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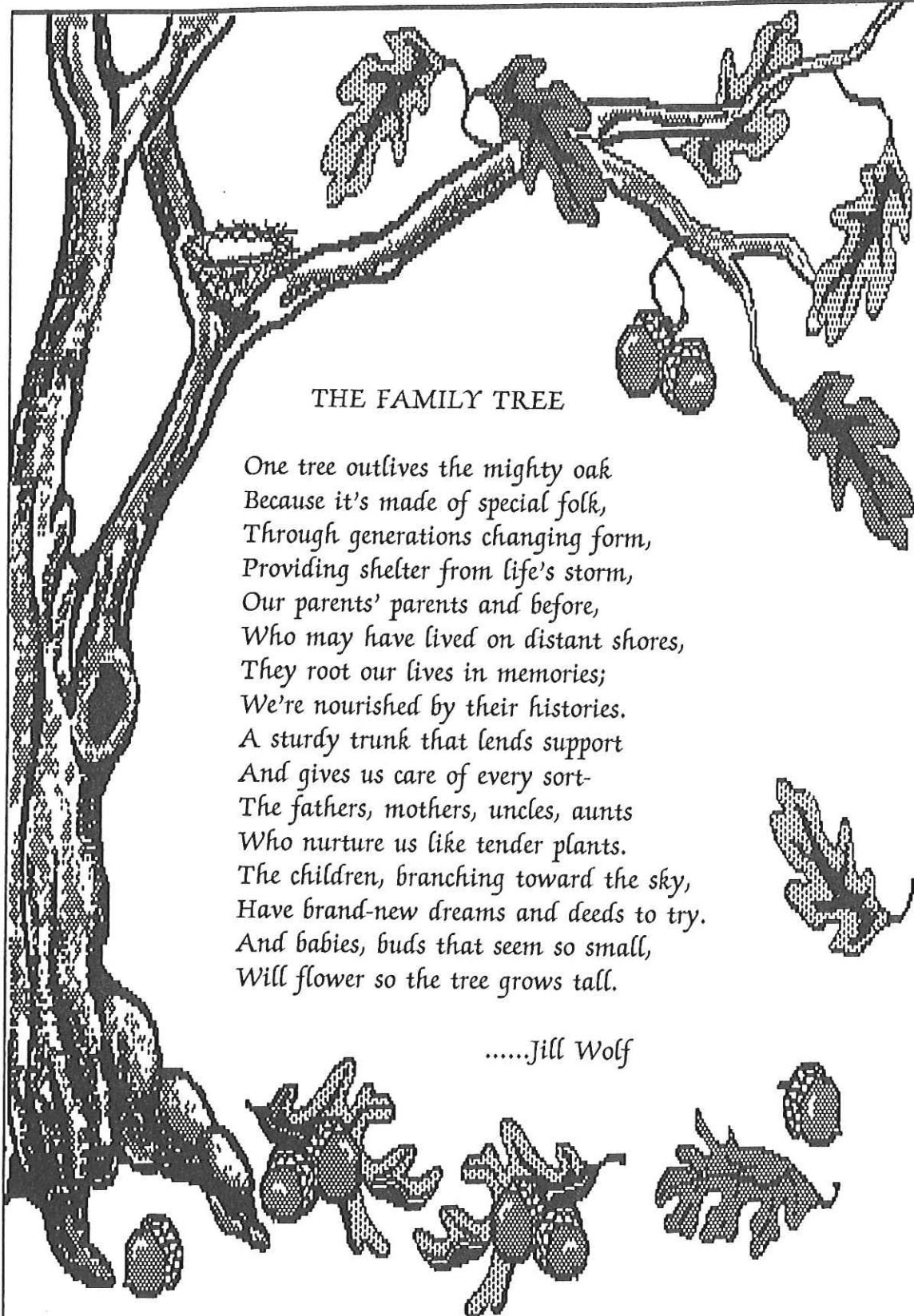
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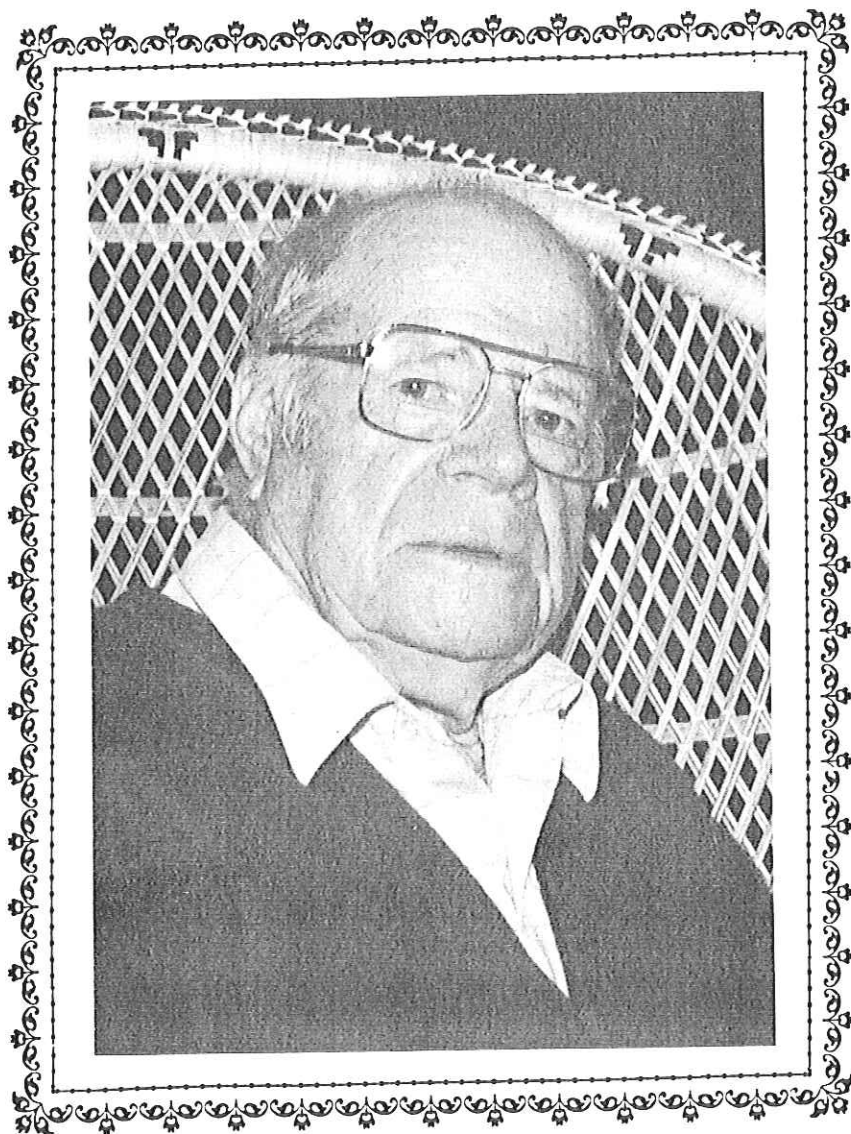
THE FAMILY TREE

One tree outlives the mighty oak
Because it's made of special folk,
Through generations changing form,
Providing shelter from life's storm,
Our parents' parents and before,
Who may have lived on distant shores,
They root our lives in memories;
We're nourished by their histories.
A sturdy trunk that lends support
And gives us care of every sort-
The fathers, mothers, uncles, aunts
Who nurture us like tender plants.
The children, branching toward the sky,
Have brand-new dreams and deeds to try.
And babies, buds that seem so small,
Will flower so the tree grows tall.

.....Jill Wolf

DEDICATION

This book is dedicated to my father Ray "Donald" Anway, who had a great sense of humor and always had a story to tell. He had a remarkable memory for detail and could talk for hours on life and the good old days. He lived thru many changes from horse and buggy days to sending a man to the moon. Without his help, this book couldn't have been written.



Ray Delbert "Donald" Anway
1908-1991

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PREFACE

After many years of research, the time has come to put what I have gathered in print. I have searched many court houses, cemeteries, libraries, talked to lots of relatives, and have written hundreds of letters. Many people have helped me, for which I am very appreciative, because without their cooperation, I couldn't have done this project. A great deal of credit goes to Elton Dale Anway and his newsletters. He gave me a very good start and a desire to know more about my ancestors. When I first started this project I didn't believe it possible to find so much information about the past.

Even though I have tried to be as accurate as possible, I realize errors may be found, so I would appreciate it if you would send me any additions and/or corrections for possible future supplements.

Research leads me to believe that our family originated in Wales. Exactly when and where our ancestors came to America is unknown, but to quote from the newsletter written by Elton Dale Anway, "Every family has it's crop of family traditions and stories. Our family is no different than any of the others in that respect, and as in the others, some traditions have a basis of fact and some of fancy. One of the most interesting traditions [stories] in the Anway family is the one that goes something like this, "Years ago, about 1650, a young man came to this country from Wales. He settled in New York State. (some said Pennsylvania, some say New England). We don't know what the name was at that time, but it wasn't **Anway**. One of the descendants of this first emigrant was in the Revolutionary War. He was supposed to have served with Ethan Allen and the Green Mountain Boys. He had a dislike for his nickname, which was **Nanny Goat**, and so he changed the name after the war. Research so far has produced no proof of this, there being only one Nanney in the Revolution, and his name was David. David Nanney did not change his name but about 1850 his grandson William Horton Nanney changed his name to William Horton Anway. Not all of the descendants of David Nanney did likewise, some of them still going by the name of Nanney."

The first person that I can connect with our descendants is William Nanne in Long Island, New York by 1745. I have a copy of a William Nanne's will who died in Montgomery County, Pennsylvania, but there is nothing in it to prove he is our William Nanna.

According to one of the county histories of Delaware County, Ohio the Anway brothers were from Penn Valley, Pennsylvania, which is in Montgomery County, so I feel there may be a connection, but it will take much more research to prove it. Why they came to Long Island, what William's occupation was and what happened to William and his wife, is a mystery. Why the Nanne name was changed to Anway is unknown, but in Wales there is the name **Anwyl**. That may be where the name Anway came from, although that hasn't been proven either. We do know of the name change however, which is found in the land records in Cayuga Co. New York in the early 1800's.

The following is taken from the obituary of Albert H. Nanny,
Orange County New York:

"He was a descendant of one of the first Welch families. His ancestors came to this country when it was new and settled at the mouth of the Roanoke River. Later members of the family came to Long Island and took part in the Revolutionary War."

The migration pattern of the Anway's westward is New York to Delaware and Seneca Counties in Ohio, Nicholas, brother to James Jr. went to Stuebenville, Indiana, Erastus, his brother went to Chicago, Illinois, where he married, had his family and then moved on to Howard County, Iowa. James, Jr. also migrated thru Indiana, Illinois, Howard County, Iowa and finally settled in Franklin County, Iowa. In information sent to me by Janice Hoftiezer, it was discovered that David Nanny, George's

brother's, daughter, Sarah Howell, settled in Hardin County, Iowa in 1857, about the time that James Jr. came to Iowa. David M. migrated to Michigan, and we find Nathan in Racine, Wisconsin in 1850, and by 1870 he is in Michigan, where we find some of his descendants today. We find some of William Anway's descendants still in Ohio today.

All Anway's are related and so far I haven't been unable to find any Anway who is not either a descendant of George and Sarah Nanny Anway or William Horton Nanny Anway. If you can go back two or three generations, I can usually tell you where you fit in the family history. I have also noted in my research that Anway's are inclined to be musical and a tendency to being left handed, also seems to run in the family.

In my research I found in the *Genealogical Dictionary of First Settlers of New England* by James Savage, Volume 3 page 261, the following reference: Naney or Nanny, Robert, Boston, sent by Robert Cordell, a goldsmith of Lombard street. London, on the Increase, 1635, aged 22, was first at Dover, or Saco, had good character before coming in 1652, to Boston. By wife Catherine, daughter of Rev. John Wheelwright, had John, born 16 February 1654, died soon; John, again, 12 August 1655, died soon; John, again, 12 August 1656; Joseph, 1 June 1658; James 27 August 1659; Mary, 22 June 1661; and Elizabeth, 2 January 1663; and he died 27 August following. His will, made 5 days preceding, names wife and children, only Samuel, who was born before his father came from the East and Mary, and one anticipation, so that probably Joseph, James, and Elizabeth, besides the three Johns died early. He was a merchant, owned estate in Barbadoes, perhaps in comp. with Richard Hutchinson of London, whom he calls uncle, and by inventory shows £ 1089, 14, 1 1/4; and his widow married Edward Naylor.

From the book, *Ancestry of Clarence V. Roberts & Frances A. (Walton) Roberts* by Clarence V. Roberts, 1940 we find reference to Rees Nanna of Gwynedd, who was probably born in Wales, died in 1747 in Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania; married 1st on 14 February 1714 at Plymouth Meeting House, Elizabeth Coulston; born 27 July 1690; daughter of William Coulston; married 2nd 9 October 1746 at Horsham Meeting House, Margaret Cadwalader, "of Worminghurst, County Bucks, widow"; buried 11 October 1748, at Germantown.

Administration on the estate of Reese Nanna, late of North Wales, yeoman, deceased, was granted to Abraham Nanna and Jacob Nanna, his sons, October 3, 1747.

Will of Jacob Nanna, Gwynedd, Co. Phila., yeoman.

To my brother, Isaac Nanna, all my apparel.

All my right in the undivided estate of my father, with my other effects, to be divided amongst my brothers and sisters, as follows:

To my brother William, one moiety, or half-part.

To my sister, Grace Trump, one one-fourth part.

Remaining one-fourth to be divided equally between my brothers and sisters, Abraham, Isaac, Rees, Mary, Sarah, Ann and Elizabeth.

Execr.: my brother William Nanna, with full power to execute all deeds, etc., which on my part ought to be done in my father's undivided estate.

Dated 26 February, 1747/8; pr. October 20, 1752.

Wits.: John Potts, John Lukens.

(Phila. Will Book K, p. 15)

The above is food for thought and possibly clues to unraveling the Nanny/Anway family and completing the puzzle.

Nannau Family

The following was taken from *"Merion In The Welsh Tract"* by Thomas Allan Glenn and is about the Nanne family in Wales.

The family of Nannau is an extremely ancient one; being of princely lineage, decending in the direct male line from Bleddyn, the son of Cynfyn, who was King of Powys and ruler of South Wales, Llannfachraith in Merionethire, Wales, has but one township, Nannau which was the seat of this illustrious family. Bleddyn ap Cynfyn, prince of Powys, was murdered by the "gentlemen of Yshad Tywy" in the year 1072. He in defiance of the advice of his countrymen, married Isabel, daughter of Pocot de say, a Norman Knight, and had by her a son called Cadwgan "the renouwned Briton, who besides Merionethsire, Cadwgan also fell by the dagger of an assassin and was succeeded, as Lord of Nannau, by a long line of notable descendants. The arms borne by Cadgan was Or, a lion ramp, az. One of these early Lords of Nannay was Meuric ap Ynyr Vychan, who was living in the 21st year of Edward III (1347-8). It is a sepulchral effigy in mail and plate armer, having a shield on his inscriptions: **"Hic Jacet Meuric Filius Ynyr Yachan"**. The Effigy formerly stood in the aisle, but was afterwards in the wall under a memorial window of more recent date. Meuric was succeeded by his son Meuric Lloyd, who was father to Howell, of Nannau, commonly called Howell Sele.

"Hic Jacet Meuric Filius Ynyr Vachan"

Effigy of Meuric, of Nannau (Ancestor of Nannau Family of Pennsylvania) Fourteen Century, in Dolgelly Church, near Bryn Mawr, Merionethshire, North Wales.

When Owen Glendower instituted his famous rebellion, the Lancaster Howell Sele (his cousin refused to join, which enraged Owen to so great an extent that meeting him one day while hunting alone in Nannau Park, Owen having one attendant, Madog, they fell upon Howell and slew him, throwing his body into a great oak, hollow through age. This Nannau oak was for centuries an object of superstitious dread to the peasantry of Merionshire, and fell down on the 13th of July, 1813. Throughout Merionethshire it was known as the spirit's Blasted Tree--"Conbren Yr Ellyll." The Vassals of Nannau, and Howell Sele's family were filled with alarm at his disappearance, but inquiries and searches gave no information of his whereabouts.

After Glendower's death, however, on a dark evening in November an armed Norseman was observed riding furiously up the hill which leads from Dolgelly to Nannau; it was Madog; who after the death of Glendower, hastened to fulfill his master's last command and unravel the horrid mystery. He told his story and referred to the oak for confirmation.

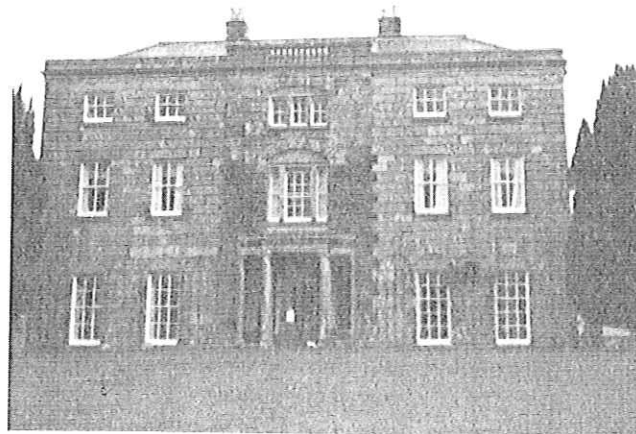
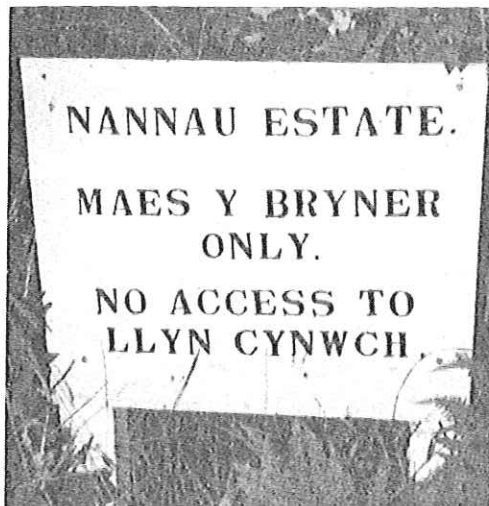
The tree was cut into and Howell's body discovered grasping with his right hand his rusty sword. The remains were removed to the neighboring monastery of Cymmer, where they were interred. After the oak fell the wood was made into a variety of utensils, and engravings of the tree, framed with its wood, are to be found in Dolgelly.

The story has been woven into a fine ballad by Mr. Warrington, printed in the notes of Marmion by Scott. The Brave, but unfortunate Howell had married Mali, daughter of Einion ap Griffith, of Cors y Gedol, and had a son Meuric Vychan, of Nannau, who together with his uncle, Griffith Dewas, is named among the heirs of a "Wele", of free land in the township of Nannau, in an extant of Merionethshire taken 7 Henry V. 1419-20, and the "farm" of the mill of Llan Vachreth was granted to both at Michaelmas, 35 Henry VI, for four years. Meuric, of Nannau, was foreman of the jury at Caernarvon 1444, and was living, a very aged man, 2 Henry VII, 1486. He married Anghared, daughter of David ap Cadwgan, descended from Elystan Glodrydd, and had a son called David ap

Meuric Vychan, of Nannau, who having married Ellen, daughter of Howell ap Rhys ap David, descended Owen Brogyntyn, had a son called Howell ap David of Nannau, whose name appears in a roll of account for Merionethshire ending at Michaelmas 2 Henry VIII. (1510) as surety for William ap Jenkijn Ap Torwerth, "farmer" of the mills of Llanvachreth and Llanegryn. Howell married Ellin, daughter unto Robert Salisbury, of Llanrwst, son of Thomas Salisbury, descended from Sir Henry, a knight of the Holy Sepulchre, and had issue; Griffith ap Howell of Nannau, who was living 33 Henry VIII; 1541-2. He married Jane daughter of Humphrey ap Howell, ap Trevan, of Ynsy-maen gwyn; her mother being Anne daughter of Sir Richard Herbert, knight of Colebrook. Griffith had two sons; Hugh, who was living 1588, and John ap Griffith, who married Elizabeth, daughter of David Lloyd of Trawynydd, and had three children; Ellen, Jane and Lewis.

References:

- Merion In The Welsh Tract*, by Thomas Allen Glenn, published 1896, pages 215, 218.
History of Giraldus Cambrensis First Series, by Thomas Forester, Volume 2, page 202.
The General Armory of England, Scotland, Ireland & Wales by Sir Bernard Burke, published 1884, page 722.



Nannau Estate in Wales

According to a *Wayfarer in Wales* by W. Watkin Davis published Boston and New York by Houghton Mifflin Co. 1930, Dolgelley used to be dominated by the family of Nannau, Vaughan (ap Vychan) by name, one of the oldest and most respected families in Wales. The house is situated on a beautiful site several miles from the town, far from highroad and railway. It was there that Howel Sele, while out hunting, attempted to assassinate Owen Glyndwr, and that the latter slew his would be murderer and hid his body in a hollow tree. This tree stood until 1813, when it was destroyed by lightning; but it has been immortalized not only by Clio, but by Sir Walter Scott and Lord Lytton. For centuries the Vaughans of Nannau kept up a state almost regal. Middle-aged people today can remember the time when all the servants, men and women, wore the livery of the family, and filed into the great dining-room every evening when the imperious old lady of the house read prayers.

Note the different spellings of Glendower/Glyndwr and Howell/Howel in the above articles. That is the way the authors spelled them, and so I left them as they were.

National Geographic Society Magazine, Volume 127 #6, June 1965,
pages 744 thru 749:

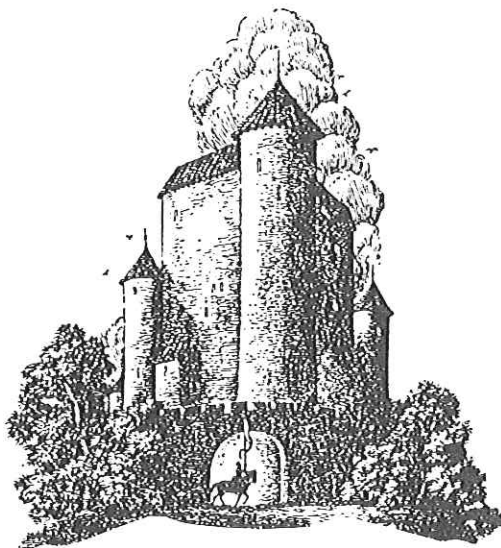
The Prince of Wales, who it is said to have sailed from Wales to find he was to discover a new land. His name was Madoc or Madog ap (son of) Owen Gwynnedd.

The Welsh say the new land was in America, then known as Columbia, even before Columbus. The year was 1170 A.D....He is said to have made the discovery, returned to Wales, stocked ten ships with people and supplies, sailed away, never to return or be heard of again. He did leave a map to show where he was bound for. Ask any Welshman and he will be quick to tell you "Prince Madoc" discovered America in 1170. He sailed in by the Gulf of Mexico and up the Mississippi river. That is why there were white Indians found in the 14th and 15th centuries along the lands bordering the Old Mississippi.

Though Madoc's saga lies in the twilight of legend, the Welsh have indeed left their mark on America. The pioneers who settled Jamestown, Virginia, in 1607 included "twenty Welsh gentlemen," and the *Mayflower*, commanded by a Welshman names Jones, bought several more to Plymouth Rock in 1620.

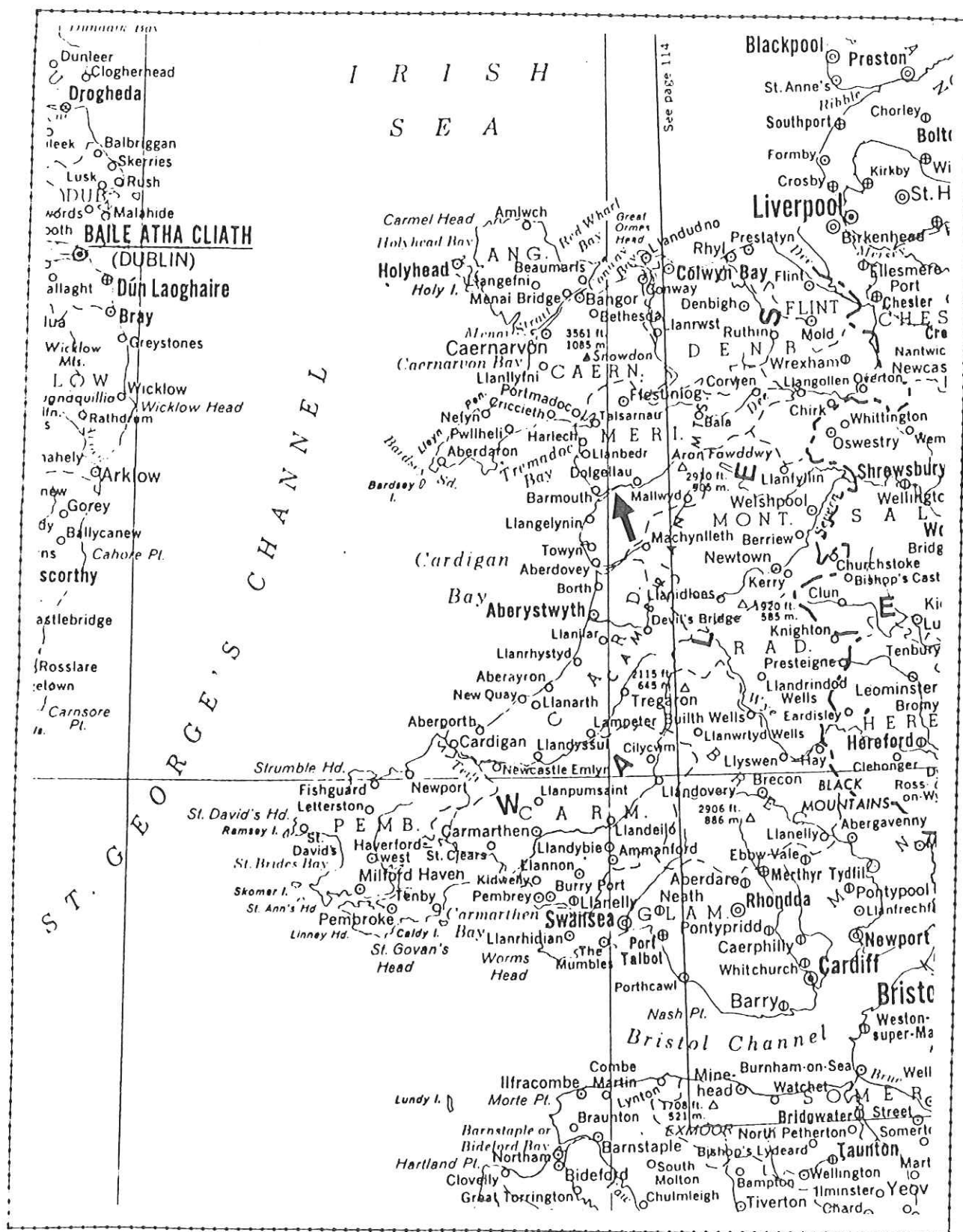
In the 1680's they came by the hundreds, mostly farmers, but some of wealth and education--stirred by William Penn's advertisements of "Pennsylvania...a fit place for Younger Brothers, and Men of Small Estates

.....The Air is generally clear and sweet.... corn produceth four hundred fold."



*Destiny is not a matter of change, it is a matter of choice;
it is not a thing to be waited for, it is a thing to be achieved.*

.....William Jennings Bryan



ROBINSON NOTES

The following concerns the **Robinson** line and is an abstraction of a letter from Professor Howard **Robinson** of Oberlin, Ohio to Marilyn O'Connor of Osage, Iowa - undated.

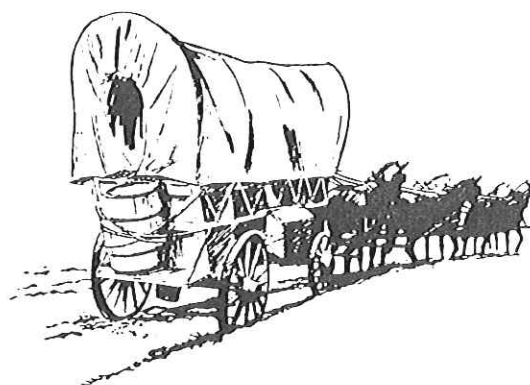
Re: Research on the **Robinson** line back to New England

Andrew **Robinson** (also **Rovinson**) is believed to have come to Marcellus, New York from Vermont. The 1790 census finds him living in Watervliet, New York, and the 1800 census shows him listed in Marcellus. He is on record as having purchased land in the region of Scipio Center not far from where his youngest son John lived. He also bought land in Wells, Vermont, where two of his sons lived, but sold it shortly after. "While in Marcellus, he is referred to as "late of Tully" and now of Marcellus where he owned land along with Peter Yates."

Andrew and his wife Jemima (maiden name and place of birth unknown) are buried in the Eddy Cemetery. she died in August 1812 aged 70. His stone reads "died June 22, 1819 in his 79th year."

A claim that was handed down to Andrew's children says that they are descendants of the Rev. John **Robinson**, pastor of the Pilgrims, who settled at Leyden. The **Robinson** Genealogical Society of Boston says that their records show that this line is descended rather from Isaac Robson who came to the Plymouth in 1631.

NOTE: The compiler of this book believes that the descendency of our family from Andrew born 6 May 1803 in Onondago County, New York and married to Elizabeth Heart circa 1832, place unknown, is adequately documented. She does not feel that the connecting links between this Nathan's father, Andrew and his father Andrew are sufficiently proven. Professor **Robinson** has done considerable research and undoubtedly "knows what he's talking about", but until such time as this author can prove for herself the connections she would prefer to not include them in this book.



INTRODUCTION

The New England Historical Genealogical Society numbering system has been used to delineate the generations. Each person who is to be carried forward has been given an Arabic number. An example of this system is as follows:

I. Ray Delbert "Donald" Anway

Children

- | | |
|---|-----------------|
| 5 | i. Judith Rae |
| | ii. Jeanne Kay |
| 6 | iii. Ray Edward |
| 7 | iv. James Louis |
| 8 | v. Mary Jane |

Entries with a number in front of their name will have more information. Follow the number until you find it next on the far left hand side of the page, where you will find the number of the person you are looking for. A person is only given a number if there is more data on them.

5. Judith Rae Anway

Children:

- | | |
|----|--------------------|
| 9 | i. Jeanne Marie |
| | ii. Julie Ann |
| 10 | iii. Steven Donald |
| 11 | iv. Connie Sue |

In this history, to simplify things, I have spelled the surname Nanne, Nanna, Nanney, Nanny, Nannay, etc., just one way, NANNY, in the text. Different branches seemed to spell their names various ways so it tends to get confusing.

*Every man is his own ancestor, and every man his own heir.
He devises his own future, and he inherits his own past.*

.....H. F. Hedge

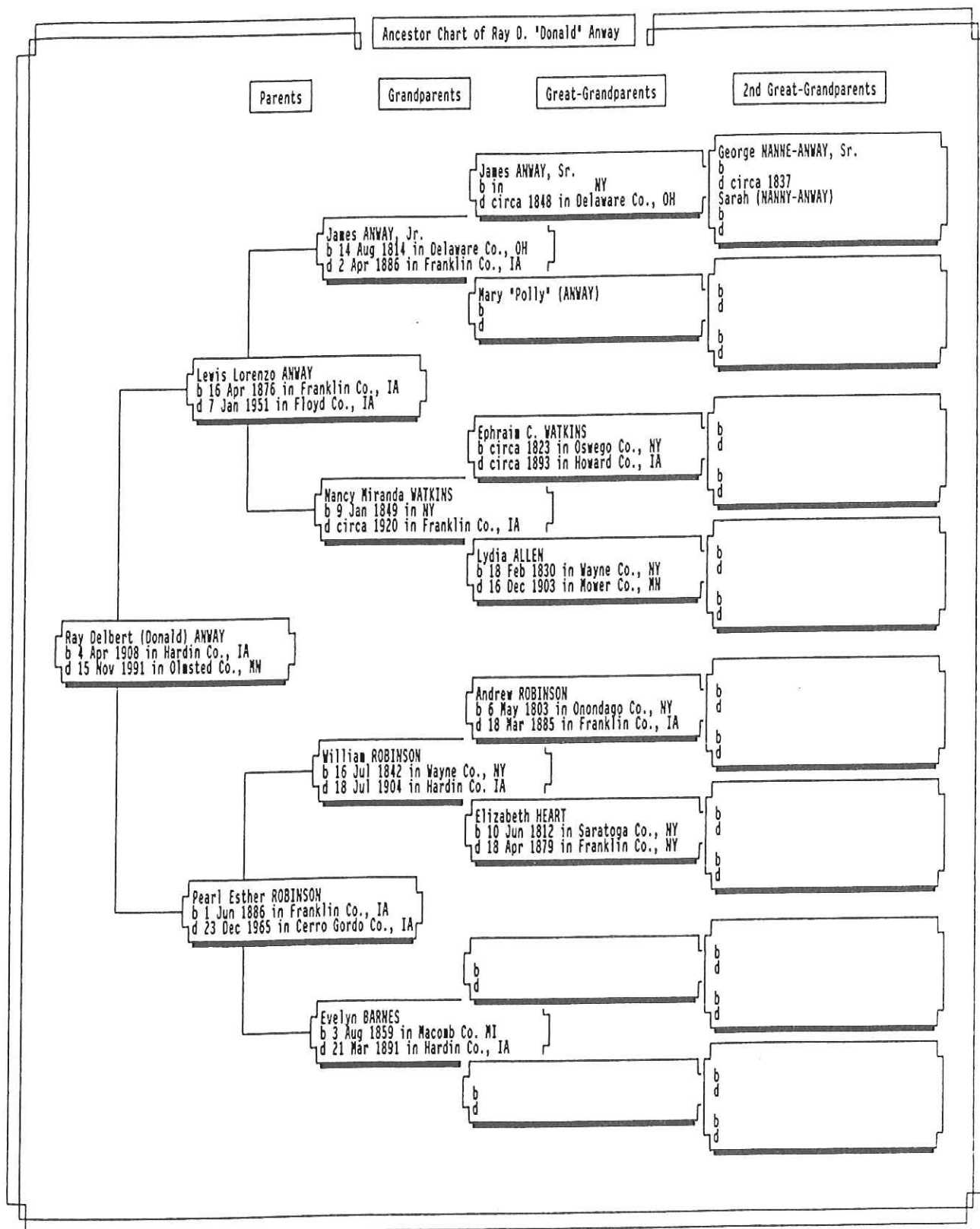
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There are many people I would like to thank for their help, and first on the list is my husband, Ralph, who has been very patient and is always willing to help me with my problems and provide me with the encouragement to continue with my research. My mother and dad for their support and always trying to answer my questions about all the people in the past. My good friend, Bev Jeanson, who is my sounding board and research buddy. Lorraine Keith, for always having the time to help a fellow genealogist to put this all together on my computer. Irna Eckert of Orange County, New York, for providing information on the David Nanny line, which added immensely to the completion of this project and also Margaret Norvell of California for her help on the Nanny's, and sending me the pictures of the Nannau estate in Wales. Jonnie Adams Sisler, for her help on the Rundell line, Marilyn O'Connor for all her research, work and help on the Robinson line and Janice Buehler Hoftiezer for information on the Sarah Howell line.

And a great big thank you to all the rest of you for giving me your time and help. I have met so many wonderful people while researching our family history which has made this work very rewarding.

We are the music-makers
And we are the dreamers of dreams,
Wandering by lone sea-breakers,
And sitting by desolate streams;
World-losers and world-forsakers,
On whom the pale moon gleams;
Yet we are the movers and shakers
Of the world forever, it seems...

.....Arthur O'Shaughnessy



CHAPTER I

FIRST GENERATION

1. William¹ Nanne¹. Born, circa 1720, in Wales.

William's birth date is approximate and obtained by using the baptism date of his son George, who was baptized in 1745 at Huntington, Long Island, New York. We believe that William came from Wales to Pennsylvania, but do not have any proof of that as of yet, nor do we know who his parents were. There is much work to do on William.

He married Mary Amy (Nanne). Children:

- 2
 - i. George² Nanny Anway Sr.
 - ii. Amy Nanne. Born in Hempsted, Nassau County, Long Island, New York². Baptism: 18 March 1746/7, in Huntington, Long Island, New York³. She married Stephen Roberts, 13 February 1799⁴.
 - iii. David Nanny. Born, 6 June 1757, in Queens, Long Island, New York². Died, 1 May 1835, in Warrick, Orange County, New York. Military: 1776, in Warwick, Orange County, New York⁵. He married, first, Patience Keeler. He married⁶, second, Anna Whartonby⁷, 3 December 1799.

For continuation of the David Nanny line, see page 143.

SECOND GENERATION

2. George² Nanny Anway Sr. (William, 1)^{8,9}. Born in Hempsted, Nassau County, Long Island, New York¹⁰. Died, circa 1837. Baptism: 3 February 1745/6, in Hempsted, Nassau County, Long Island, New York¹¹. Occupation: Farmer.

George was probably born at or near Hempstead, Long Island, because we find him baptized at St. George's Church in 1746. By 1776 George is living in Deerpark, Orange County, New York with his wife Sarah (I have been unable to find out her maiden name) and in 1798 he is living in Scipio, New York. In the 1810 Census of Scipio, Cayuga County, New York he is listed as George Nanny with the following in his household: 2 males under 10, 2 males 16-25, 1 male over 45, 1 female under 10, 3 females 16-26, 1 female 26-45 and 1 female over 45. Here he acquired land from a Mr. William Thompson of Orange County, New York. In this land record he changes his name from Nanny to Anway. Then around 1815 George and Sarah migrated to Delaware County, Ohio. He probably died in Delaware County, Ohio, between 1830 and 1840, but I have been unable to find any proof of that, except that I find him on the 1830 census, but not on the 1840.

The following is an abstract of the deed for George and Sarah Nannay, from New York showing the name change from Nannay, as it was spelled on this land record, to Anway.

County and State Recorded: Onanadago County New York

Grantor: William Thompson

Grantee: George Nanny

Book No. OG, Page No: 153

Date of Deed: 8 March 1798

Date Recorded: 15 March 1798 at 8:00 o'clock A.M. by Ben Ledyard

Amount of Acreage: 600 acres

Selling Price: \$250.00

Property Description: Lot #45 in the township of Hector

Other Information: Granted by letters to John Sheelay for his personal services in the Army of the United States in the Troops in the State of New York and contains six hundred acres be the same more or less.

Previous Owners: John Sheelay, Martin Sheelay of Sharon, Martin Sheelay of Sharon,

Scholarrey County New York, Henry Bradt of Springfield, Otsego, New York, Stephen Root of Springfield, Otsego, New York

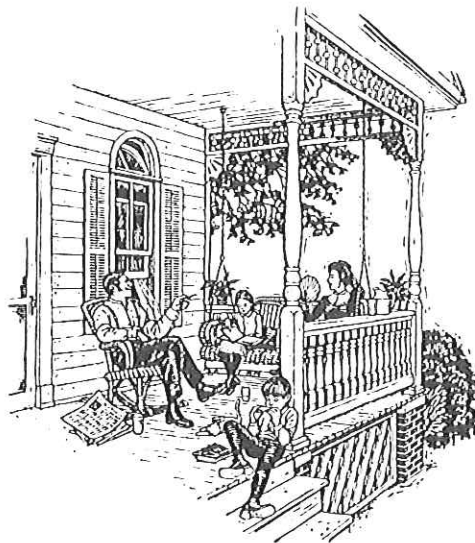
Witnessess: P. Silvestor, Peter Hosburgh

Signature: W. Thompson

Other Information: Seth Phelps, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas approved the sale of land.

He married Sarah (Nanny Anway). Children:

- 6 i. William³ Anway Sr.
- 3 ii. James Anway Sr.
- iii. George Anway Jr. He married Anna (Nanny Anway).
- 4 iv. Abraham Anway.
- 5 v. Elizabeth "Betsie" Anway.
- vi. Patience Anway. She married John Phippe III.
- vii. Norma J. Anway.
- viii. Sarah Anway. She married Orvice Gillet.



THIRD GENERATION

3. James³ Anway Sr. (George, 2)^{12,13}. Born, circa 1785, in New York or Pennsylvania¹⁴. Died, circa 1848, in Delaware County, Ohio¹⁵. Occupation: Farmer.

According to *Delaware County, Kingston Township, Ohio Records* published by Anna C. Smith Pabst in 1966 it states the following:

The first settlers of this township were mainly from Penn's Valley, Pennsylvania. The Anways came here in 1815 and their neighbors here were neighbors in Pennsylvania. (Author's note) Penn Valley is located in Montgomery County, which is near Philadelphia.

The Will of James Anway reads as follows: Note: the sons that aren't mentioned, probably already received their inheritance and had started their migration westward.

The State of Ohio, Delaware County Proceedings before the Honorable Court common Pleas for said County at the courthouse in the town of Delaware in said county on the twenty fifth day of March AD 1848.

Be it remembered that this day the last will and testament of James Anway late of said county deceased was produced in open court and duly proven by the oaths the of subscribing witness thereto whose examinations were reduced to writing and it appearing from such testimony that said deceased at the time of executing said will was of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and not under any restraint. It is ordered that the same be approved and entered of record which will and testimony appears in the words and figures following towit. "I James Anway of the county of Delaware in the State of Ohio do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that into say.

1st It is my will that my funeral expenses and all my just debts be fully paid.

2nd I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary full one third of all I possess during her natural life.

3rd I give unto my son Nicholas my team and all of the farming tools.

4th I give unto my sons Nicholas and William two thirds of my real estate. Also at my wifes death my two sons heretofor mentioned to have the hole of my property except my household furniture.

5th I give unto my daughter Neoma all of my household furniture at the death of my wife.

And lastly I hereby constitute and appoint Oliver Stark to be the Executor of my last will and testament revoking and annulling all former wills by me made and ratifying and confirming this and no other to be my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 29th day of March AD 1845 Said published and declared by the above named James Anway as and for his will and testament in presense of us who at his request have signed as witness to the same:

Signed: Festus Sprague Pardon Spooner

James Anway (seal) The State of Ohio, Delaware County Court of Common Pleas Term 1848 Personally apearred in open court Pardon Spooner and Festus Sprague who being duly sworn depose and say that the paper before them purporting to be the last will and testament of James Anway, now deceased was by the said James Anway acknowledged, published and declared to be his last will and testament in presence of these deponents that said deceased was of lawful age that he was of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding and under no restraint, as they verily believe; that they subscribed that same as witnesses in the presence and at the request of the Testor, and in the presence of each other Sworn to and subscribed in open court his 21 day of March AD 1848:

Signed: Pardon Spooner, Fetus Sprague and George W. Johns, Deputy Clerk.

And thereupon on motion of Oliver Stark the Executor in said will named. It is ordered that Letters Testamentary be granted to him on his entering into Bond with George Landin and Nicholas Jones his securities in the sum of \$300.00 conditioned according to law. It is further ordered that Jacob C. Rosecranz, Ira Blackman and Clark Stevens, appraise the personal estate of said deceased and thereupon the widow of said deceased appeared in open court and made her elections to take under the will of her deceased husband.

He married Mary "Polly" (Anway). Children:

- 7 i. David M.⁴ Anway.
- 8 ii. Erastus A. Anway.
- 9 iii. James Anway Jr.
- 10 iv. Nathan A. Anway.
- 11 v. Sophronia Anway.
- 12 vi. Mary A. Anway.
- vii. Nancy Anway.
- 13 viii. Nicholas Anway.
- ix. Lydia A. Anway. She married William Gorsuch, 4 April 1844, in Delaware County, Ohio.
- x. Cynthia Anway. She married Jacob Stiffer, 18 February 1838, in Delaware County, Ohio.
- xi. Norma Anway.

4. Abraham³ Anway (George, 2). Born, circa 1790, in New York. Census: 1850, in Steuben, Fremont Township, Indiana¹⁶.

He married Julia (Anway). Born, circa 1799. Children:

- i. Ira⁴ Anway. Born, circa 1823, in Ohio¹⁷.

5. Elizabeth "Betsie"³ Anway (George, 2).

She married William Carpenter¹⁸, son of Rev. Gilbert Carpenter and Sarah (Carpenter). Born, circa 1790, in Luzerne County, Pennsylvania. William was in the War of 1812 in Capt. Henry Slack's Company of Delaware County, Ohio. There is no proof yet, but "Betsie's" first husband may have been killed in the War of 1812. She is referred to as the "widow Riardon" in some old letters according to James Gordon of Spokane, Washington. William and Elizabeth were the grandparents of Ira R. Carpenter who went to Minnesota about 1901. Ira first settled near St. Hiliare, then about 1917 retired and moved to Isle, Mille Lacs County, Minnesota. His descendants (Carpenter-Nutt) are now living in Isle and Wahkon - some in Blaine, just north of Minneapolis. Children:

- i. Sophronia⁴ Carpenter¹⁸. Born, 17 August 1814, in Sunbury, Delaware County, Ohio. Died, 30 March 1875, in Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio. She married¹⁸ Elisha W. Doty.
- ii. Hurlburt Carpenter. Born, 5 April 1816, in Sunbury, Delaware County, Ohio. Died, 11 October 1897, in Iowa. He married¹⁸ Mary Ann Woodruff, 12 January 1843. Marriage(2): 12 June 1843.
- iii. Lovina Carpenter. Born, 17 February 1818, in Galena, Delaware County, Ohio. Died, 11 October 1899, in Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio. She married¹⁸ John Beekman, 4 June 1840.
- 14 iv. Deming Carpenter.

6. William³ Anway Sr. (George, 2)¹⁹. Born, October 1775, in Orange County, New York. Died, 17 April 1848, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰. Burial: April 1848, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²¹. Occupation: Farmer.

History of Cayuga County, New York by Elliot G. Starke, assisted by Jas. H. Smith. Published by D. Mason & County, Syracuse, New York 1879.

About one and one-half miles from the south line of the town, and midway between its east and west bounds, is a place known as Black Rock, which derives its name from the color of the shale rock, over which the waters of Paines Creek are poured, with a perpendicular fall of nearly eighty feet, into the gorge below. About 1800, a Mr. Anway built in the gorge below the falls, a grist-mill, small in dimensions, but sufficient at the time for the demands upon it. Soon, however, with the rapid increase of settlers, it proved inadequate, and the mill now in use, standing upon the east side, near the brink of the falls, was built and a dam raised above the falls. He also built a sawmill upon the west bank of the stream. This after a few years service, together with the dam and the highway bridge were carried over the falls by a freshet, demolishing and carrying with them the little mill below.

The Anway's of Scipio township, Seneca County, Ohio, had been written up in the History of Seneca County, Ohio, 1848, as having come there from New York State. They came to that part of Ohio on the oldest son, John's 21st birthday. Quoting from page 21 of the *"History of Seneca County Ohio, 1848"*, "Soon after the land sales at Delaware, in 1821, William Anway, from Scipio, Cayuga County, New York, settled in what is now Scipio township". He was the first white settler there and was the first person to be buried in the Farewell Retreat Cemetery at Republic.

The following is from the will of William Anway, Sr. presented in the Seneca County Ohio Court 19 April 1848.

Firstly: I give and devise to my son Harrison a potash Kettle and all the Mechanic Tools of which I died seized and I do give and bequeath unto my beloved wife all my personal estate during her natural life (of which I may die seized and not otherwise bequeathed) and at her death I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Fanny Plant all that remains unconsumed or unexpended at the death of my said wife. And if my said wife does not survive me thru I give and bequeath all my personal estate to my said Daughter Fanny Plant and I do hereby revoke all former Wills by me made.

In testimony where of I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20 day of February 1848,
Signed..... William Anway

Signed and acknowledged by said William Anway as his last Will and testament in our presence and signed by us in his presence.

Signed.....E. T. Stickney and Amos Rainey

He married Hannah Hall, daughter of Henry Hall and Hannah Swander. Born, 11 September 1777, in New York. Died, 17 May 1858²⁰. Burial: May 1858, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰. Children:

- 15 i. John L.⁴ Anway.
- 16 ii. Susan Elizabeth Anway.
- 17 iii. William Anway Jr.
- 18 iv. George Anway.
- v. Fanny Anway. Born, circa 1807. She married Julius Smith. According to her father's will, Fanny married a man by the name of Plant, first name unknown. Which order the marriages occurred I have not been able to determine.
- 19 vi. Henry Erastus Anway.
- 21 vii. Harvey Anway.
- 20 viii. Harrison Anway.
- ix. Austin Anway. He married Sarah Newcomb.
- x. Phoebe Jane Anway.

The following is a newspaper article from the Tiffin Weekly Tribune, Tiffin, Ohio, September 24, 1885 written by Mrs. John Rice, whose mother was a sister to Mrs. William (Hannah Hall) Anway. This article which appeared in the Tiffin Weekly Tribune, September 24, 1885 and was published in the Seneca County Genealogical Society Newsletter will give you an idea what life was like for our ancestors.

PIONEER LIFE IN OHIO

As the old pioneers are year by year falling out of the ranks we, the children of the pioneers, must step in and take the places of our fathers and mothers, for we well remember the toils they endured, the hardships through which they passed and the privations that surrounded them. In looking down the line of fifty years, I feel that I, too, have a place among those, who coming to Ohio in an early day when it was in a measure a wilderness, have seen its magnificent forests fall before the ax of the hardy pioneer, have seen its rude cabins give way for the mansion, have seen the log meeting house in which our fathers worshipped replaced by the stately church edifice costing hundreds of thousands of dollars, have seen the old log school house with its rude bench and open fireplace when we could burn one side while we froze the other, have seen that disappear and in its place the school house of today with all its conveniences and modern appliances take its place, an ornament on a nicely kept lawn, with scores of well dressed, happy children; these with many other changes too numerous to mention, like the beautiful, everchanging scenes in a steadily moving panorama pass in review before me, as today I turn backward the pages of history and recall a few events of which I have not only been an eye witness, but my personal experience runs through it all. I presume there are people here today that knew my father, Henry F. Hall, a local minister and one of the early settlers of Bloom township, but who died some years ago, but he was none the less one of those sturdy yoemen that helped to make this beautiful country of ours what it is at the present time and truly the memory of such men is and ought to be sacred, for of a truth though being dead, their works do follow them, so in grateful memory of the dead departed I have hastily jotted down a few incidents of early life as I remember them.

On the second of June, 1835, my father's family left our old home near Seneca Lake, Steuben county, New York, and started for the great west, as it was then called. Our heavy goods had been sent by canal to Buffalo and thence by boat to Sandusky city or Portland. One of our covered wagons had been loaded with beds, bedding and such light goods and the other with the family, and we started for Ohio. father had got tired as he said of working around the pine stumps, and had been to Ohio the previous year "a-viewing", as they called it, so when we started towards the setting sun, he knew just where he was going. Being only 9 years old, of the journey I remember but a little, except the last day before we reached Republic, or Scipio Centre, as it was then called. We had spent the night in Monroeville and started in the morning with light hearts, to think we were so near the end of our journey. The prairie between Monroeville and what is now known as Weaver's Corners, was almost impassable, for it had been raining, and it was impossible for one team to draw even a light load through the deep mud, so the men hitched both teams, and they were nice ones, to one wagon, and took that about a mile, then left that and went back and got the other one, and mother and the children walked whenever they could do so, but perseverance overcame even bad roads, and before night we reached Scipio Centre and went to Uncle Wm. Anway's, a mile south of the Centre. Mr. Anway's wife was a sister to my father.

We were just fourteen days making the five hundred miles. Republic at that time was nearer "dead" than it is now. The town consisted of a tavern, kept by Mr. Runnels, a store by Mr. Gale, a shoe shop kept by Amos Hall, and a few dwelling houses and a blacksmith shop

made up the rest of the town. Father rented a part of the house in which Morgan Anway now lives, which at that time was a new one just built by George Anway, a cousin of mine. Having got his family settled, father started out to buy a farm in Huron county, near where Greenwich Station now is, but had expected to settle on a farm he had looked at in Knox county, but his relatives insisted on his making his home near them, so after a few weeks he purchased the farm on which we now live, situated in the northeast corner of Bloom township, but as it only contained 80 acres he soon bought another 80 acres joining it on the south, and by so doing became a part owner of Honey Creek. Not being satisfied, he bought 120 acres more just across the road in the southeast corner of Scipio township that had only about an acre cleared, while the farm in Bloom township had about 20 acres cleared and an orchard of bearing apple trees.

There was also a pretty good log house that the original builder had intended to be a nice one for those pioneer times. The doors and windows were cased nicely; the gable ends were sided up and the roof was covered with shingles instead of clapboards, but he had sold out before it was all finished, and a man named Lowman owned it. He was a rare specimen to the "genus homo" and spent his time in studying out a perpetual motion, and the doors, both outside and inside, were covered with circles, angles and curves and all sorts of geometrical designs that would almost have driven an inventor crazy. He was too much of a genius to spend his time on commonplace things. He had lived there five years without any sash or glass in his windows. In winter they had hung blankets over them, and in summer he said they put a chair in at night to keep out the dogs. Unlike most of the houses of that day, the chimney was built inside of the house, but the big fire-place occupied a large place below the stairs and the chickens had a nice comfortable roost behind the chimney on the ends of the sticks of which it was made, and those that did not come in at the door found their way in through the chinks between the logs. Father had the true Yankee pluck and went to work, and soon the dogs and chickens found out that a new family had moved in.

In some places the roads were cut out, and again they went through the woods anywhere to suit the convenience of the people, and from Republic to our farm was almost a day's journey, and when we moved on the farm the teams had to go a mile south of the township line and up the goose-pond road to get around the ravine and hill where Hiram Chaffee now lives. Fifty years ago the 21st of last month we moved on the farm where we now live, and with the exception of ten years, I have lived there all that time.

As soon as we settled in our new home, father and mother went back to the State of New York to help move a married sister of mine to Ohio, traveling fifteen hundred miles in a covered wagon in the space of five months.

At that time wheat was quite scarce, but father had purchased some for seed and bread, paying \$1.50 per bushel, and as there was a good crop of corn on the place we decided to do as our neighbors did, live mostly on corn bread and mush. How to get the meal was the question with no mill nearer than Venice, on Sandusky Bay, and it took three days to go and get a grist ground.

It is said necessity is the mother of invention, but who was the inventor of homemade meal? I do not know, but I do know how the most of it was made for every day my sister and myself were obligated to grate the ripe ears of corn on a large tin grater, made of an old tin pan, until we had meal enough to provide bread for the family. At first it was real fun, but the funny part soon changed to actual business, and to a child you all know that is very irksome. Did I dislike it you ask? No, I perfectly hated the mill business part of it, and when I got to be a young lady I would never have married a man named Miller or a miller by profession for fear he would want me to grind the meal. So much for pioneer life as a child.

But those were happy days, for we were as free as the birds of the air, could dress as we pleased in regard to fashion, could go barefooted when we pleased, were not obliged to wear this or that for fear of what Mrs. Gundy would say. We raised our own flax - - and I did not like to pull it much better than I did to make meal. Father dressed the flax, mother hatched it, and while the older girls spun the flax we younger ones spun the tow, but always on the big wheel Yankee fashion. Sometimes they threshed the grain with flails and sometimes with horses. We made our own butter in the spring as the cows ran in the woods, of course. Almost the first green thing that started was the leeks or "ramps" and the cows ate them greedily. But oh! what horrid milk and butter it made and the only way we could eat it was to first eat a piece of an onion for then we could not taste the leeks in the butter and milk as badly. Often the breath of the cows would be so offensive we could scarcely milk them. We also made lots of sugar and the sugar camps had great attractions for the girls as well as the boys, for the latter were in their minority in our family, so we girls found plenty to do in that department also.

But my knowledge of pioneer life was not all confined to childhood and girlhood. After we had been married three years my husband had a chance to trade his farm of 80 acres, in Reed Township, for 160 acres of new land in Wyandott County owned by Dr. Fisher of Tiffin, who wanted our place for his daughter, Mrs. Charles Wright, who, he thought, was too delicate to go on a new farm. So in '47 we moved to our new home in Wyandot County four miles southwest of Carey and half a mile west of the railroad that was called at that time, the Mad River and Lake Erie road. Our experience in moving was equal to the time we came to Ohio, for through the reservation west of Crawfordsville we had to take two teams to draw one wagon a short distance then go back and get the other one and it took us two days to go the same distance then that we have many times since gone over in half a day. There was a small clearing on our place, if you could call it cleared, when about half the timber was left standing for the people who lived in that section had a peculiar way of clearing on our place, if you could call it cleared, when about half the timber was left standing, for the people who lived in that section had a peculiar way of clearing their land. They would girdle the trees and let them die and then trust to the elements to blow them down. Perhaps that way would have been a greater success if tornadoes had been as prevalent then as now. But, as they were not it was rather a slow process and sometimes they were obliged to cut them down even if it did not suit their idea of getting rid of all the work they could. But my husband cut and slashed and cleared even the cleared land, and our neighbors looked on terror stricken at his lack of judgment, and said he would injure his land by taking all the timber off at once, for the sun would bake and harden the soil and it was better to cut down the small trees and let the large ones stand for shade.

Now the Bible says "It is more blessed to give than to receive," and that is more than true in regard to giving advice, for I have got to find the first person yet who thinks it as blessed to take advice as to give it, and so that husband of mine let them give all the advice they chose and then he did as he pleased - - cut down every tree and put in his wheat, and shall I tell you effect the sun had on the soil? It produced more than forty bushels to the acre and all other crops yielded in the same ratio.

Well, that wheat must be taken to market and as we only had one wagon my husband thought as he had worked in a carriage shop in Sandusky City when he was a young man he would go to work and make another. Now a great many Sycamore trees grew in the forests then and the people utilized them for nearly everything, especially the hollow ones, and Mr. Rice taking a hint from what he saw selected a solid tree of that variety and after cutting it down sawed off four blocks ten inches thick bored hole in the center and then hewing them down to four inches at the edges he had his four wheels all done; then preparing the running gears in the same primitive style in due course of time he had a very good wagon, at least it was "good for stout". Then when all was done, he loaded up both wagons with wheat, hitched the horses

on one and the oxen on the new one, and he drove the oxen and I drove the horses and took the wheat to Carey. I rode on the load and was ready in case my services were needed to bestow them "free gratis".

When we moved on our place there was a log house and also a log stable with an upper floor of poles to hold the hay. Now there was no possible place to get the hay in the loft as they called it, only to take clapboards of one corner off the roof and another was needed to mow it away, some one was needed to shove the hay down through the hole. Now everyone knows that no picture is complete without a woman in it or any situation in life is considered bearable without her presence, and even the creation was not perfect until woman was created. So in this instance a woman was wanted to make the chain complete, and I climbed up on the top of the stable and pushed the hay down to the man in the loft, but do not stare and wonder how I got there. I was not much more than half as large as I am now and was as nimble as a squirrel. But only for the first season did we work in that inconvenient way, for Yankee pluck and ingenuity overcame many things with which we had to contend. But while our lives were at that time made up of hardships we were determined to succeed and did so in spite of losses, sickness and disaster. Some of our cattle were killed on the railroad and some died of murrain. The swamps around us were wreaking with malaria and the chills and fever were almost our constant attendants. And one day I distinctly remember my husband, myself and two little boys all had a chill at the same time and one could not even give the other a drink of water, and the only one that was not sick was our little year and a half old girl, and she had it all her own way for a time at least, but we conquered even the chills and enjoyed life to the best of our ability.

Our neighbors were a strange mixture in regard to nationality and we could never get used to their ways or language, and if you would ask them a question in regard to a given quantity they would say, "O, yes, we have a right smart chance." When we had lived there but a few days a girl called in to see me and almost the first thing she said was, "Mrs. Rice, do you smoke?" "No indeed," said I. "Well," she said, "you will have to or nobody will think anything of you, for everybody smokes around here." I told her I was sorry, but I neither could or would smoke to make friends with anybody. But I found lots of friends, and did not smoke either and when we were sick and they knew it they were very kind, and when we had the misfortune to have our house burn down with all its contents homes and hearts were opened to us, and although we would not take any pecuniary aid of them, for we had plenty of relatives who were both able and willing to assist us, they turned out with men and teams and in a few days we had a nice home again. And the seven years we lived there through years of sickness and toil we look back upon as among the happiest of our lives.

But while I have done a great deal of hard work and as I sometimes say "almost everything that was honest or honorable" there was one thing I never could do even when my husband was sick, and that was to chop wood, for I could never hit twice in the same place, and if I even attempted to cut in such a fearful manner that it was just awful to see it, and I should think it would hardly burn even if it got a chance, but I never was obliged very often to try my skill as a chopper. But those early days with all their hardships and privations are passed never to be recalled and the present generation can form no idea of what their forefathers passed through to build up this country with all its blessed institutions and bring it up to almost a state of perfection, and while some may sigh for olden times as they call them and talk of the days of Old Lang Syne, I am glad I live in the present, yet would ever hold in grateful memory those days and cherish the memory of those who have gone from labor to reward.....

FOURTH GENERATION

7. David M.⁴ Anway (James Sr., 3). Born, April 1810, in New York.

He married Charlotte Sales²². Born, circa 1811, in New York or Ohio. Died, 15 October 1872, in Monterey Township, Allegan County, Michigan²³. Children:

- 22 i. Alis J.⁵ Anway. Born, circa 1837, in Ohio.
 ii. Sylvester Anway.
 iii. Elosey J. Anway. Born, circa 1844, in Ohio.
 iv. Frances M. Anway. Born, circa 1848, in Ohio. Died, circa 1921, in Traverse City, Traverse County, Michigan. He married Ceola L. Ferris, 17 December 1867, in Monterey Township, Allegan County, Michigan. Marriage(2): 17 December 1869, in Allegan County, Michigan²⁴.

8. Erastus A.⁴ Anway (James Sr., 3). Born, circa 1813, in New York. Died, circa 1857, in Howard County, Iowa²⁵.

He married Margaret Best, daughter of Charles Best, 29 March 1838, in Steuben County, IN²⁶. Born, circa 1817, in Ireland. Died, circa 1873²⁷. Children:

- 23 i. Charles⁵ Anway²⁸. Born, circa 1841, in Illinois. Died, 24 May 1863, in Vicksburg, Warren County, Mississippi.
 He enlisted October 25, 1861, promoted Corporal April 2, 1863. He was wounded in the left side May 23, 1863, Vicksburg, Mississippi, where he died of wounds May 24, 1863.
 ii. James S. Anway.
 iii. Andrew Anway. Born, circa 1844, in Illinois. Died, 9 March 1863. Burial: March 1863, in National Cemetery, Rock Island, Illinois²⁹.
 Andrew enlisted in the Civil War March 9, 1863 and died May 6, 1863, before mustering in.
 iv. Annis Anway³⁰. Born, circa 1846, in Illinois. She married Howe.

- v. Silas Anway. Born, 4 May 1850, in Will County, Illinois³¹. Died, 25 January 1929, in Walker, Cass County, Minnesota³¹.

According to records of the Upper Iowa University, Fayette, Iowa, Silas Anway registered for the spring term beginning 1 April 1869. He listed his hometown as Foreston, Iowa and his parent or guardian as Mrs. M. Anway. He paid \$7.00 for tuition and \$3.00 for room and board.

Reference:

Cass County Pioneer, Friday, February 1, 1929,
Volume 36, Number 3
Walker, Minnesota

OLD RESIDENT DIES

Silas Anway died at the Walker hospital Friday, January 25th of pneumonia at the age of 78 years, 8 months and 21 days, and was buried from the Kinkele and Thomas Chapel on Wednesday of this week, Rev. Hammond officiating.

Deceased was born in Illinois, May 4, 1850. He was a widower and as far as is known, had no children. The only surviving relatives so far as is known are two nephews, Herman, living at Cloquet and Howard and a niece living at Fergus Falls. He also leaves one sister, who is 85 years of age and resides in Chicago.

Silas Anway was a remarkable man in many ways. Having received a good education for the period in which he was reared, he used that ability to express his views, which were well taken in the local newspapers wherever he was during life. He came to Walker before it became a village and for a long time resided on a farm south of the village. In fact it was only a little over a year ago that he was prevailed upon to come into the village to spend the remainder of his life.



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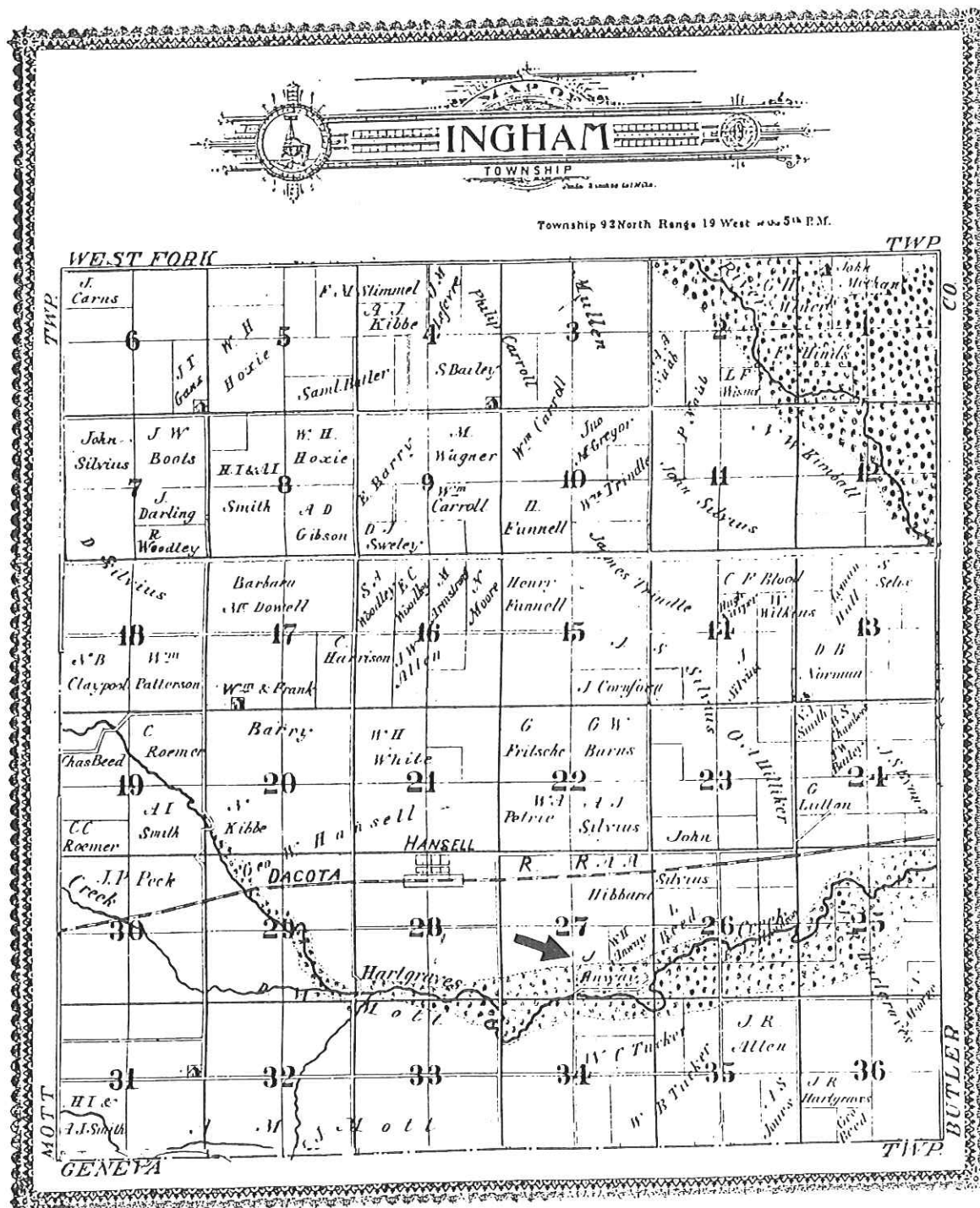
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RECORD OF DEEDS, FRANKLIN COUNTY.

WARRANTY DEED.

Filed for Record the 24 day of Oct

A. D. 1873, at 2 o'clock P. M.

James Anway & wife
TO

J. C. Kauer Recorder, Franklin Co., Iowa.

William H. Anway

By _____ Deputy.

Now all Men by these Presents, that James Anway and Nancy M. his wife of Franklin county, State of Iowa in consideration of the sum of Six hundred Dollars, in hand paid, do hereby sell and convey unto William H. Anway

of Franklin county, and State of Iowa the following described premises, situated in Franklin county, and State of Iowa to-wit:

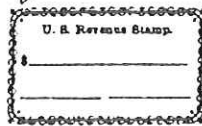
North East quarter of the South East quarter of Section Twenty Seven Township Thirty Six North Range Sixteen West of 2^d P.M. containing 40 acres according to Government Survey.

And He do hereby covenant to WARRANT AND DEFEND the title to the said premises to the said William H. Anway against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

Signed the 31 day of July A. D. 1873

IN PRESENCE OF

Geo. Bush
Wm. Raymond



James Anway
Nancy M. Anway
mark

STATE OF IOWA.

Franklin County,

On this 31st day of July A. D. 1873, before me

a Notary Public in and for said county, personally came James Anway and Nancy M. Anway, his wife

personally to me known to be the identical persons whose names are affixed to the above deed as grantors and acknowledged the execution of the same to be their voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and Notarial seal.

seal.

Geo. Bush
Notary Public

7.6.

Erastus Anway & others
to
James AnwayFiled 30 Nov 1864 At 10 o'clock a.m.
Jas. H. Wood

Records:

Know all men by these Presents, That
 We Erastus Anway and Mary A. Anway his wife, Geo Anway &
 Mary E. Anway his wife - James Anway & Maria A. Anway of the
 County of Franklin and State of Iowa, in consideration of the
 sum of fifty dollars each in hand paid by James Anway of Franklin
 County State of Iowa, do hereby sell and convey unto the said
 James Anway, the following described premises, situated in the
 County of Franklin and State of Iowa to wit: The South East
 quarter of Section twenty seven (27) in Township thirty-two (32)
 North of Range thirteen (13) West, in Franklin County, State
 of Iowa containing 160 acres of land more or less. And we
 hereby covenant with the said James Anway that we hold said
 premises by good and perfect title, that we have good right
 and lawful authority to sell and convey the same that
 they are free and clear of all liens and incumbrances whatsoever,
 And we covenant to warrant and defend the said premises ag-

ains the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever, And the said
 Mary A. Anway & Mary E. Anway hereby relinquish their right of dower
 in and to the above described premises,
 Signed this 13th day of November A.D. 1864.

In presence of
 { W. H. Brown } C. W. Anway
 { J. H. Brown } Geo. H. Anway
 { J. H. Brown } Mary E. Anway
 William S. H. Anway
 C. A. Anway

State of Iowa }
 Franklin County } " On this 13th day of November A.D. 1864 before me
 N. S. Brown a Clerk of said Court within and for said County personally
 came C. W. Anway & M. A. Anway his wife, Geo Anway & Mary E. Anway
 his wife James Anway & C. A. Anway personally to me known to be the
 identical persons whose names are affixed to the above instrument
 as grantors, and acknowledged the same to be their voluntary act
 and deeds, Witness my hand and official seal this day and year
 above written,

(Seal) N. S. Brown Clerk &c.

RECORD OF DEEDS, FRANKLIN COUNTY.

WARRANTY DEED.

Filed for Record the 27 day of Feb,
A. D. 1874, at 1 o'clock P. M.

E. C. Hays Recorder, Franklin Co., Iowa.

By _____ Deputy.

O. H. Lincoln

James Anway

KNOW all Men by these Presents, That O. H. Lincoln and
E. C. Lincoln his wife
Franklin county, State of Iowa in consideration of the
sum of Twenty Dollars,
in hand paid, do hereby sell and convey unto James Anway

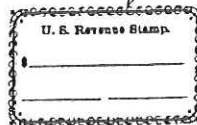
of Franklin county, and State of Iowa the following described premises,
situated in Franklin county, and State of Iowa to-wit:

Containing one half (1/2) of North West fourth of North East fourth of
Section 10 Third four (34) in Township 36 (92) County Iowa North
of Range 10 (19) Section west of 10 34 Iowa

And We do hereby covenant to WARRANT AND DEFEND the title to the said premises to the said
James Anway against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever.

Signed the 27 day of February A. D. 1874

IN PRESENCE OF



O. H. Lincoln

E. C. Lincoln

STATE OF IOWA.

Franklin County, } ss.

On this 27 day of February A. D. 1874
before me _____ a Just Dist. Court
in and for said county, personally came O. H. Lincoln & E. C. Lincoln
his wife
personally to me known to be the identical person.. whose names are affixed to
the above deed as grantors, and acknowledged the execution of the same to be their
voluntary act and deed.

Witness my hand and Official seal.

E. C. Hays

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Seal

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Schedule 3. Productions of Agriculture in Ingham, in the County of Franklin, in the State of Iowa, enumerated by me on the (no day or month listed) 1870. Post Office: Franklin Co., Iowa L. B. Raymond, Asst. Marshall

#3 ANWAY, James

Acres of Land

75 Acres improved land

6 Acres woodland

79 Unimproved land

Present Cash Value

\$3000 of farm

\$50 farm implements & machinery

Live Stock, June 1, 1870

3 Horses

4 Milch cows

2 Other cattle

3 Swine

Value of All Live Stock

\$460

Wheat

Spring - 200 Bushels

Indian Corn

500 Bushels

Oats

75 Bushels

Potatoes

50 Bushels - Irish

Dairy Products

225 Pounds - Butter

Hay

40 Tons

Value of Animals Slaughtered or Sold For Slaughter

\$150

Estimated Value of All Farm Products

\$720

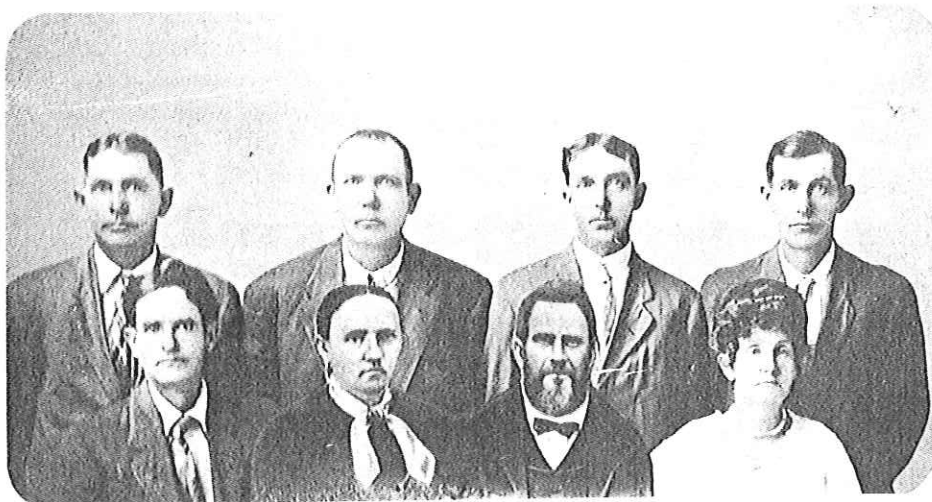


9. James⁴ Anway Jr. (James Sr., 3)^{32,33}. Born, 14 August 1814, in Delaware County, Ohio³⁴. Died, 2 April 1886, in Franklin County, Iowa³⁵. Burial: April 1886, in Dumont, Butler County, Iowa³⁶. Occupation: Farmer.

Charles Anway, a grandson, states that his father, Erastus told him that James was born in Pennsylvania. According to the following article from the county history, he states that he was born in Ohio. It was James Sr. that was possibly born in Pennsylvania and not James Jr.

Franklin and Cerro Gordo Counties, Iowa History 1883, Springfield, Illinois, Union Publishing Company.

James Anway is one of the earliest settlers of Ingham Township. He came to Howard County, Iowa in 1856, where he took a claim of 160 acres, upon which he lived five years and then exchanged for this present home. He occupies the farm taken by John Staley one of the earliest settlers of this township. Mr. Anway was born in Delaware County, Ohio August 14, 1814. His parents were natives of New York and were among the pioneers of Ohio where they engaged in farming and where James remained until emigrating to Iowa. He was married in 1837 to Caroline Odle, who died in 1866 leaving eleven children. He was married again in 1868 to Nancy M. Watkins of Franklin County who has borne him six children, five of whom are still living, Caroline, James, Nathan, Lorenzo and Freddie. Mr. Anway has held to office of trustee. His son W.H. has a blacksmith shop at Hansell which trade he acquired by his own effort and is doing a successfull business.



Frederick Ira, James Allen, William Harvey, Lewis Lorenzo
Nathan, Nancy Miranda, James Jr., Caroline Lyda Anway

Prob. 656-J

BARRETT BROTHERS, PUBLISHERS, SPRINGFIELD, OHIO

Certified Copy of Marriage Record

Probate Court, Delaware County, Ohio

James Anway

AND

Caroline Odle

MARRIAGE LICENSE

ISSUED

December 31,

A. D. 1836

The State of Ohio, Delaware County.

I certify that James Anway and Caroline Odle were on the 1st day of January,
A. D. 1837 joined in marriage by me.

Westus Sprague J.P.

Returned and Recorded, March 31st , 1837

Attest

T. Reynolds, clerk

The State of Ohio, Delaware County.

I, the undersigned, Judge and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court, within
and for said County, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full and complete
transcript from the Record of Marriages, Vol. 1 , Page 69 ,
required by the Laws of Ohio to be kept in the Probate Court of said County.

WITNESS my signature and the seal of said Court,

at Delaware Ohio, this 25th day of

June A. D. 1962

Paul W. Barrett

Judge and ex-officio Clerk of the Probate Court of said County

Harry J. Scott

Deputy

He married³⁷, first, Caroline Jane Odle/Odell, 1 January 1837, in Delaware County, Ohio³⁸. Born, 29 September 1820. Died, 24 August 1867, in Franklin County, Iowa. Burial: August 1867, in Franklin County, Iowa³⁹. Children:

- 24 i. Erastus W.⁵ Anway.
- 25 ii. William Henry Harrison Anway.
- iii. Lydia Anway. Born, 30 October 1842, in Delaware County, Ohio.
- 26 iv. George Henry Anway.
- 27 v. Sylvia Ann "Esiloia" Anway.
- vi. Elizabeth Jane Anway. Born, 1 January 1849, in Delaware County, Ohio.
- 28 vii. John Winfield Scott Anway.
- viii. Mary Angeline Anway. Born, 25 March 1852, in Illinois or Ohio.
- 29 ix. Viena Anway.
- x. Armenus Anway. Born, 22 January 1857, in Howard County, Iowa.
- 30 xi. Lucinda Jane Anway.
- xii. James H. Anway. Born, circa 1860. He married Estelle Mendel, 18 January 1875, in Franklin County, Iowa.
- 31 xiii. Amberson Anway.
- 32 xiv. Ambers Anway.
- xv. Isobelle Julie Anway. Born, 8 April 1863, in Iowa. She married, first, Thomas H. Bundy, 16 October 1879, in Franklin County, Iowa. She married, second, Eber Kellogg, 4 July 1889, in Franklin County, Iowa.

He married⁴⁰, second, Nancy Miranda Watkins⁴¹, daughter of Ephraim C. Watkins and Lydia A. Allen, 16 June 1868, in Franklin County, Iowa⁴². Born, 9 January 1849, in New York. Died, circa 1920, in Franklin County, Iowa. Burial in Geneva, Franklin County, Iowa⁴³.

For continuation of the Watkins line, see page 191.

Children:

- 33 xvi. Caroline Lyda Anway.
- 34 xvii. James Allen Anway.
- xviii. Nathan Anway. Born, 24 July 1874, in Hansell, Franklin County, Iowa. Died, 2 January 1938, in Hampton, Franklin County, Iowa⁴⁴. Burial: January 1938, in Geneva, Franklin County, Iowa⁴³. He married Nettie Rick, daughter of John Rick and Emma Jones, 31 December 1908, in Franklin County, Iowa.
- 35 xix. Lewis Lorenzo Anway.
- xx. Frederick Ira Anway⁴⁵. Born, 26 May 1879, in Franklin County, Iowa. Died, 27 September 1965, in Hampton, Franklin County, Iowa⁴⁶. Burial: 29 September 1965, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota⁴⁷. He married Sarah Jane Goldsmith, daughter of George Goldsmith and Sarah Burkett, 25 February 1901, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota⁴⁸.

Fred and Jane raised Lola Anway, daughter of George H. and Goldie Graves Anway

- 36 xxi. William Harvey Anway.

10. Nathan A.⁴ Anway (James Sr., 3). Born, 18 May 1817, in New York. Died, 21 April 1880, in Allegan County, Michigan.

He married Betsy Ann ODeil. Born, 12 February 1812, in Connecticut. Died, 24 July 1885, in Allegan County, Michigan. Children:

- 37 i. Harvey J.⁵ Anway.
- 38 ii. Elias Anway.
- iii. Elizabeth Anway. Born, circa 1850, in Wisconsin. She married Isiah Phair, 17 January 1869, in Trowbridge, Allegan County, Michigan.
- 39 iv. Henry Anway.

11. Sophronia⁴ Anway (James Sr., 3). Born, circa 1820. Died, 19 Dec 1881, in Lake City, Messambi County, Michigan.

She married⁴⁹ Lyman Dyer, 2 May 1841, in Delaware County, Ohio. Born, 1810, in New Jersey. Children:

- i. Mary P.⁵ Dyer. Born, circa 1840, in Ohio.
- ii. James Dyer. Born, circa 1841.
- iii. Lyman S. Dyer. Born, circa 1844.
- iv. Oliver Dyer. Born, circa 1846.
- v. Lydia Dyer. Born, circa 1848.
- vi. Dora Dyer.
- vii. Thomas Dyer.

12. Mary A.⁴ Anway (James Sr., 3). Born, circa 1824, in Ohio¹⁷.

She married Lyman Vangilder, 12 April 1843, in Delaware County, Ohio. Children:

- i. Mary⁵ Vangilder. Born, circa 1844, in Ohio¹⁷.
- ii. James Vangilder. Born, circa 1846, in Ohio¹⁷.
- iii. William Vangilder. Born, circa 1848, in Ohio¹⁷.

13. Nicholas⁴ Anway (James Sr., 3)⁵⁰. Born, 9 February 1828, in Delaware County, Ohio. Died, 9 November 1916, in Danville, Illinois⁵¹.

He married Clarissa Page, 29 May 1853, in Delaware County, Ohio. Children:

- i. Frank⁵ Anway. Born, 12 August 1863.
- ii. Leeda Anway. Born, 1 May 1866.
- iii. Clifton Anway. Born, 30 December 1868.
- iv. Lulu Anway. Born, 12 January 1871.
- v. Harmon Anway. Born, 17 October 1875.
- vi. Nellie Anway. Born, 6 October 1878.

14. Deming⁴ Carpenter. Born, 26 March 1822, in Galena, Delaware County, Ohio. Died, 9 April 1871, in Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio⁵².

He married¹⁸, first, Esther Woodruff, 15 April 1843. Children:

- i. Osmer D.⁵ Carpenter. Born, 13 September 1844, in Galena, Delaware County, Ohio. Died, 11 June 1851, in Ogle County, Illinois⁵³.
- ii. William Joseph Carpenter. Born, 13 March 1846, in Galena, Delaware County, Ohio. Died, 9 August 1936, in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. He married¹⁸ Melissa R. Kenaston, 17 January 1867.
- iii. Ira Raymond Carpenter. Born, 12 January 1849, in Galena, Delaware County, Ohio⁵⁴. Died, 7 Dec 1941, in Isle, Mille Lacs County, Minnesota. He married¹⁸ Josephine Esther Keetch, 31 August 1877.
- iv. Catherine Carpenter. Born, 12 January 1849, in Galena, Delaware County, Ohio⁵⁴. Died, 18 September 1924, in Tama, Tama County, Iowa. She married¹⁸ Charles H. Kenaston.
- v. Rhoda Carpenter. Born, 6 April 1851, in Ogle County, Illinois. Died, 16 February 1943, in Rochelle, Ogle County, Illinois. She married¹⁸ Richard L. Walters, 29 April 1873.
- vi. Nehemiah Carpenter. Born, 4 January 1853, in Ogle County, Illinois. Died, 11 June 1888, in Cherokee County, Iowa. He married¹⁸ Mary E. Sage.
- 40 vii. Havilah "Vilah" Carpenter.
- viii. Frank Carpenter. Born, 27 December 1859, in Lee County, Illinois. Died, 4 September 1936, in Iowa Falls, Hardin County, Iowa. He married¹⁸ Clara A. Foster.

He married¹⁸, second, Lavina Jane Huston, 17 January 1871.

15. John L.⁴ Anway (William Sr., 6). Born, 2 December 1799, in New York. Died, 26 November 1883, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio. Burial: November 1883, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰.

He married Mary Polly Foster, 1825, in Seneca County, Ohio. Born, 19 February 1805. Died, 13 February 1885. Burial: 26 February 1885, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰. Children:

- i. Mary W.⁵ Anway. Born, 17 August 1826, in Scipio Township, Seneca County, Ohio. She married John B. Wilcox, 27 May 1847, in Seneca County, Ohio⁵⁵.

According to *Beers' History of Seneca County Ohio*, pg. 226 published in 1886, Mary was the first white child born in Scipio township and her father John was the first man married there.

- 41 ii. Loren Bugbee Anway.
- 42 iii. Alfred F. Anway.
- iv. Martin B. Anway. Born, 6 August 1834, in Seneca County, Ohio. Died, 22 September 1868, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio. Burial: September 1868, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰.
- v. John E. Anway. Born, 11 February 1839, in Seneca County, Ohio. Died, 25 March 1903. Burial: March 1903²⁰. He married Emily Ames, daughter of

Charles Ames and Alvira Higley.

- 43 vi. Sidney J. Anway.
 vii. Wesley Anway. Born, 12 July 1844, in Seneca County, Ohio. Died, 12 July 1845, in Seneca County, Ohio.

16. Susan Elizabeth⁴ Anway (William Sr., 6)⁵⁶. Born, 25 February 1801, in Orange County, New York⁵⁷. Died, 29 August 1860, in Seneca County, Ohio.

She married⁵⁸ Chauncy Rundell⁵⁹, 3 October 1826, in Seneca County, Ohio. Born, 4 January 1799, (?) Albany, New York. Died, 27 September 1856, in Seneca County, Ohio. Children:

- 44 i. Mary Jane⁵ Rundell.
 ii. Calvin Rundell⁶⁰. Born, 28 December 1829, in Seneca County, Ohio⁵⁶. Died, 31 March 1908. He married⁶¹ Ellen Johnson⁶⁰, 26 October 1870, in Sandusky County, Ohio⁶².
 iii. George Rundell⁶⁰. Born, 17 February 1831, in Seneca County, Ohio⁶³. Died, 21 February 1890. He married⁶⁰ Abby D. Lawrence⁶⁰, 3 October 1854, in Huron County, Ohio⁶².
 45 iv. Franklin B. Rundell.
 v. Cordelia E. Rundell⁶⁰. Born, 15 March 1837, in Seneca County, Ohio⁵⁶. Died, 22 December 1900. She married⁶¹ Boorum⁶⁰. (First name unknown)

17. William⁴ Anway Jr. (William Sr., 6). Born, 13 June 1803, in Cayuga County, New York. Died, 9 June 1863, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio.

He married Eliza Lapham, daughter of Joseph Lapham and Lovina Howland, 8 March 1827. Born, 27 January 1809, in Maine or New York. Died, 31 July 1881, in Seneca County, Ohio. Children:

- 46 i. Joseph L.⁵ Anway.
 47 ii. William Henry Anway.
 48 iii. Morgan H. Anway.
 iv. Phoebe Jane Anway⁶⁴. Born, 22 April 1845, in Ohio. Died, 1918, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰. Burial: 1918, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰.

18. George⁴ Anway (William Sr., 6). Born, 26 February 1805.

He married Sarah Jane Stevenson. Born, 1824. Children:

- i. Ella⁵ Anway⁶⁰. Born, 1842.
 ii. Leah Anway⁶⁵. Born, 1843.
 iii. Laura Anway⁶⁰. Born, 1845.
 49 iv. Alanson M. Anway.
 v. Alice Anway⁶⁰. Born, 1850.

19. Henry Erastus⁴ Anway (William Sr., 6). Born, 1 April 1812, in Seneca County, Ohio.

He married Mary Jane Hillis, circa 1837. Children:

- 50 i. Samuel Benson⁵ Anway.

20. Harrison⁴ Anway (William Sr., 6). Born, 14 June 1818, in Cayuga County, New York. Died, 17 March 1883, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰. Burial: March 1883, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰.

He married Elizabeth Hillis⁶⁶, 16 September 1841, in Seneca County, Ohio⁴. Born, 8 December 1818, in Chester County, Pennsylvania. Died, 4 March 1884, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio. Burial: March 1884, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰. Children:

- i. Cordella⁵ Anway⁶⁷. Born, 1843, in Seneca County, Ohio. Died, 21 February 1848. Burial: February 1848, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰.
 ii. William Milton Anway⁶⁸. Born, 30 June 1846. Died, 24 July 1880. Burial: 24 July 1880, in Republic, Seneca County, Ohio²⁰.

21. Harvey⁴ Anway (William Sr., 6). Born, 1815, in Seneca County, Ohio. Died, 29 April 1897, in Antrim County, Michigan.

He married, first, Eunice Brown. Children:

- 51 i. Silas B.⁵ Anway.
 ii. Phoebe Anway.
 iii. Bethana Anway.
 iv. Samuel H. Anway.
 v. Eunice Anway.

He married, second, Margaret Maria Lewis, 4 June 1845, in Seneca County, Ohio⁵⁵. Died, 1878.

He married⁶⁹, third, Mrs. Kellogg, 25 March 1881.



FIFTH GENERATION

22. Sylvester⁵ Anway (David M., 7). Born, July 1841, in Ohio. Died, 2 April 1907, in Plainwell, Allegan County, Michigan.

He married Mary Ann Norman, daughter of Robert Norman and Mary Hazelden, 8 March 1867⁷⁰. Born, 1847, in England. Died, 24 November 1922, in Plainwell, Allegan County, Michigan. Children:

- i. Carrie⁶ Anway. Born, 11 May 1873, in Gun Plains Township, Allegan County, Michigan.

23. James S.⁵ Anway (Erastus A., 8)⁷¹. Born, 6 April 1843, in Will County, Illinois⁷². Died, 13 October 1910, in Walker Cass County, Minnesota⁷³. Burial: October 1910, in Walker, Cass County, Minnesota. Occupation: Farmer.

He married Phebe May Hurley⁷⁴, 1866, in Lime Springs, Howard County, Iowa⁷⁵. Born, 15 April 1846, in Marion, Grant County, Indiana⁷⁶. Died, 10 September 1921, in Walker, Cass County, Minnesota⁷⁷. Birth(2): 15 April 1848, in Marion, Grant County, Indiana⁷⁸. Children:

- i. Hattie May⁶ Anway⁷¹. Born, 18 August 1867, in Lime Springs, Howard County, Iowa. Died, circa 1952, in Pasadena, Los Angeles Co, California. She married Richard Obert, and they lived in the Fergus Falls, Minnesota area for many years.
- ii. Howard C. Anway. Born, August 1871, in Lime Springs, Howard County, Iowa⁷⁸. Died, 1 June 1929. He married Addae Hallier, 3 July 1903, in Walker, Cass County, Minnesota⁷⁹.
- iii. Herbert I. Anway. Born, 17 August 1876, in Lime Springs, Howard County, Iowa⁸⁰. Died, 17 May 1900, in Park Rapids, Hubbard County, Minnesota⁸⁰. Occupation: Marine Engineer.
- iv. Herman Silas Anway.

Reference: *Cass County Pioneer*, Friday, October 14, 1910
Volume 17, Number 38, page 1, Walker, Minnesota

PIONEER CITIZEN DEAD

J. S. Anway Passes to His Reward Thursday Morning

Thursday morning, occurred the death of Mr. J. S. Anway at his residence in Walker. Mr. Anway has been suffering for some time with cancer of the stomach and little hope was entertained for his recovery.

Deceased was one of the pioneer citizens of Walker, having located here when the village was little more than a village in name only. He has resided in Walker and vicinity with his family ever since his first coming here and his friends are many, as he was one of those neighborly, good natured and honorable gentlemen that at once command the respect and friendship of every person with whom they come in contact.

Reference: *Cass County Pioneer*, Friday, September 16, 1921
Volume 28, Number 36, page 1, Walker, Minnesota

OLD SETTLER PASSES AWAY

Oldest Settler in Walker Passes Away September 10th of Old Age

Mrs. J. W. Rice, formerly, Mrs. James F. Anway was found dead in her bed last Saturday morning. She had not been feeling real well for some time past but there was nothing to make the family think that the end was near. She went to her room Friday evening and went to bed as usual and Saturday morning Mr. Rice went to her room to see how she was feeling and found her peacefully taking her last long sleep.

Deceased was the very oldest settler in Walker, having been the first mother to move here with her family. Mr. and Mrs. Anway settled first on the banks of Long Lake and moved into the village as soon as it was platted.

They had a lovely family, three boys and one girl. The daughter is married and lives at Fergus Falls. Herbert Anway died here in Walker about 18 years ago. Howard Anway has been a sufferer from rheumatism for the past five years and is confined to the house, indeed he was so bad that he could not attend the services. Herman Anway, the youngest son, is now living at Clouquet and was here to attend the funeral.

The deceased was one of those quiet loving mothers that endear themselves to all who know them and who just naturally direct and uplift not alone their own family, but all whom they come in contact with. She it was, who, with Mrs. N. Dally, succeeded in having the first church organized in Walker. She was a member of the first ladies aid society here. In fact, there was nothing that she could do to assist in the better things of life in those early days than she did not do.

Her family grew to be honored and respected members of society, with the home training of mother ever in their actions and deeds and no higher commendation can be given a mother than this.

Deceased was born in Indiana, April 13, 1848. Her maiden name was Phoebe M. Hurley. She was married to James F. Anway at Lime Springs, Iowa, in 1866. Mr. Anway died here in Walker, in 1910, of cancer of the stomach after a lingering illness. She was married to J. W. Rice, in November, 1912.

Services were held from the community church, September 12th, at 2 P.M., and were conducted by Rev. Hammond and the remains were laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery.

Words to express the actual sympathy of the many old friends and neighbors for the

bereaved family were never coined. 'Tis' past the ability of man to put their sorrow and sympathy in words.

"Twas a long life well spent and she just passed peacefully to her reward.

24. Erastus W.⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9)⁸¹. Born, 7 November 1837, in Delaware County, Ohio⁸². Died, 8 October 1912, in Summit, Oklahoma. Occupation: Farmer.

According to family stories, when Erastus was a young man, he was running a single shovel plow in the stump country, when the plow struck a tough root with such force and abruptness that Erastus was thrown clear over the horse's head, falling upon a stump so that his hip was broken. No doctors or hospitals came to his rescue and so the young man spent ten years in bed. When Erastus was about again he limped and was always a cripple, but his arms were powerful and his hands skillful. He became a very good blacksmith.

A newspaper article sent to me by Kenneth Hites of Stronghurst, Illinois, that was probably taken from the Summitt, Oklahoma newspaper, dated 1911.

THREATENED DEATH TO AGED CRIPPLE WHOM THEY ROBBED, NEGROES SAID THEY'D COME BACK AND KILL HIM IF HE "SQUEALED"

The little store of Erastus W. Anway, an aged cripple, at Summitt Station had become quiet last night and Anway was just getting ready to close for the night. In the store with him was his wife, who is also his chief clerk and helper. The small group of Villagers who were accustomed to collecting at the store in the evenings had all departed to their homes. The door opened and two big negroes entered. The very creaking of the door was enough to startle the storekeeper at that time of night, and he wheeled around with a foreboding that something ill had befallen them. They found themselves looking into the point of a revolver. "Make a noise and I'll kill you" the negroe that had the revolver said, "now walk out here where I can see you". The couple obeyed, and the other negroe began to ramsack the drawers for money. But at that time of night there was little money in the drawer. There was about \$3.00 in pennies, nickles and dimes. Cursing, the negroe moved over to Mr. Anway, who is about 74 years old and a paralytic. The old man stood helpless while the robbers searched him from head to toe. But here also, the reward for his efforts was not great, Mr. Anway carried only a few dollars. The negroes worked rapidly. All the time that the one negroe conducted the search the other kept talking to the couple telling them that if they made a suspicious move he would kill them. Failing to obtain much money the negroes turned their attention to the tobacco case. Cigars and tobacco worth five or six dollars were taken from the case. "I guess that's enough" the man with the revolver said, "we've got to beat it", "now if either of you make a squeal over this we're going to come back and kill you. If you know what's good for you, you will keep still". Then the two backed out of the door and ran swiftly away. They had disappeared by the time the couple had recovered their composure.

He married⁸³ Mary Angeline Scott, daughter of Elisha Scott Jr. and Roxanna Randall, 1 Jan 1866, in Butler County, Iowa. Born, 29 March 1842, in Watertown, Oswego County, New York⁸⁴. Died, 19 March 1918, in Des Moines, Polk County, Iowa⁸⁵. Children:

- 53 i. Julia Louise⁶ Anway.
- 54 ii. Carrie Angeline Anway.
- 55 iii. James Franklin Anway.
- 56 iv. Charles Henry Anway.

- 57 v. George Manly Anway.
- vi. Leydia C. Anway.
- vii. Mary E. Anway. Died, 23 March 1883.
- viii. Alma Elmer Anway⁸⁶. Born, 21 November 1896.

25. William Henry Harrison⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9)⁸⁷. Born, 11 October 1840, in Delaware County, Ohio. Died, 12 April 1920, in Hansell, Franklin County, Iowa⁸⁸. Burial: 15 April 1920, in Butler County, Iowa⁸⁹. Occupation: Merchant.

In "*Railroading Through The Century*" written by the Hansell (Iowa) Centennial Committee, June 19-21, 1981, the following is written about William Henry Anway.

William Henry operated a hardware store and blacksmith shop in Hansell. The front and the wooden sidewalk leading to it were about four feet off street level. Henry was born a cripple, having stumps legs about a foot long with no feet. He got around in a wheel chair with steel wheels that ran on a steel track behind the counters in the store. On the track was a ladder that he could go up and down with just his hands to fetch something up on the shelves as quick as if he had legs. He owned and operated the first automobile that was seen around the Hansell area. It had a bowed bar to steer it rather than a steering wheel. Even with this handicap he shoed horses. Before he had his car, when he wanted to go somewhere of any distance, he would hook on to a vehicle with a rope he always carried and they would pull him to where ever he wanted to go.

He married⁹⁰ Virginia Wyatt, daughter of Reuben Wyatt and Mary (Wyatt), 2 March 1876, in Ames, Story County, Iowa. Born, 13 February 1855, in Ames, Story County, Iowa. Died, 1 March 1918, in Hansell, Franklin County, Iowa⁹¹. Burial: 2 March 1918, in Dumont, Butler County, Iowa⁹². Children:

- i. Mary J.⁶ Anway. Born, 1876. Died, 1876.
- 58 ii. Lillie Mae Anway.
- 59 iii. George H. Anway.

26. George Henry⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9). Born, 10 December 1843, in Delaware County, Ohio.

The following is a record we find in Probate Court for George Anway, Book A page 328, Franklin County Court House, Hampton, Iowa.

State of Iowa, in the County court Franklin County April 27, 1868 W.W. Day, County Judge

Now to wit on this 27th day of April 1868 comes Henry Meyers and presents the petition of the Board of Trustees of Ingham township setting forth that George Anway late a citizen of Ingham twp. had absended and left four minor children to wit and that the said George Anway left certain valuable property there in described which it is necessary to place in competant hands for the benefit of said minors the said trustees and the court to appoint a guardian for said minors and recommend one Nathan Moor as a suitable person for such guardian and the court being fully advised in the matter and being satisfied that such guardians is necessary to present the afforsaid property from being squandered and otherwise given to waste. The said Nathan Moor is hereby appointed guardian of said minors.

Signed.....W.W. Day Judge

Note: These children must have been from a previous marriage, but I found no prior marriage and nothing further about the children.

He married Nancy Emeline Starkey, daughter of Joseph Starkey and Arie (Starkey), 25 July 1867, in Franklin County, Iowa⁹³. Born, 14 November 1851, in Illinois. Children:

- i. Silva Ann⁶ Anway⁹⁴. Born, circa 1868, in Franklin County, Iowa⁹⁵.
- ii. Thomas Jefferson Anway.
- iii. Joseph Benjamin Anway⁹⁴. Died, 1958.

27. Sylvia Ann "Esiloia"⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9). Born, 21 January 1846, in Delaware County, Ohio.

She married Barnett J. Grandon, 26 July 1870, in Franklin County, Iowa⁹³. Children:

- i. Hatty E.⁶ Grandon. Born, 1871. Died, 1872.

28. John Winfield Scott⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9)⁹⁶. Born, 25 January 1850, in Delaware County, Ohio.

He married⁹⁷ Mary Adelia Watkins^{98,99}, daughter of Ephraim C. Watkins and Lydia A. Allen, 26 November 1875, in Austin, Mower County, Minnesota¹⁰⁰. Born, 15 January 1861, in Albion, Howard County, Iowa. Died, 28 February 1922, in Cedar Falls, Black Hawk County, Iowa. Burial: 3 March 1922, in Cedar Falls, Black Hawk County, Iowa¹⁰¹.

Mary Watkins was married first to John W. Anway, son of James Jr. and Caroline Anway. He was a half-brother to Lewis Anway, who married Pearl Robinson, daughter of William Robinson. Mary then married William Robinson, after his first wife died, and raised his children, which included Pearl. Children:

- i. Lucy⁶ Anway. Born, 3 September 1880, in Rose Creek (?), Mower County, Minnesota¹⁰².
- ii. Warren Adelbert Anway.

29. Viena⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9). Born, 25 October 1854, in Illinois. Birth(2): 21 October 1854, in Howard County, IN⁴.

She married William C. Tucker¹⁰³, son of W.K. Tucker and Mary A. Cogswell, 24 August 1871, in Franklin County, Iowa¹⁰⁴. Born, circa 1850. Children:

- i. William H.⁶ Tucker. Born, circa 1872, in Franklin County, Iowa.
- ii. Albert Tucker. Born, circa 1874, in Franklin County, Iowa.
- iii. Birdie Tucker. Born, circa 1876, in Franklin County, Iowa.
- iv. Ethel Tucker. Born, circa 1879, in Franklin County, Iowa.
- v. Cassa Tucker. Born, circa 1881, in Franklin County, Iowa.
- vi. Edward Tucker. Born, circa 1884, in Franklin County, Iowa.
- vii. Ellen L. Tucker. She married Howard H. Dow, 21 November 1904, in Aredale, Franklin County, Iowa¹⁰⁵.
- viii. Iva Sylvia Tucker¹⁰⁶. Born, 15 November 1894, in Hampton, Franklin County, Iowa.

30. Lucinda Jane⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9). Born, 5 January 1859, in Howard County, Iowa¹⁰⁷. Died, 11 October 1930, in Crowland, Oregon.

She married Ira Ensign Chapman¹⁰⁸, son of Elizha Chapman and Clarinda Chamberlain, 2 December 1872, in Franklin County, Iowa. Born, 8 January 1838, in Ohio. Died, 10 February 1930, in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. Children:

- i. Ambers⁶ Chapman¹⁰⁹. Born, 20 February 1896, in Springfield, Greene County, Missouri.
- ii. May Chapman. Born, 22 May 1898, in Springfield, Greene County, Missouri. Died, June 1898, in Springfield, Greene County, Missouri. Burial: 9 June 1898, in Springfield, Greene County, Missouri.
- iii. Merin Chapman¹⁰⁹. Born, 22 May 1898, in Springfield, Greene County, Missouri. Died, 23 May 1898, in Springfield, Greene County, Missouri.
- iv. Ray Everett Chapman¹⁰⁹. Born, 2 September 1900, in Bristow, Butler County, Iowa. He married¹⁰⁸, first, Virginia Hattie Zehner¹⁰⁹. He married¹⁰⁸, second, Mabel Elizabeth Bueker¹⁰⁹.

31. Amberson⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9). Born, 26 April 1861, in Franklin County, Iowa.

He married⁹⁸ Lucy Ann Legard, 25 May 1882, in Bristow, Butler County, Iowa¹¹⁰. Children:

- i. John William⁶ Anway. Born, 25 May 1884, in Butler County, Iowa. Died, 30 January 1894.

32. Ambers⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9). Born, 26 April 1861, in Franklin County, Iowa.

He married Etta Auld, 3 November 1886, in Hansell, Franklin County, Iowa¹¹¹. Children:

- i. Erwin⁶ Anway. Born, 8 January 1888, in Franklin County, Iowa¹¹².

33. Caroline Lyda⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9). Born, 23 March 1869, in Franklin County, Iowa.

She married¹¹³ William Sherman Watkins, son of Ephraim C. Watkins and Lydia A. Allen, 25 October 1887, in Hampton, Franklin County, Iowa. Born, 24 November 1866, in Howard County, Iowa¹¹⁴. Died, 5 July 1945, in Washington Township, Franklin County, Iowa¹¹⁵. Children:

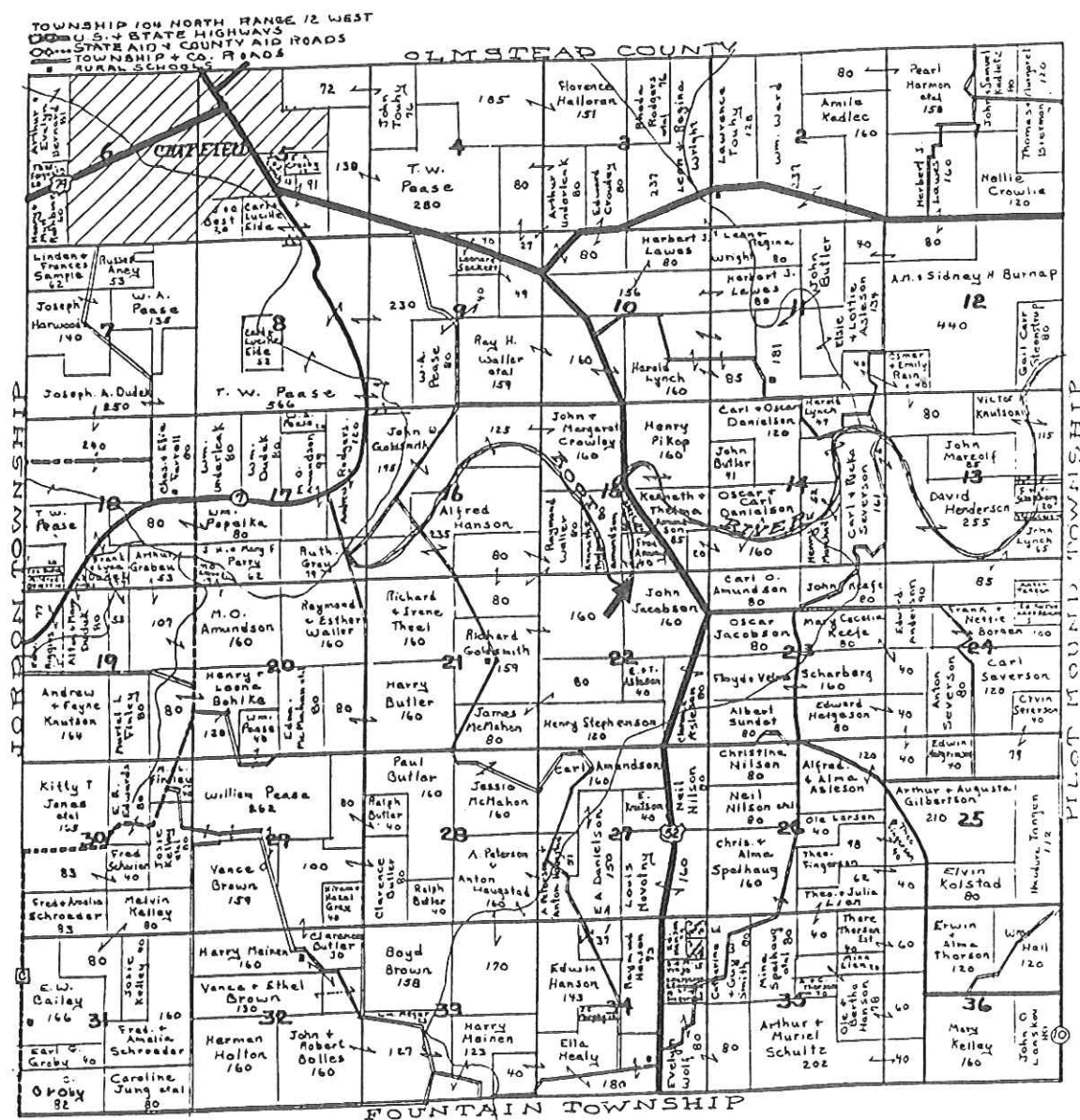
- i. William "Willie"⁶ Watkins. Born, August 1888, in Iowa.
- ii. Nancy Anna Watkins.
- iii. John C. Watkins. Born, 21 May 1900, in Franklin County, Iowa. Died, 10 June 1951, in Hampton, Franklin County, Iowa¹¹⁶. He married Alma Potter.
- iv. Daisy Watkins.

Map of
CHATFIELD
Township
Wisconsin

Scale 1/4 inches to one Mile

Township 104 North, Range 11 West of 5th P. M.

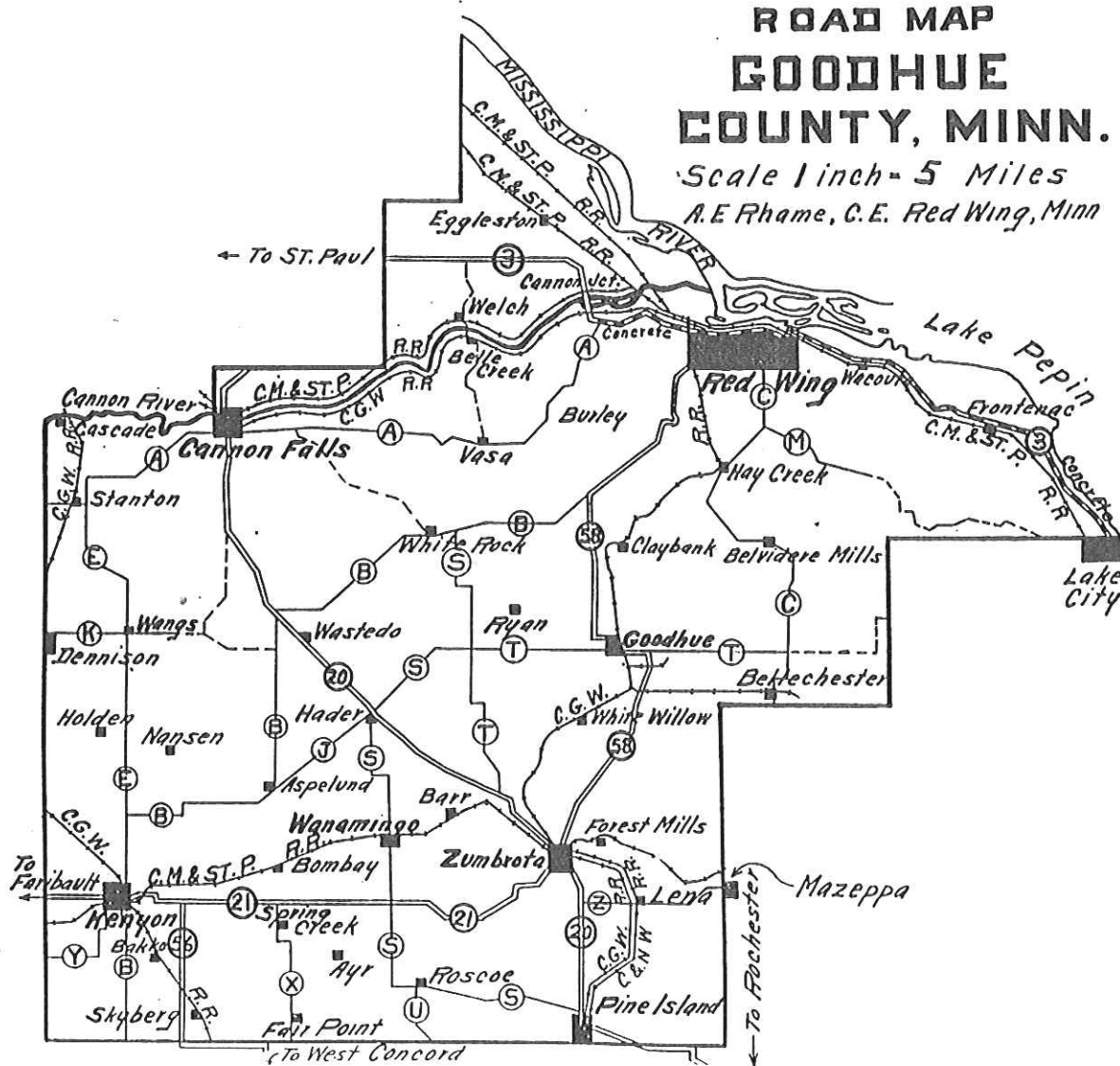
FILLMORE COUNTY, MINNESOTA



ROAD MAP GOODHUE COUNTY, MINN.

Scale 1 inch = 5 Miles

A. E. Rhame, C. E. Red Wing, Minn



James & Mary Goldsmith Anway family moved to the Red Wing, Goodhue County, Minnesota area, where they spent their remaining years.

34. James Allen⁵ Anway (James Jr., 9). Born, 12 March 1872, in Hansell, Franklin County, Iowa. Died, 3 September 1949, in Red Wing, Goodhue County, Minnesota. Burial: September 1949, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota⁴⁷. Occupation: Red Wing Pottery.

He married Mary Ann Goldsmith, daughter of George Goldsmith and Sarah Burkett, 4 November 1895, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota¹¹⁷. Born, 6 August 1875, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota. Died, 9 November 1951, in Red Wing, Goodhue County, Minnesota¹¹⁸. Burial: November 1951, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota⁴⁷. Children:

- i. Cedric⁶ Anway. Born, 26 September 1894, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota. Died, 26 September 1894, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota.
- 63 ii. Ida Burket Anway.
- 64 iii. Arthur Lorenzo Anway.
- 65 iv. David George Anway.
- v. Clifford William Anway. Born, 6 June 1903, in Chatfield, Fillmore County, Minnesota. Died, 6 January 1974, in Red Wing, Goodhue County, Minnesota. He married Olga Otterson, 17 August 1929.
- 66 vi. Olive Lavina Anway.
- 67 vii. Susan Jane Anway.
- 68 viii. Clara Lucille Anway.
- 69 ix. Helen Meranda Anway.
- 70 x. James Wilbur Anway.
- 71 xi. Russell Howard Anway.
- 72 xii. Sylvia Jeneatta Anway.



James & Mary Goldsmith Anway
Ida Burket Anway.
Arthur Lorenzo Anway.

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— IOWA —

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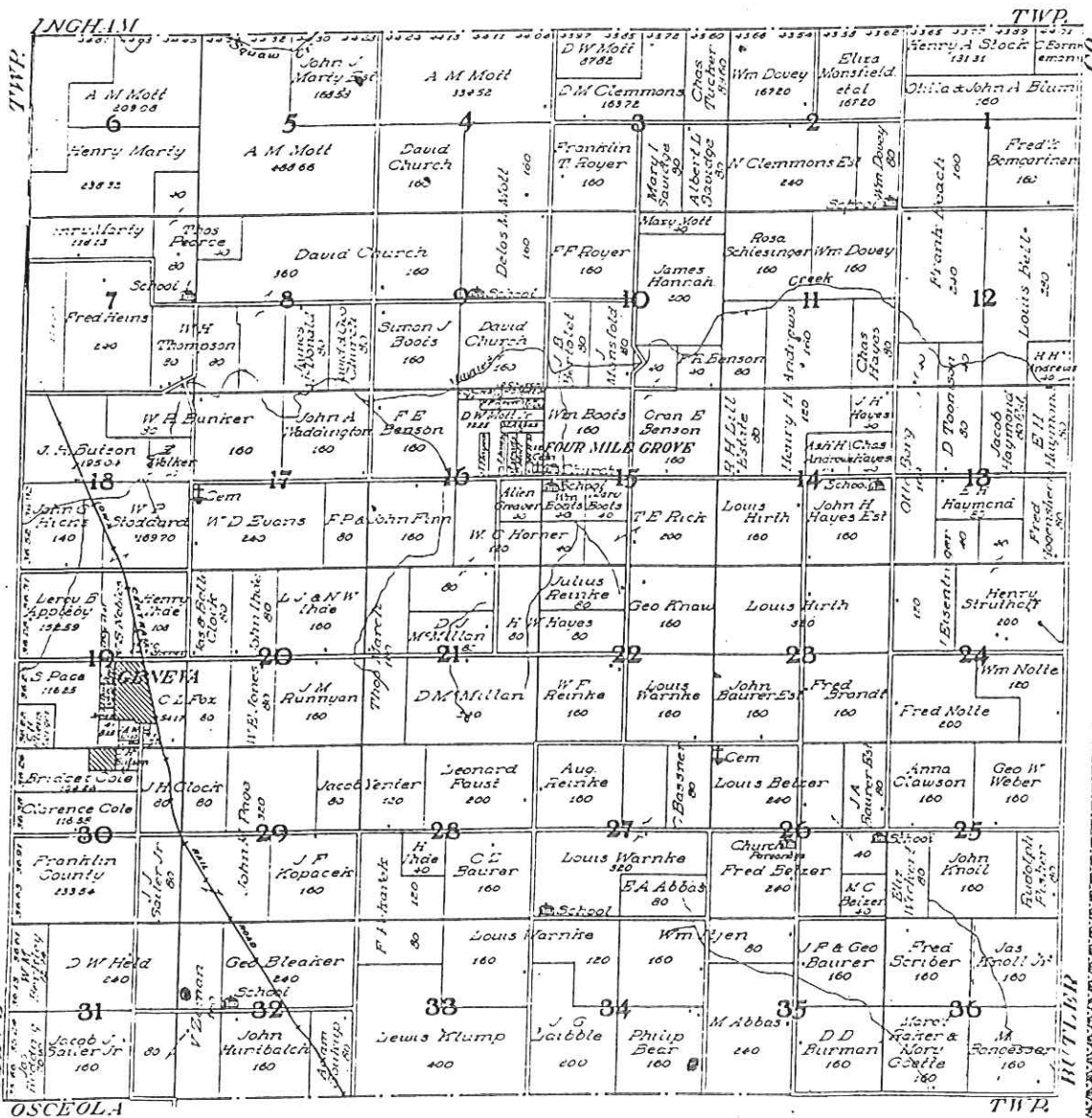
EXPLANATIONS
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Foot & center
Pole & center

EXPLANATIONS
East corner
Section
Quarter

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Township 91 North Range 19 West 40.5th P.M.



STATE OF IOWA, FRANKLIN COUNTY:

— Wm Watkins and N.A. Anway of Hansell, Iowa, solemnly swear that ~~XXX~~
 we are
 acquainted with Lorenzo L. Anway and Pearl E. Robinson
 who are parties for the marriage of whom a License is applied for; that said: Lorenzo L. Anway
is of the age of 26 years, and upward, of sound contracting mind,
 and unmarried; that said Pearl E. Robinson is of the age of 16
 years and upward, of sound contracting mind, and unmarried; and that there is no legal impediment to said parties entering
 the marriage state, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief. and that the annexed consent to
Anway, by Wm Robinson and Mary A. Robinson, of Pearl E. Robinson to Lorenzo L.
her father and mother, is genuine. Wm Watkins; N.A. Anway

Subscribed and sworn to by Wm Watkins and N.A. Anway before me
 this 10th day of January A. D. 1903

(SEAL)

G.T. McGrillis Clerk District Court.*Marriage License.*

STATE OF IOWA, FRANKLIN COUNTY, SS.

Office of Clerk of District Court.

License is hereby granted to any person authorized to solemnize marriages according to the laws of said state to join in
 marriage Lorenzo L. Anway
 and Pearl E. Robinson
 of the County aforesaid; and the person joining them in marriage is also required to make due return of the Certificate
 annexed, to the District Court, within ninety days, of the names of the parties, time and place of marriage, and by whom
 solemnized.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto set my hand and affixed the seal of said district Court, this



10th day of January A. D. 1903

(SEAL)

G.T. McGrillis Clerk.

Deputy.

Certificate of Marriage.

To the District Court of Franklin County:

This certifies, that on the 14th day of January A. D. 1903, at
in Lee Twp, Franklin Co., in said County, according to law, and by
 authority, I duly

JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Lorenzo L. Anway
 and Pearl E. Robinson

Given under my hand, the 14th day of January A. D. 1903

Rev. C.H. Van Metro



Lewis Lorenzo Anway

Pearl Esther Robinson





Grace & Esther Anway



Ray, Harry, Cleo & Mabel Anway



Ray, Kenny & Harry Anway



Kenny Anway

THE ANWAY CLAN



Cleo Rosalie



Mabel Lucile



Ray Delbert



Harry Luvern



Grace Melissa



Esther Marie



Helen Frieda



Irene Ruth



Kenneth Lewis



Evelyn May



1944

Standing - Lyle Stoddard, Guy Walker, Jake Strieff, Fred
Weiner, Harry Anway, Kenny Anway, Glen Erickson,
Lewis Anway

Sitting - Earl Duckworth, Murray and Bill Stoddard



1944

Standing - Grace, Irene, Pearl, Esther Anway, Bessie Friend
Anway

Sitting - Evie, Kenny, Mabel, Helen, Harry Anway, Elenor
Schaeffer Anway