	WHEN BORN Day	Mo.	Yr.	WHERE BORN Town	County	State or Country	DIED Day	Mo.	Yr.	MARRIED
△	1	Ora Ellen	10	26	1898	Eureka	Nav	Tex				Date June 8 1918 To Thomas Audrey Framel
△	2	Virgie	10	13	1900	Eureka	Nav	Tex				Date May 30, 1919 To Fred M Framel
△	3	Mattie Lena	11	21	1902	Roane	Nav	Tex				Date Nov 17, 1928 To Curtis Stark
△	4	Williams Thomas Jefferson	3	3	1905	Roane	Nav	Tex				Date Dec. 12, 1935 To Georgia Earlene Albritton
△	5	Baby Boy	1	7	1907	Bazette	Nav	Tex	2	10	1907	Date To
△	6	Roy Jasper (Skey)	2	26	1908	"						Date Oct 28 1928 To Ina Mae Adkisson
△	7	Sheldon Burt (Butch)	3	1	1911	"						Date May 19 1931 To Lois Burson
	8	Baby Boy (SAM)	2	16	1913	"						Date To
△	9	James Herman	5	12	1914	"						Date June 15 1946 To Christine Elizabeth Darlington
△	10	Willie Faye	11	29	1916	"						Date Aug 22, 1937 To Maggart B Howell
△	11	Baby Girl	28	5	1919	"					1919	Date To
△	12	Jessie Fern			1923	"					11-26-1929	Date To
	13											Date To
	14											Date To
	15											Date To

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RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21174

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22 NOV 1988

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   d) when in MAR 1983 did Ruth Ann Ramsey die and where is she buried?
   e) what is the full name of RANDA WADE and is she a boy or a girl?

Any answers you can provide on the above will be appreciated.

We have an UNRUH in our church - MARTIN and CHRISTINA (wife). - 540 E. MONACO PLACE, TUCSON, AZ 85704 (602-297-2768). Thought you might like to know. They are very nice people

Hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely yours
Phil Upchurch

{ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH}

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH XID-21124 (1)

RUTH UNRUH HAMMETT
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October 28, 1988 RECD 31 OCT 1988

Dear Cousin Phil,

I have gotten some of the answers for you, but I'm still working on the past one. I have found, from taking to Jessie Upchurch, that Sam Upchurch was my grandfather James U brother. (I'm working with Jessie to get the exact direct line.)

I'm still in the process of getting more of the Unruh line, especially Dad's. I'm not sure at this point just when he died, but I have begun a search. I also can't remember just when I was married the first time. - but will continue to look.

I'm sending you what I have and also the picture of Thomas Upchurch and wife Sara Miller Upchurch. I hope that you can use them.

Know this is short, but must get on with some more letter writing. Hope to get the letter of to the rest of the relatives soon.

Sincerely,

Ruth

Ruth

The pictures you sent are really nice. I would like to publish in the U B the picture of Thomas Guy U, Jr and his wife and also the one of James Simeon U and his family. Do you have the originals. What would be especially helpful is to get what is called a "screen print" for these two. A screen print is a special copy made by a photo place which provides for better printing.

It is great that you are collecting details on the rest of the family and I look forward to what you can get. We have made a lot of progress on the descendants of Thomas Guy U, Jr but still have a long way [illegible] clippings were quite helpful. [illegible] family was & is an interest [illegible] enjoy learning more about [illegible] readers of the U B.

While we are waiting [illegible] relatives here are some [illegible] be able to answer:

1) note:
B. We are in the Process of getting Guy C records to determine exact date of death & Date born. - Also as to the spelling of his Middle name.

Δ1) For FANNIN RUTH U
- a) Is her first name "FANNIN" or "FANNIE"?
Δ b) When in 1897 was Guy ~~Carrollton~~ CARLTON Irvine Unruh born?
- c) Did she have just two children? yes

Δ2) For Alice Irvine Unruh
DALLAS Δ a) What does the "P" in Jack (correct) P. Thomas (PIERCE) stand for, is Jack a nickname for John in his case and where was he born?
- b) Did she have just two children? yes

△3) For Benjamin Thomas:
- a) what is his full name? BENJAMIN PIERCE THOMAS
△ b) what is his wife's full maiden name Alison Weiss
- c) I show he was wed ~~13 JAN 1958~~ 4 APR 1981 - Alison and his wife was born ~~4 APR 1981~~ 1-13-58. Has to be wrong. Are there dates reversed? BEN B-NOV 7, 1957
△ d) what is the full name of Austin Thomas and where was he born? AUSTIN DE WITT THOMAS / BAY City, TX
- e) Did/does he have just one child? YES

△4) For Carolyn Thomas
- a) what is her full maiden name? CAROLYN DeWitt THOMAS
△ b) what is the full name of Mark Montgomery ↓ DARREL and where was he born?
- c) She has no children yet, right? Right

□5) For yourself
- a) when in 1956 did you marry? 30 Th - Ho, TX
- b) where did you marry the 1st and 2nd time?
△ c) what does the "L" in James L. Ramsey stand for and where was he born? Lewis Houston, TX
△ d) where was John Joseph Hammett born? Amarillo, TX
- e) Did you have just three children? Yes

△6) For Teri Lynn Ramsey
- a) when in 1978 did she marry? Sept 1, 1978
△ b) what is the full name of Clyton Dickey and where was he born? 4 NOV 1957 Houston Lee
- c) Does she have just two children? N
△+△ d) where were her children born? ~~Ho~~ TX

△7) For Ruth Ann Ramsey (D-March '83 El Paso, TX)
- a) when in 1980 did she marry? NOV 15, 1980
△ b) what is the full name of Richard Wade and where was he born? Richard Corydon W B El Paso TX 1-12-60
- c) Did she marry again? No If so, details?
△ d) what is the full name of Randy Wade and where born? NY, NY
- e) Does she have just one child? Yes

Ho, TX
△8) where was John Carlton Ramsey born? Still single? Yes

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH (1)

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T John J. or Ruth Hammett

Robert P. Upchurch
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Dear Mr. Upchurch;

At our Genealogy Library Friday I found copies of your bulletin - - I felt like I had found a gold mind. From what I have gather from those issues I am part of the subclan of Thomas Gay Upchurch, St. "Clan 2". I have enclosed a outline of my gmother and gfather and list of their children. If this is of interest I can get a lot of inforamtion from then to now for your files.

I also have pictures of: (1) Thomas G. Upchurch, Jr. & wife Sarra Miller
(2) James S. Upchurch & Wife Mary Etta Lawhon
(3) Family picture of James S. Upchurch

I have enclosed my $10.00 to receive your upcoming issues. I would like to start at the first of this Vol. if possible. In the near future I hope to order the back issues and plan to inform the members of our family of your bulletin.

Look forward to receiving your upcoming issues. Also interested in obtaining copies of the books that are mentioned and reviewed in Vol.1.

I have justed retired and am now geting totally involved in doing research on my family like. Thus far it has been very exciting with each new trip to a library. I hope to come to Tucson (for their annual Gem & Mineral Show in February) some time in the near future. (Rockhounding is another hobby of mine).

Sincerely,

Ruth

Ruth Upchurch Unruh Hammett

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HUSBAND'S NAME James Simon Upchurch

When Born Jan 1856 Where GA

Christened ____ Where ____

When Died Sept 18, 1932 Where Corsicana, Tx

When Buried ____ Where ____

When Married 24 Nov 1881 Where Corsicana, Navarro Co, Tx

Other Wives (if any) ____

His Father Thomas Gray Upchurch His Mother's Maiden Name Sara Miller

WIFE'S MAIDEN NAME Mary Etta Lawhon

When Born Feb 1866 Where ha

Christened ____ Where ____

When Died March 28 1954 Where Austin, Texas

When Buried ____ Where ____

Other Husb (if any) ____

Her Father Bright Lawhon Her Mother's Maiden Name Mary Thomas

Information on this sheet obtained from

(Husband's Full Name)

(Wife's Maiden Name)

Date ____

Compiler ____

Address ____

City ____ State ____

Male or Female		CHILDREN (Arrange in order of birth)	When Born Day	Month	Year	Where Born Town or Place	County	State or Country	Married to	When Married Day	Month	Year	When Died* Day	Month	Year	Where Buried Town or Place	County	State or Country
	1	Claude E.		Mar	1884	Corsicana	Navarro	Tx	Mattie Thomas			1917		Apr	1931	Corsicana	Navarro	Tx
	2	Carra [CORA]		June	1885	"	"	"	Curtis Grandberry									
	3	Ollie [OLIVE]		Feb	1888	"	"	"	Robert Holmes									
	4	Lenna [LENA]		Apr	1890	"	"	"	James Oden									
	5	Ethel		Mar	1893	"	"	"	Wm. M. McKelvey									
	6	Fred		July	1895	"	"	"	Alice Brown Gray									
	7	Clarry [CLARA]		Nov	1898	"	"	"	Cliff Berrins									
	8	Ruth [MARY RUTH]		Mar	1902	"	"	"	Guy Unruh	2nd	June	1927	18	Feb	1961	Kilgore		Tx
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RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH (1) XID-21174

25 JUN 1988

RUTH UPCHURCH HAMMETT
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Dear Cousin Ruth,

I am delighted to have your letter of recent date and your interest in the Upchurch Family. We have a great mutual interest. Issues #1 & #2 of the U B for 1988 are being mailed to you. The other two issues appear later this year. A current order blank is enclosed. You will note an updated price structure. I do hope you will order the back issues of the U B.

Yes, you belong to the Charles U Clan and to the Charles U / Thomas Gay U, Sr Subclass. Charles U was a brother of my GGGF Nathan U, I. Both fought in the Revolution. I'll be glad to send you a sketch of your line and mine if you so desire.

Unfortunately the Upchurch books by West and Morgan are out of print.

The pictures sound great. Are they in big frames or can you send me a xerox copy of them? Some of them might be suitable for publication in the U B.

I have some details on your GF James S. U and his descendants but it is quite incomplete and there are some differences between what you report and what I have gotten from other sources. We will need to reconcile these differences over time. I have nothing on the descendants of your mother and father so anything you can send to get their more modern part of the family documented would be appreciated.

I collect full names of people (full maiden names of females) including names of people who married descendants of an Upchurch, dates of birth, marriage, death and places of birth, marriage, death and burial. Approximate dates of divorce is also useful.

Here are some specific questions for you.

1) For your Mother
   a) I show full name of Mary Ruth U - Is this correct?
   b) when in MAR 1962 was she born?
   c) I show she d MAR 1964. you show 18 FEB 1961. Can I assume your date is correct?
   d) where did she marry?
   e) Full name of Guy Unruh, when & where born, when & where died and where burried?
   f) Please send all details on her descendants and their families.
2) For James S. U (your GF)
   a) I show b 3 JUN 1855 you show JAN 1856?
   c) what does the S really stand for (I have SIMEON, SIMTON, SIMON)?
   d) Did he have just 8 children?

7 for Mary Etta Saulsbury (your GM)
a) I show she died in GINDEN, LA (should be LINDEN, LA I suppose) and you show d AUSTIN, TX. which is correct. We both show she d 28MAR 1954 and I show she was buried in Corsicana, TX.

Your uncle Fred U (James Fred U) md Alice Brown Gray. She may or may not be alive now and if so she would be quite elderly. My earlier impression was that she was last known to be living in the Corsicana, TX area, perhaps in a nursing home. I have been unsuccessful in locating more. The reason I mention this is that she was quite active in the 1950's and 1960's in collecting details on the Upchurch family. My imagination is that she has a lot of details in her head and/or a trunk full of Upchurch documents. It might be worthwhile for you to try to reach her.

The Gem & Mineral show here is quite impressive (I have been a couple of times but am not into that sort of thing (Genealogy is overpowering!!)). I have a son-in-law here who is a mining engineer and into the rock/gem bit. Also I am sure our University has a good collection. We would love to visit with you if you can come. Hope to hear from you soon! Sincerely yours

Phil Upchurch

(ROBERT PHILIP UPCHURCH)

RUTH UPCHURCH UNRUH ① XID-21174

16 AUG 1988

RUTH UPCHURCH HAMMETT
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Dear cousin Ruth
Just this past week-end I was able to find time to extract your fine letter of 25 JUL 1988 and I want to thank you for it and for all the enclosures.

Here is our relationship back to Michael U, I:

Michael U, I (XID-146) (Original) immigrant
↓
Richard U, I (151)
↓
James U, I (151)
↓
Richard U, II (152)

Charles U (164) ← BROTHERS → Nathan U, I (78)

Thomas Gay U, Sr (2071) ← 1ST COUSINS → Gilbert U (82)
↓ ↓
Thomas Gay U, Jr (2082) ← 2ND " → Barkley Jefferson U
↓ ↓
James Simeon U (20033) ← 3RD " → Robert Jefferson U
↓ ↓
Frances Ruth U (20043) ← 4TH " → Robert Phillip U ← ME
↓ ↓
you → Ruth Upchurch Unruh (21174) ← 5TH " → My children (3)

So, your mother and I are 4th cousin, you and my children are 5th cousin while you and I are 4th cousin once ~~removed~~ removed.

The pictures you sent are really nice. I would like to publish in the U B the picture of Thomas Gay U, Jr and his wife and also the one of James Emeon U and his family. Do you have the original. What would be especially helpful is to get what is called a "screen print" for these two. A screen print is a special copy made by a photo store which provides for better printing.

It is great that you are collecting data on the rest of the family and I look forward to what you can get. We have made a lot of progress on the descendants of Thomas Gay U, Jr but still have a long way to go. The newspaper clippings were quite helpful. The James Emeon U family was also an interesting one and I will enjoy learning more about it as will the readers of the U B.

While we are waiting for input from you relatives here are some questions you might be able to answer:

1) For FANNIN RUTH U
   a) Is her first name "FANNIN" or "FANNIE"?
   b) When in 1877 was Emily Caroline Irene Unruh born?
   c) Did she have just two children?

2) For Alice Irene Unruh
   a) What does the 'P' in Josh P. Thomas stand for, or Josh a nickname for Johnson and where was he born?
   b) Did she have just two children?

3) For Benjamin Thomas
   a) what is her full name?
   b) what is her wife's full maiden name
   c) I know he was and 15 JAN 1933 and his wife was born 4 APR 1931. Has to be wrong. Are those dates reversed?
   d) what is the full name of Austin Thomas and where was he born?
   e) Did/does he have just one child?

4) For Carolyn Thomas
   a) what is her full maiden name?
   b) what is the full name of Mark Montgomery and where was he born?
   c) She has no children yet, right?

5) For yourself
   a) when in 1956 did you marry?
   b) where did you marry the 1st and 2nd time?
   c) what does the "L" in James L. Ramsey stand for and where was he born?
   d) where was John Joseph Hammett born?
   e) Did you have just three children?

6) For Terri Lynn Ramsey
   a) when in 1978 did she marry?
   b) what is the full name of Clayton Dorsey and where was he born?
   c) Does she have just two children?
   d) where were her children born?

7) For Ruth Ann Ramsey
   a) when in 1950 did she marry?
   b) what is the full name of Richard Wade and where was he born?
   c) Did she marry again? If so, details?
   d) what is the full name of Randi Wade and where born?
   e) Does she have just one child?

8) where was John Carlton Ramsey born? Still single?

I) For James Simeon U

a) On his birth date I now have 3 JUN 1855 and 3 MAR 1856, the latter from the letter you have of Jesse U to his Uncle Sam U. Does the U in this case stand for Upchurch or Uncle. I cannot find a Jesse or a Sam among the descendants of Thomas Gay Upchurch, Jr. Can you help me locate them in the family? Do we have any other records to clear up the birth date?

b) His obit shows him as a native of LA but my other records show born in Atlanta, GA. Do you have any facts bearing on this?

c) When in 1865 was Mary Etta Faulkner born and where in LA was she born?

d) Do you know when he moved from LA to TX and under what circumstances?

II) For Thomas Gay U, Jr

a) When in 1827 born?

b) Where in GA born?

c) When married?

d) Where in GA married?

e) When & where died & where buried?

f) Full maiden name of Sarah Miller, when in 1826 born, where in GA born and when & where died and where buried?

g) Did he have just three children [Robert Gay U, Willis J. U, II and James Simeon U?] and do you have any details on Robert Gay U & Willis J U II and their families? I have a little.

The above amounts to a lot and I know you may not be able to answer everything. Any help will be appreciated.

I understand that there was an Upchurch family bible and that then was possibly in the hands of your Aunt Ethel (D) McKelvey at one time. If you could track that down it would be great. I feel that your Aunt Alice Gray Upchurch collected a lot of Upchurch information. I hope it did not get thrown away. If you could find her files they could prove most interesting or she probably had sources no longer available to us.

Do you still have an opportunity to visit your Aunt Clara? Since she is the last living member of her generation it is important to get details from her. I'll be glad to write down questions if that would help.

Thanks for the invitation to visit. I don't have plans to visit Houston at present but one of these days it could happen and if so I will let you know. You will see from some of the U.B.'s that I was in Houston some in the 1980's and did contact some relatives.

Please feel free to ask me questions if you have any. I'll gladly share with you.

Sincerely yours,
Phil Upchurch
[ROBERT PHILLIP UPCHURCH]

P.S.
Extra order forms enclosed in case you can use them along the way. RPU

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REC'D
2 AUG 1988

July 25, 1988

Dear Cousin Phil;

Sorry I've taken so long in answering your letter. I'm excited about updating my side of the family. I have designed a form which I will send to the cousins which I know will answer and update their side of the family. When I get this back I will get it off to you as it comes in. To start I have done mine.

I have just received the 1987 U B. It's great reading. Hopefully It want be too long before I can obtain the whole set.

I'd love a shetch of our line.....also I think that we are able to be in the DAR's - from which side I'm not sure. I need to do some more study into just what it takes.

I'm in the process of trying to reach Aunt Alice's daughters, but haven't reach them to date. I hope that they have some information re the U

Here are the answers to the questions that you asked:

1 a) Mother's full name was Fannie Ruth
b) Born: 10 March 1902
c) Died: 18 February 1961 in Dallas, TX; buried: Kilgore, TX.
d) Married: 2 June 1927 in Corsicana
e) Father's name: Guy Carrollton Irvine Unrun
- Born: 1897
- Where: Philadelphia, PA
- Died: 6 June 1943
- Where: Kilgore, TX
- Buried: Kilgore, TX

NOTE: I am still in the process of trying to locate more information regarding my father.

f) Information on family attached.

2 a) RE: birth of James U - I have a letter from a Jesse U to his Uncle Sam U which states that James was born 3 Mar 1856. I have to do some more research.
c) James Simeon U
d) they had 8 children (Aunt Alice found some record that showed GMother had another child, but to date no record has been found.

3 My GMother spent her last few years in a nursing home in Austin, TX. She died in Austin and was taken to Corsicana, Tx to be buried.

I hope this helps bring you up-to-date. I have sent you a lot of odds and ends which I picked up from our only living Aunt. Aunt Tacky (Clara U) is living by herself and still can tell of things she remembers. She is the one that told me that ggm Mary Thomas Lawhon married a Joiner after her 1st husband passed away. I'm trying to gather inforamtion on that now.

If you ever get to Houston I hope that you will contact me. I have an extra room and would love to meet you. There are a lot of U living in Houston. Almost one from each of my GMother's children. My number if 713-729-1709.

Sincerely,

Rick

Enclosures filed as follows:

1. Photo of James Simeon U family ca 1914 - See Photo File 88-7
2. Obit of James Simeon U - See his Biofile
3. Photos of Mary Etta Lawhon - See Photo File 88-8 & 88-9
4. Wedding Announcement of Fannie Ruth U - See her Biofile.
5. Photo of Bryant Lawhon, father of Mary Etta Lawhon - See his Biofile.
6. Legal paperwork for my g/f James Simeon U & Mary Etta Lawhon. See his biofile.
7. Item re Z.T. Lawhon - See his Biofile
8. Picture of M/M James Simeon U - See Photo File 88-10
9. Funeral Document re Mary Etta (Lawhon) U - See her Biofile.
10. Obit of Alice Brown Gray - See her Biofile.
11. Obit of Claude Elmer U, Sr. - See his Biofile.
12. Picture of Thomas Gay U, Jr & wife - See Photo File 88-11

— OUTLINE

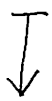
I. GUY. I Unruh, b. _____,1897 (Philadelphia PA.) d. 6 JUN 1943 (Gregg Co., Kilgore, TX)(Bur. same), md. 2 JUN 1927 Fannin Ruth Upchurch, (Navarro Co., Corsicana, TX) b. 10 MAR 1902 (Corsicana, TX), d. 18 FEB 1961 (Dallas, TX , Bur. Kilgore TX).

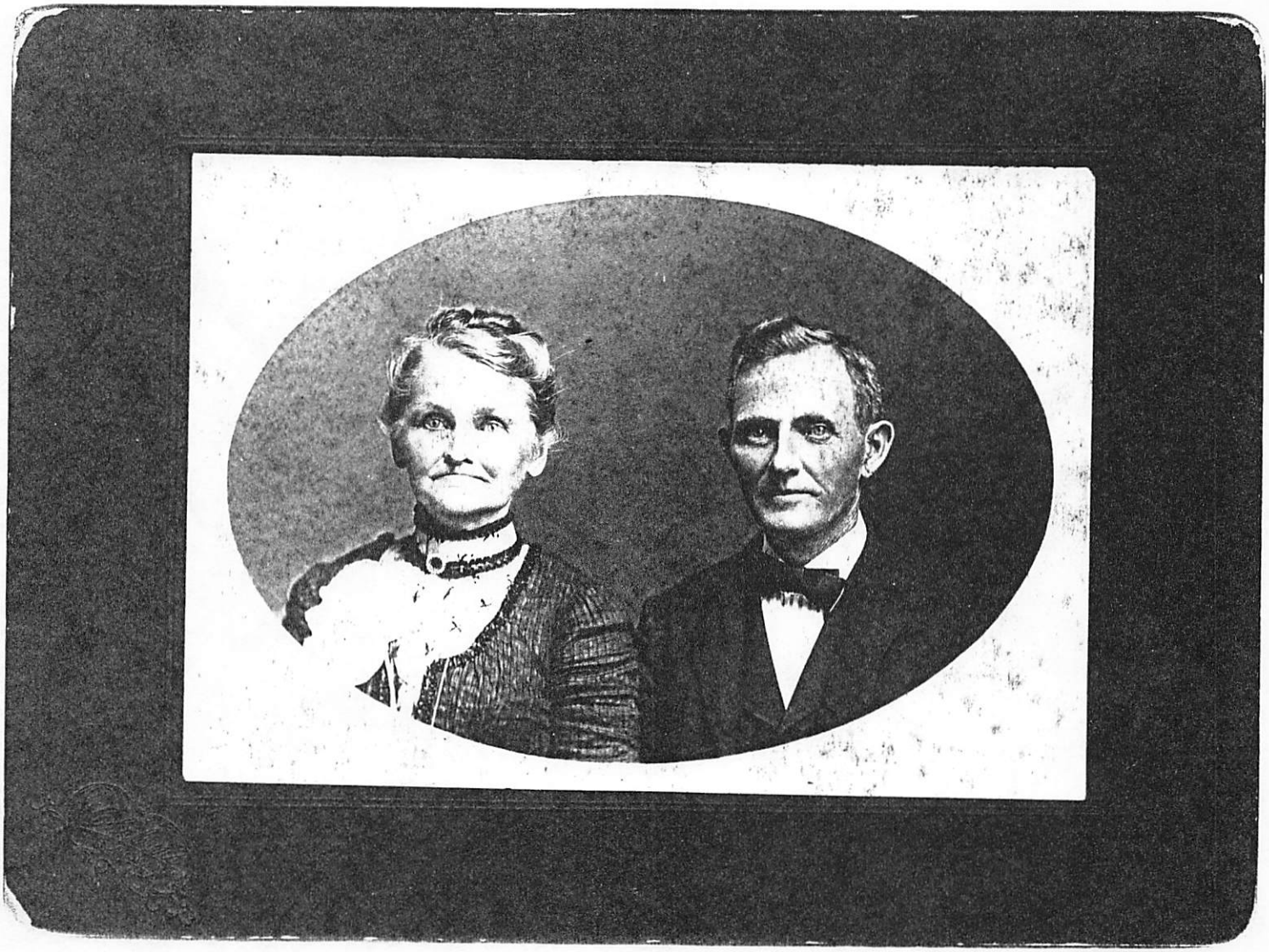
A. Alice Irvine Unruh b. 24 SEPT 1929 (Gregg Co., Longview, TX) md. 10 JUN 1951 (Gregg Co., Kilgore, TX Jack P. Thomas (20 NOV 1929).

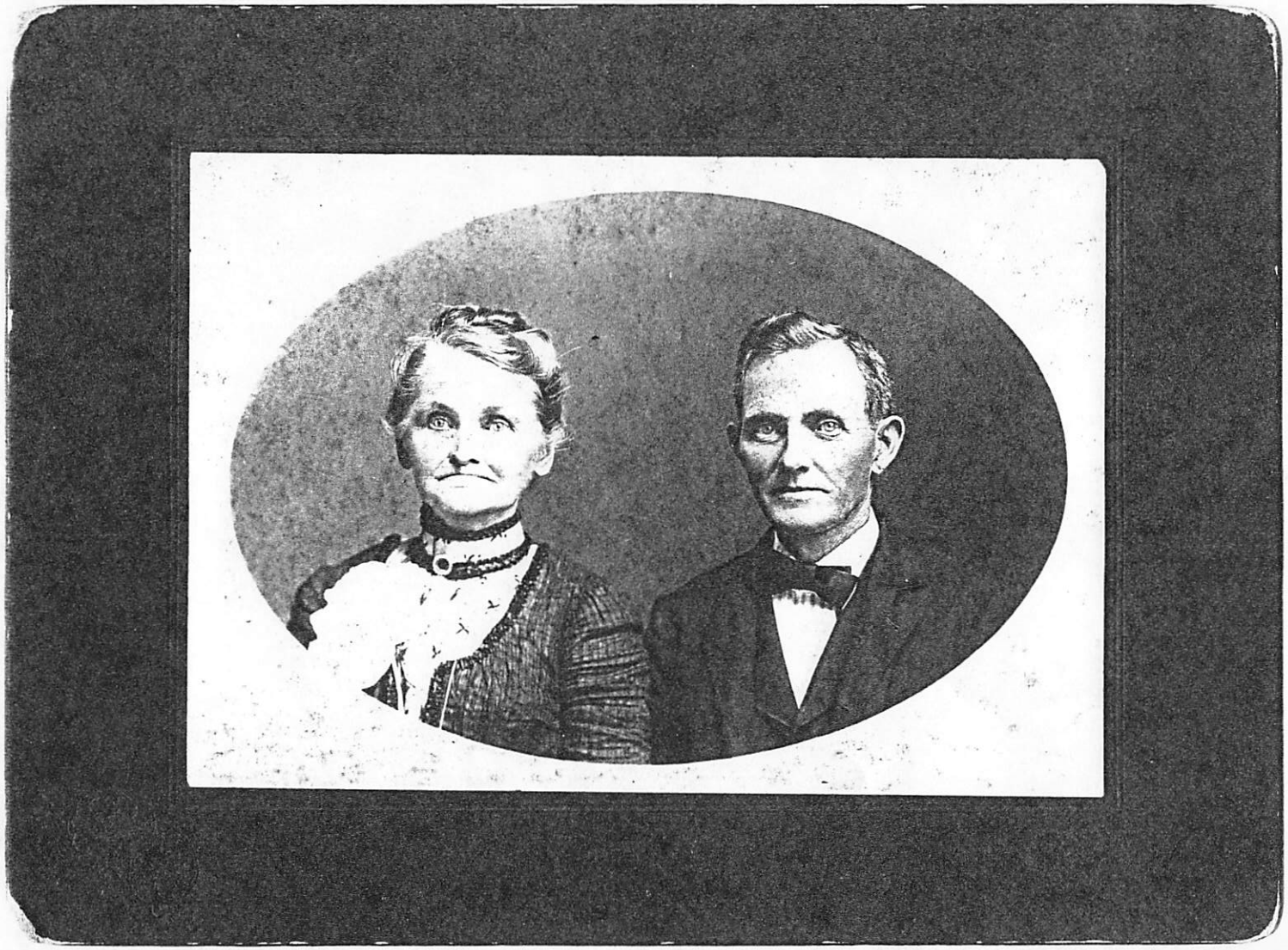
1. Benjeman Thomas b. 7 NOV 1957 (Dallas, TX) md. 13 JAN 1958 (Harris Co. Houston, TX)
   Alison _____ b. 4 APR 1981 ?
   a. Austim Thomas b. 26 JUN 1985
2. Carolyn Thomas b. 27 AUG 1959 (Dallas, TX) md. 3 JUL 1986 (Harris Co., Houston, TX)
   Mark Montgomery b. 25 AUG 1957

B. Ruth Upchurch Unruh b. 18 FEB 1935 (Harris Co., Houston, TX) md. (1st) 1956 James L. Ramsey 1/ b. 25 MAY 1936, div 1971. md (2nd) 17 JUN 1974 John Joseph Hammett 2/ b. 15 JUL 1929

1. 1/ Terri Lynn Ramsey b. 9 NOV 1956 (San Francisco, CA) md. _____1978 (Harris Co. Houston, TX) Clifton Dickey b. 4 NOV 1955.
   a.Becky Lynn Ramsey b. 24 MAR 1978.
   b.Leigh Ann Dickey b. 3 JUL 1979.
2. 1/ Ruth Ann Ramsey b. 16 NOV 1959 (Harris Co, Houston, TX) md _____1980 (Cameron Co. Harlingen, TX) Richard Wade (1st) b. 21 JAN 1959 divorsed: 1983.
   a 1/ Randi Wade b. 14 SEPT 1981
3. John Carlton Ramsey b. 13 MAR 1960







Mary Etta 'o U
Mother

Mary Thomas
Lawhon
+
2nd husband
Steiner
(No other
info)