

Genealogy of Mrs. A. J. Bush (née Sarah Benham) of Waco, Texas

David Haggard (twin of Bartlett)

Elizabeth Haggard married John (or William) Lander

Martha Ann Lander married Col. S. A. Benham (1792-1877)

Sarah Benham married, first, JOHN WILLIAM TWYMAN (1835-1874), son of Dr. James Neville Twyman (son of Abraham, son of George III, son of George II, son of George I, the immigrant). She married, secondly, Rev. A. J. Bush.

William
Gilbert
Twyman,
of Houston,
Texas

Beulah Bush

Anna Bush
Tarkington,
of Taylor,
Texas

A. J. Bush, Jr.,
of Waco, Texas

Martha Bush
Pittman,
of Donna,
Texas

Dora B.
Twyman
(b. 1898)

Anna May
Twyman (b. 1900)
married F. G.
Shultz

Source: Two letters, dated April and April 21, 1921, respectively, sent by Mrs. A. J. Bush to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder; letter, dated March 27, 1921, sent by William Gilbert Twyman to his mother, Mrs. A. J. Bush.

William T. Twyman
Marshall, Texas

March 24, 1925

Dr. E. W. Twyman
Twyman's Mill, Virginia

My dear Doctor:

It was indeed a pleasure to get your letter in response to one I wrote your county clerk. I have enjoyed it very much, I assure you.

The W in my name is for William. I was born in this town in 1866, and my father was Travis George Twyman. His father was Colby Twyman whose father was Reuben Twyman. My father was born in Versailles, Kentucky, in 1837. My father's grandfather, Reuben Twyman, was buried near Versailles, Kentucky. This Reuben Twyman, as I understand it, had six children: Joel Twyman, Colby Twyman, Simeon Twyman, Elizabeth Twyman, Buford Twyman, Mildred Twyman and George Twyman. 1/

My daughters, Grace Twyman and Martha Twyman, wish to join the D.A.R., and I have been getting up some data as to the services of Reuben Twyman who was a soldier in the War of Independence. I was trying to find out where, and when, and under what command he served, whether he was a private or an officer. I visited in Virginia some years ago, and I found it a most wonderful and interesting state, and when you think of the men it has produced, you do not wonder why Virginians apparently are so proud.

I always have heard it told that originally two Twyman brothers came over to Virginia from England. Do you know from which you are descended?

I attended college at Richmond, Kentucky, 1881-1882-1883, and I spent Christmas in Versailles, Kentucky, where I met many Twymans. I have found them in many places in the United States--in Boston, Missouri, New Jersey, Texas and elsewhere. My father came to Marshall from Missouri many years ago and made this his home. He died here in 1902. Can you tell me to whom to write to find out if my daughters may join the Colonial Dames? Many good wishes for your good health.

Yours sincerely,

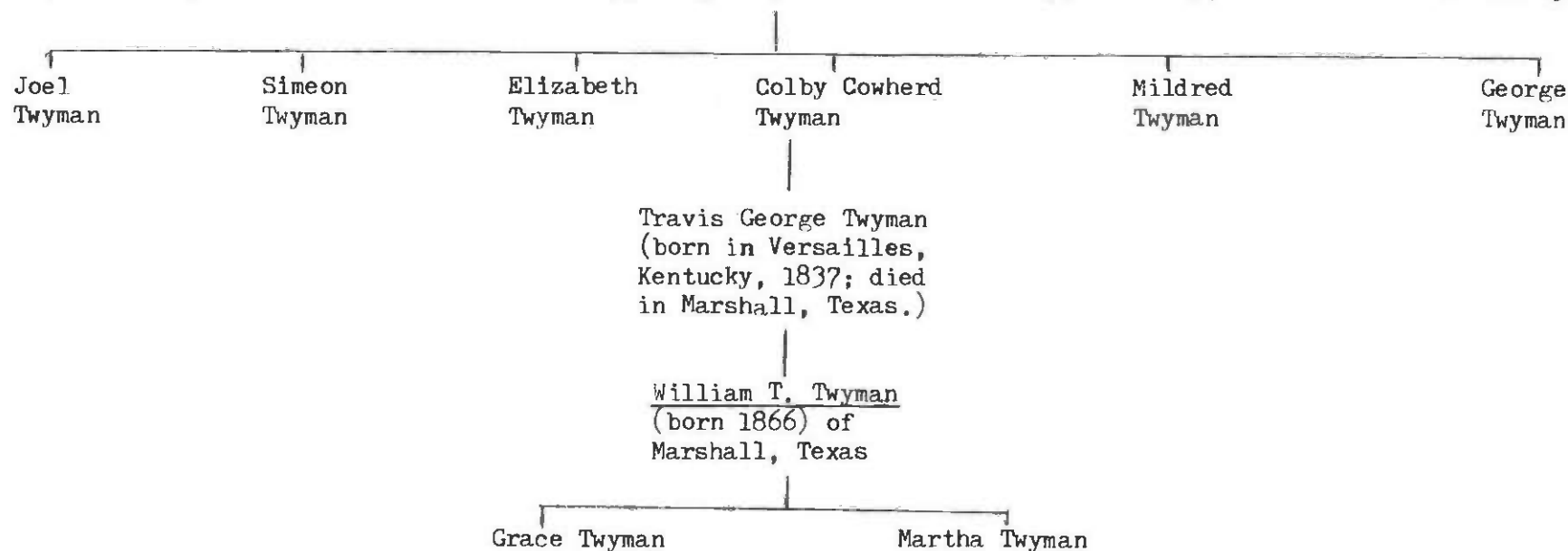
(signed)

William T. Twyman

1/ The Reuben Twymans had six children, not including Buford Twyman who was a son of George and Ann Twyman of Virginia, born in 1791.

Ancestry of William T. Twyman (born 1866),
of Marshall, Texas

Reuben Twyman⁴ (1758-1839) (William I¹; George II²; George I¹, the immigrant) married Margaret Griffin.
(Reuben Twyman moved from Madison County, Virginia, to Woodford County, Kentucky, after the Revolutionary War.)



Sources: (1) Letter, dated March 24, 1925, from William T. Twyman, Marshall, Texas, to Dr. E. W. Twyman, of Twyman's Mill, Virginia; (2) History of Woodford County, Kentucky by W. E. Railey: Published 1920; pp. 96, 97, 98 (renumbered 54, 55, 56).

CHAPTER III

THE MARY TWYMAN KLAYDER COLLECTION: SELECTED
LETTERS AND MEMORANDA WRITTEN BY PERSONS WITH
SURNAMES OTHER THAN TWYMAN

LETTERS AND MEMORANDA
WRITTEN BETWEEN 1917 AND 1941
BY PERSONS WITH SURNAMES OTHER THAN TWYMAN

Andrews, Mrs. Buford: Warsaw, Virginia
Armstrong, Mrs. Henry Edgar: Wellington, Kansas
Blanton, Jane Clay: Paris, Kentucky
Browning, J. W.: Orange, Virginia
Browning, Mrs. Bessie (Twyman): Orange, Virginia
Bush, Mrs. A. J.: Waco, Texas
Call, Fannie M.: Stanardsville, Virginia
Call, Mrs. M. C.: Stanardsville, Virginia
Claycomb, C. C.: Washington, D. C.
Claycomb, Susan Hill (Twyman): Hyattsville, Maryland
Cowherd, M.D.: Orange County, Virginia
Crismond, Mrs. Mary Twyman: Fredericksburg, Virginia
Fitzpatrick, Mrs. W. S.: Independence, Kansas
Galey, Mrs. Henrietta: Owensboro, Kentucky
Gallihugh, Mattie: Hood, Virginia
Garnett, James: Louisville, Kentucky
Gilbert, Frank Twyman: Burnleys, Virginia
Harper, Twyman William: Jefferson City, Missouri
Harry, Mrs. L. W.: Hopkinsville, Kentucky
Henshaw, Ruth: Madison, Virginia
Hill, C. K.: Harriman, Tennessee
Hill, Edwin F.: Charleston, West Virginia
Hubbard, Mrs. S. Twyman: Frankfort, Kentucky
Pond, Mrs. L. C. D.: Shreveport, Louisiana
Shepherd, Edwin D.: Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Whitfield, Flora: Raton, New Mexico
Wood, Mrs. Eva C.: Earlysville, Virginia
Wood, Myrtle, Earlysville, Virginia

Mary Buford Andrews
(Emergency Hospital)
Warsaw, Richmond County, Virginia

October 12, 1925

Mrs. Mary Twyman Klayder
Neodesha, Kansas

My dear Mrs. Klayder:

Your letter was received this morning, and I am sorry to say that I am at a loss to help you, myself, but I will send your letter right on to my uncle, Charlie Andrews, whose address is Spotsylvania, Virginia. He is the only living member of my father's (Buford Andrew's) generation, and I am sure that he can help you more than anyone else I know. I have heard the older heads, during their lifetimes, speak of all the people you name, but that is all.

The postmistress at Post Oak, Virginia, is Mrs. T. H. Twyman, daughter-in-law of Frank and Mildred Twyman. She is also my mother's only sister. She has two daughters.

My mother was a Scott, and also a granddaughter of the Chancellors of old Chancellorsville (Virginia).

(several illegible words) the Mary Washington Hospital in Fredericksburg, Virginia, in November, 1923, and at the present time I am superintendent of a small private hospital at Warsaw, Virginia, run by Dr. R. T. Davis. I have a sister, Gladys, who is a graduate nurse too. In fact, there are seven children in my family, myself being the eldest. I was (*) on October 4, 1925.

Uncle Charlie may have the old Bible, but as there have been many fires in our family (several illegible words), I don't know if there are many records left.

I am wondering, as your name is Mary too, if we could have been named for the same person. I was named for my grandmother, Mary Eliza (Twyman) Andrews. My father, in turn, was named for his aunt, Mildred Buford Twyman, whose son, Tinsley Hunter Twyman, married my mother's sister, Fannie Scott.

Hoping that Uncle Charlie and my nephew (?), together, can give you some (1 or 2 illegible words), I am writing to them on the next mail.

I must admit that I would never undertake your task. Nevertheless, I am interested in it and would be glad to hear from you about your progress. . . .

(*) The first number is missing; the second number is 1.

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(Letter, dated October 12, 1925, from Mary Buford Andrews, Warsaw, Virginia, to Mrs. Mary Twyman Klayder, Neodesha, Kansas)

Our family post office is Spotsylvania, Virginia. Any mail you would send there would reach either my family or Uncle Charlie's.

Sincerely yours,

(signed)

Mary Buford Andrews

Undated letter addressed to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder. The author is believed to have been Mrs. Henry Edgar Armstrong, of Wellington, Kansas. Mrs. Armstrong was the daughter of John William Twyman, of Kentucky, and Margaret Elizabeth Love. (*)

Wellington, Kansas

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

Dear Mrs. Klayder:

I think I am correct in saying that my grandfather's name was John William Twyman, the same as my father's name. He married Eliza Craig, and they were born in Virginia and went from there to Kentucky, then to Texas. They were the parents of six children who lived to be grown.

I really can't tell you very much about them, as we have not corresponded but very little since my father's death.

Miss Henry tells me that you are a member of the D.A.R. If we are the same Twyman family, perhaps I would be eligible to become a member. How would I go about it to find out? Could you give me any assistance? I would be pleased if you could.

I will write to the Texas folks and urge them also to write to you the information you desire.

Yours sincerely

Mrs. Henry Edgar Armstrong

Compiler's note: At the top of the letter there is written the following:

"Texas also. Mrs. D. C. Hodges

Box 63

Ravenna, Texas"

(*) It has been confirmed that the letter was written by Mrs. Henry Edgar Armstrong.

Mrs. Henry Edgar Armstrong
Wellington, Kansas

January 25, 1927

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

Dear Mrs. Klayder:

I have at last completed our family--my father, John W. Twyman, and descendants. I am sorry I have kept you waiting so long. After I began I found it quite a task, even in our own family.

I have no records of the Twymans in Texas: My father's brother--possibly one sister--yet living. I do hope you can get in touch with them.

Hoping this will be of some assistance to you. I remain,

Sincerely

Mrs. H. E. Armstrong

Descendants of John William Twyman (1851-1901)
and Margaret Elizabeth Love (*)

1. John William Twyman, born July 17, 1851, Kentucky, died February 5, 1901, Kentucky. On March 23, 1875 he married Margaret Elizabeth Love, sister of Dr. P. S. Love, Blackwell, Oklahoma. Issue:
 - 1-1. Cappie Daisy Twyman, born in Kentucky June 17, 1876. On January 19, 1895 she married Robert E. Smith who was born January 25, 1866. Issue:
 - 1-1-1. Anna Marie Smith, born October 29, 1895. She married Arthur Thomas Coleman July 22, 1917. Arthur Thomas Coleman was born August 19, 1892. Issue:
 - 1-1-1-1. Elizabeth Jeanne Coleman, born June 2, 1920.
 - 1-1-2. Sumner Orville Smith, married Phyllis Weidle on July 24, 1926.
 - 1-1-3. Floyd Victor Smith, born July 29, 1901.
 - 1-1-4. Homer Elsworth Smith, born October 15, 1903.
 - 1-2. Annie Booker Twyman, born February 26, 1878, Kentucky. She married Homer V. Williams September 12, 1896. He died August 4, 1908. Annie Booker (Twyman) Williams married, secondly, Henry Edgar Armstrong, March 10, 1915. He was born December 30, 1877, Wellington, Kansas. Issue by Williams:
 - 1-2-1. Daisy Fern Williams, born July 12, 1901, married Paul H. Knight on July 12, 1922. Paul Knight was born January 17, 1898. Issue:
 - 1-2-1-1. Robert Williams Knight, born June 22, 1923.
 - 1-3. Mary Valeria Twyman, born April 16, 1880, married Jasper N. Heasty on September 12, 1899. Jasper N. Heasty was born April 2, 1874, Mayfield, Kansas. Issue:
 - 1-3-1. Ralph Nelson Heasty, born July 2, 1900. He married Beulah McManomy on September 20, 1921. She was born June 8, 1902, and died March 16, 1924. Issue:
 - 1-3-1-1. Wendell LeRoy Heasty, born April 29, 1923.
 - 1-3-2. Mary Margaret Heasty, born June 29, 1907, married John Brummett on October 22, 1925. John Brummett was born November 21, 1904.
 - 1-3-3. Eugene Floyd Heasty, born June 10, 1919.
 - 1-4. Maude Agnes Twyman, born June 21, 1885, Kansas, married Clarence L. Hall, May 15, 1906. He was born February 24, 1882. Issue:
 - 1-4-1. Dorothy Virginia Hall, born August 8, 1909.
 - 1-4-2. Lucile Hall, born July 26, 1912.
 - 1-4-3. Robert Twyman Hall, born February 25, 1917.
 - 1-5. Carl Robert Twyman, born October 31, 1888, Kansas, died January 23, 1901.
 - 1-6. Gayle Thomas Twyman, born August 4, 1890, Kansas, died December 26, 1907.
 - 1-7. Velma Margaret Twyman, born December 7, 1894, Kansas, married Claude A. Amerman, born August 31, 1887, Kingman, Kansas.
 - 1-8. Wesley Hubert Twyman, born December 23, 1896, married Mildred Stayton, April 5, 1922. She was born March 22, 1903, Mayfield, Kansas.
 - 1-8-1. Lois Nadine Twyman, born January 6, 1924.
 - 1-8-2. Hubert Wayne Twyman, born January 6, 1927.

(*) Prepared by Mrs. Henry Edgar Armstrong of Wellington, Kansas, January, 1927.

Mrs. Henry Edgar Armstrong
Wellington, Kansas

February 7, 1927

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

Dear Mrs. Klayder:

It has been so long since I have heard from my uncle in Texas. And the last time I heard from a cousin, she really didn't tell about all the folks so I can't inform you as to whether my father's sister is still living or not. My uncle's address is:

George Waytt Twyman
Ravenna, Texas

(Several illegible words). A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Twyman, January 6, 1927. His name is Hubert Wayne Twyman.

(no signature)

Jane Clay Blanton
(Mrs. Harry Blanton)
Paris, Kentucky

January 16, 1941

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder
Neodesha, Kansas

Dear Madam:

In the Compendium of American Genealogy, Volume IV, Page 592, I see where you have written a book entitled The Twyman Family and Its Branches. Will you please advise me as to the price of the book and where it can be purchased? In my husband's family two Watts men married Twymans. I know one of the women's parents but not those of the other.

Yours truly,

(signed)

Jane Clay Blanton

Orange County Circuit Court
C. W. Woolfolk, Clerk - J. W. Browning, Deputy Clerk
Orange, Virginia

December 3, 1919

Mr. F. W. Twyman
Charlottesville, Virginia

Dear Fred:

I am enclosing a letter which was written to Mr. W. W. Scott in regard to the Twyman genealogy, with the request to give it to Bessie, the Booton sisters, or some other Twyman who would be interested. Knowing that you were collecting data along that line, I thought you would be the best one to send it to, and, also, I thought you might be interested--especially as the picture shows your cousin to be a very pretty woman.

If you do not care about answering, please return the letter to Bessie or to one of the Bootons.

Sincerely yours,

(signed)

J. W. Browning

Madison District School Board
R. D. Browning, Clerk
Orange, Virginia

February 1, 1920

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

My dear Mrs. Klayder:

I am sorry I have been so long sending you my family data, also the little I could find out about the Walkers as I get the Walker family history.

Edward Walker married Mary Daniel in King and Queen County, Virginia. He met Mary Daniel while a member of the House of Burgesses at Williamsburg, Virginia. This latter is tradition (illegible word), but might be used as a clue to something more substantial.

Your letter to W. W. Scott was referred to me some weeks ago. The Lucetta Nalle who married my uncle, George Booton, was a kinsman of W. W. Scott, and Lucetta Nalle, a sister of his mother.

You have the James Walker branch straight, and the name, "Mary," is a family name in a Madison County Walker family which, no doubt, descended from William Walker or John Walker, sons of Edward Walker and Mary Daniel.

I will refer that letter to some of the old minds, hoping they can give you some authentic information. I am much interested in your work--have been for some time through my brother, Fred W. Twyman. If it is not to cost more than \$5.00, I will be glad to subscribe to it.

Sincerely yours,

(signed)

Mrs. Bessie Twyman Browning

For information about William and John who married Misses Booton, write to:

Miss Nettie Walker
Wolftown
Madison County, Virginia

"Mary" is a family name with these Walkers.

Mrs. A. J. Bush
Waco, Texas

April, 1921

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

Dear Mrs. Klayder:

Your letter to hand. Yes, I am the granddaughter of Elizabeth Haggard who was the daughter of David Haggard, whose twin brother was Bartlett Haggard. Elizabeth Haggard married John S. Lander. They were my mother's father and mother— my grandparents.

My son's name is William Gilbert Twyman. There was a Dr. George Twyman, of Kansas City, who married the daughter of Dr. Johnson, of Dallas, Texas. I do not know his address.

Wishing you great success,

Sincerely,

Mrs. A. J. Bush

(no date)

Clipping from some paper, probably the Kansas City Star or Times:

The Rev. G. C. Bush, Carrollton, is the son of a preacher, his father having been the late Rev. A. J. Bush, a circuit rider in the early days of Texas.

Mrs. A. J. Bush
(Daughter of Col. S. A. Benham
and Martha Ann Lander)
Waco, Texas

April 21, 1921

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

My dear Madam:

My son, William Gilbert Twyman, of Houston, Texas, has written me enclosing your letter for information about the Twyman family. I will gladly give you all I have. (Note: Mrs. Bush was married firstly to John William Twyman.)

Dr. James Neville Twyman lived in Hopkinsville, Kentucky. I do not know his birthplace or his age. I don't think he was in the Civil War, but I am not sure. He had three children: (1) John William Twyman; (2) George Twyman (I do not know the middle initial); (3) Cornelia Ann Twyman. Martha Hobson was the maiden name of the wife of Dr. James Neville Twyman. I do not know their ages, but they all lived in Hopkinsville, Kentucky.

The older son, John William Twyman, was born about 1835 or 1836. He was married to Miss Sarah Benham (myself) in Goliad, Texas, December 27, 1865. One child was born to them: William Gilbert Twyman, who was born on January 21, 1866. John William Twyman died in Bee County, Texas, on July 19, 1874.

I do not know to whom George Twyman was married, nor to whom Cornelia Twyman was married. I did not know them as I was a Texas girl, although I was born near Hopkinsville, Kentucky, on January 10, 1843. My father, Colonel S. A. Benham, was born in Connecticut on November 4, 1792. He died in Texas on March 4, 1877.

Colonel S. A. Benham was married to Miss Martha Ann Lander in Winchester, Kentucky. Her mother was Elizabeth Haggard, daughter of David Haggard. My mother's father was William Lander, of Winchester, Kentucky.

John William Twyman was a Confederate soldier. He was a first lieutenant. I do not remember to which command he belonged, or where he enlisted. He was a handsome man and a fine violinist in those early days. We lived in Goliad, Texas, and nearby counties.

On February 23, 1876 I was married to Rev. A. J. Bush, minister of the Christian Church at Goliad, Texas. We have four children: (1) Beulah Bush; (2) Anna Bush Tarkington, of Taylor, Texas; (3) A. J. Bush, Jr., of Waco, Texas; and (4) Martha Bush Pittman, of Donna, Texas.

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(Letter, dated April 21, 1921, from Mrs. A. J. Bush, of Waco, Texas, to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder.)

I hope you can get something from this letter that will be helpful to you, and should you need more information that I can give, I will be glad to give it. I will soon be 78 years old, and I write seldom, so if you find this letter "scattered," you will just attribute it to old age. I am a widow. Mr. Bush was called home a year ago.

Hoping you may be successful in tracing the Twyman family for my son, I am,

Sincerely,

(signed)

Mrs. A. J. Bush

P.S. My son can't afford to be without the book.

Fannie M. Call
Stanardsville, Virginia

December 21, 1919

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder:

My father was William Booton Twyman, son of Davis Twyman, Madison County, Virginia. My mother was Sallie Jane Dean, of Augusta County, Virginia. Their children:

Robert Davis Twyman
Fannie May Twyman
Bettie Fry Twyman
Granville Dean Twyman
Horace Linwood Twyman
Lelia Baldwin Twyman
Harry Lee Twyman (dead)
Lucy Ware Twyman
Mable Parkinson(?) Twyman
Minnie Lindsay Twyman
Wilbur Marven Twyman

I send you some pieces of paper, if you can make anything out of them. They are scraps of letters I received from my dear boy, and I will ask you to please return them after you finish with them. Please, as they are all I have of William Denison Twyman, my son who lost his life in the Army.

My dear friend, I hope you will not think that I acted shabbily for not answering sooner. I hadn't been well since having the measles. At times my memory is poor, and I don't know whether the papers I send will be of any service or not. I thought I would send them, and if they are not, will you be so kind as to return them to me.

I hope that you may be successful with having the book printed. I will try to get this off today. Hoping to hear from you again,

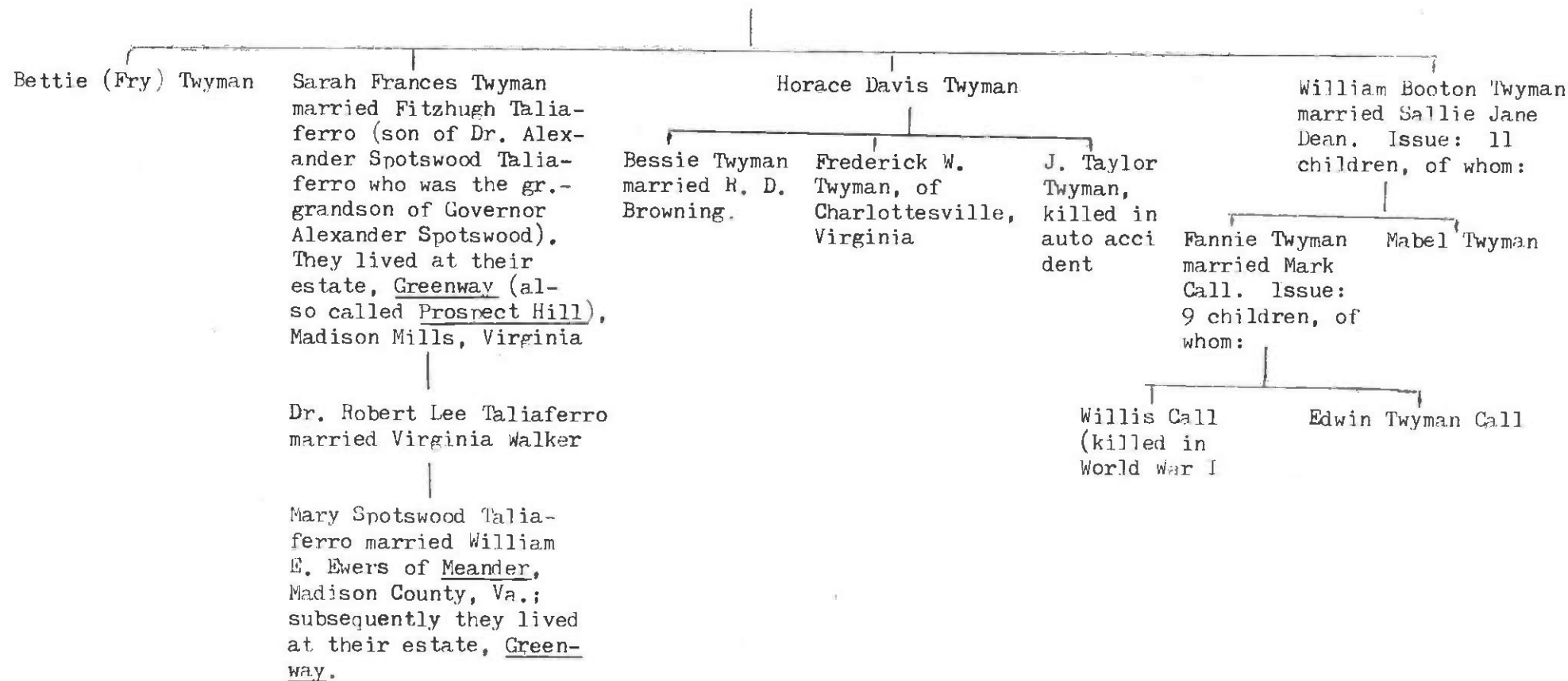
Very respectfully

Fannie M. Call

Best wishes for a prosperous New Year.

P.S. Mrs. Page had only one child who firstly married an Allen, and she had one child, Clide Allen. She married, secondly, Cid Wright, and lives at South Williams Street, Moberly, Missouri.

Robert Davis Twyman, son of Anthony Twyman,
married Eliza Walker Booton



Sources: (1) Letter, dated March 5, 1919, sent by Dr. E. W. Twyman, of Twyman's Mill, Va., to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder;
(2) Madison County Homes by Vee Dove; (3) letter, dated June 27, 1930, sent by Mabel A. Twyman to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder.

Mrs. M. C. Call
Stanardsville, Virginia

March 18, 1919

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

My dear Mrs. Klayder:

I have been a "flu" victim. I was in bed when I received your letter. . . .

I sent your letter to my cousin, Dr. E. W. Twyman, one of the best-read and best recollectors of the Twyman family. He wrote that he had written to you, and for me to send to you the paper about my son's death, and about the other boys who were killed in action in France. I have two other boys who are there yet. I hope soon (illegible words) home--Linwood Lee Call and Edward Twyman Call.

If there is anything I can tell you, I will with pleasure. I should like to have one of the books.

Respectfully yours,

(signed)

Mrs. M. C. Call

Mrs. M. C. Call
Stanardsville, Virginia

April 10, 1919

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

Dear Mrs. Klayder:

I wrote to you a short time ago. . . .

Dr. Twyman wrote to me requesting that I send to you the piece about the death of my son, William D. Call. I send the piece that I have lately received:

World War Record of William D. Call

William Denison Call, born October 4, 1892, in Madison County, Virginia. He enlisted in World War from Greene County, Virginia. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Call, live near Stanardsville, Virginia.

William D. Call entered service as Private, May 25, 1918, from Camp Lee. He had two brothers, Lee Call and Twyman Call, also in service; also, two other brothers, Marvin Call and Clay Call. His sisters: Mary Call (in Madison, Virginia), Sallie Call, Lucy Call and Corinne Call.

William Call was held in high regard by all who knew him. He was employed as a Machinist in a railroad hospital in Wilmington, Delaware.

William Call was killed by machine gun fire not far from Natillois, France, September 29, 1918, and is buried, with several of his comrades, not far from the place where he fell. His grave is marked by a cross, and his identification tag is fastened securely on it. His grave is registered in the Graves Registration Bureau. It was his first battle. He was killed instantly. His commander spoke highly of his work.

CENTRAL RECORDS OFFICE
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT
EXPEDITIONARY FORCES
APO #902

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(Letter, dated April 10, 1919, from Mrs. M. C. Call, Stanardsville, Virginia, to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder)

Copy of letter from William A. Woodlief, Adjutant General, to Private Edwin Twyman Call, Headquarters Troops, 8th Army Corps, APO #931:

With reference to your inquiry, dated March 8, 1919, regarding the burial location of your brother, Pvt. William D. Call, you are advised that this soldier, formerly a member of Machine Gun Company 39th Infantry, was killed in action on September 29, 1918. He was buried in American Cemetery #1046 on the road between Molancourt and Ensy, Grave #29.

The family also received a letter from E. C. Bolles, Colonel, 39th Infantry, AEF:

Linwood Lee Call volunteered from Camp McClellan as Private. He was later assigned to the cook tent and said to have been one of the best of cooks. He went overseas.

Edwin Twyman Call enlisted in infantry but latter was transferred to cavalry. All Call boys overseas.

My father: William B. Twyman, born in Madison County, Virginia, the 4th day of August, 1831. My mother: Sallie J. Dean, born in Bath County, Virginia, on the 20th of February, 1840. My mother and father were married on December 16, 1858 at Robert Anderson (sic), by Rev. William B. Brown, pastor of Augusta Church. Witnesses: Robert S. Hansburger, and E. G. Moorman.
Father's children:

Robert D. Twyman, born January 20, 1861.
Fannie M. Twyman, born October 9, 1862.
Bettie F. Twyman, born March 18, 1864.
Granville D. Twyman, born May 21, 1865.
Linwood L. Twyman, born March 27, 1867.
Lelia B. Twyman, born May 31, 1870.
Lucy W. Twyman, born April 6, 1874.
Mable A. Twyman, born January 22, 1876.
Minnie L. Twyman, born September 16, 1877.
Marven (sic) W. Twyman, born March 6, 1879.

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(Letter, dated April 10, 1919, from Mrs. M. C. Call, Stanardsville, Virginia, to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder)

Family of Fanny M. Twyman Call and Millard C. Call

William D. Call, born October 4, 1892
Linwood Lee Call, born May 19, 1894
Edwin Twyman Call, born May 21, 1896
Mary C. Call, born January 12, 1898
Sallie D. Call, born September 17, 1899
Millard M. Call, born January 14, 1902
Clay B. Call, born July 17, 1903.
Lucy Ware Call, born November 22, 1904
Mabel C. Call, born December 4, 1906

I send all that I can. I hope it will be of some service. I should like to have one of the books when finished.

Wishing you much success.

Very truly yours,

(signed)

Mrs. Fannie M. Call
Stanardsville, Greene County,
Virginia

Anthony Twyman

THE FAMILY OF
FANNIE (TWYMAN) CALL

Robert Davis Twyman
married Eliza Booton

Horace D.
Twyman

Sarah Frances
Twyman married
Taliaferro

William Booton
Twyman married
Sallie J. Dean.
10 children as follows:

Mrs. R. D.
Browning

F. W. Twyman of
Charlottesville, Va.

Dr. Taliaferro

Lucy
W.
Twyman
(born 1874)

Marvin
W.
Twyman
(b. 1879)

Minnie L.
Twyman
(b. 1877)

Mable A.
Twyman
(b. 1876)

Lelia B.
Twyman
(b. 1870)

Fannie
Twyman
(b. 1862)
married
Mark Call

Robert D.
Twyman
(b. 1861)

Bettie
F. Twyman
(b. 1864)

Granville
D.
Twyman
(b. 1865)

Linwood
L.
Twyman
(b. 1867)

Mabel
C.
Call
(b. 1906)

William
Denison
Call
(b. 1892)

Mary C.
Call
(b. 1898)

Lucy
Ware
Call
(b. 1904)

Sallie
D.
Call
(b. 1899)

Clay
B.
Call
B. 1903)

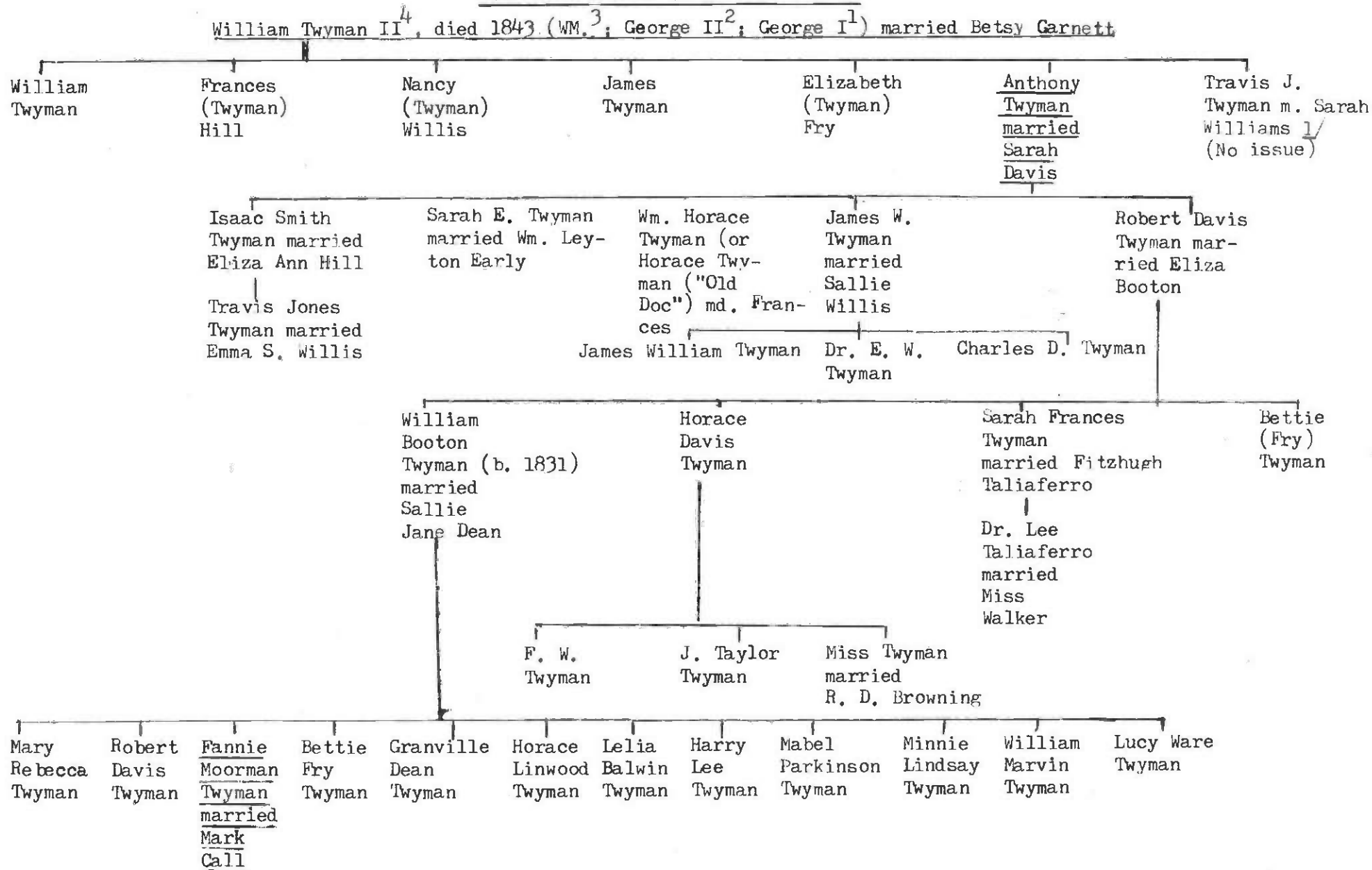
Linwood
Lee
Call
(b. 1894)

Millard
M.
Call
(b. 1902)

Edwin
Twyman
Call
(b. 1896)

Source: Letter, dated April 10, 1919, from Mrs. M. C. Call, Stanardsville, Virginia, to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

SOME DESCENDANTS OF ANTHONY TWYMAN



1/ Sarah (Williams) Twyman, wife of Col. Travis Jones Twyman, was the great-granddaughter of Major Philip Clayton and Ann Coleman of Culpeper, Virginia.

C. C. Claycomb
Washington, D. C.

November 28, 1918

Mrs. Mary Twyman Klayder

Dear Madam:

I will correct a mistake that Susan Claycomb made in a former letter in which she stated that I was from Texas. I spent twenty-three years in Texas, as my father moved to Texas in 1880 from Kentucky. I was born in Daviess County, Kentucky, October 23, 1872. My father was James Allen Claycomb, and my grandfather was Nicholas Claycomb who moved from Berkeley County, Virginia--now West Virginia--to Breckinridge County, Kentucky, in an early day and lived in a fort at Hardensburg (rest of page is missing). My father was born and reared in Breckinridge County, Kentucky.

I hope that the enclosed information is sufficient to answer your question. I beg to remain,

Yours truly,
(signed)

C. C. Claycomb

Susan Hill (Twyman) Claycomb
Hyattsville, Maryland

August 26, 1918

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

Dear Mrs. Klayder:

Your very interesting letter has been received, and I sent it to my father, Travis J. Twyman, Locust Dale, Virginia, and asked him to write to you for me, because I know he could tell you more about the Twymans than I could. He will soon have time to reply (several illegible words) and, of course, is kept busy now with the War work.

I have one sister, Mary Milton Twyman, who married Horace Crismond. They live in Fredericksburg, Virginia, 612 Lewis Street. I am sure that she will be very much interested in your book. They have one son, Horace C. Crismond, Jr., eleven years old, July 23, 1918.

I also have two brothers. The oldest is Bascum G. Twyman who married Virginia Brooking, from Orange County, Virginia, January 30, 1918. He runs my father's farm near Locust Dale, Virginia. I live with my parents.

My youngest brother, Lewis Malcolm Twyman, married Hazeltine Herndon, also from Orange County, Virginia. They have two children, Lewis Malcolm Twyman, Jr., three years old, July 21, and the baby was born May 1st, 1918, and is named Lila (or Lela) May (illegible name) Twyman.

I, Susan Hill (Twyman) Claycomb was forty years old January 3rd, last; I married Clinton Claddock Claycomb October 11, 1916. Mr. Claycomb is from Texas, but for twelve years has been in Washington, D. C. He is an auditor for the War Department. We moved to this place, and live next door to Hillary T. Willis. I believe he also received a letter from you. He is my double first cousin. He married Emma (illegible word) Willis, from Rapidan, Virginia. I am the oldest, Susan Hill Twyman, now Susan T. Claycomb. My sister, Mary Twyman Crismond, has one son, Horace Frazier Crismond, Jr., twelve years old. My oldest brother, Bascum Gordon Twyman, married Virginia Brooking, Orange, Virginia. My youngest brother, Lewis Malcolm Twyman, married Hazeltine Herndon, from Orange County, Virginia. They have three children: The eldest is Lewis Malcolm Twyman, Jr.; a girl, Lila (or "Lela") May Twyman; and the youngest, James Travis Twyman, four months old.

I wrote you of my grandfather, Isaac Smith Twyman, who married Eliza Ann Hill. Of course, you (illegible words) their children, et cetera.

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(Letter, dated August 26, 1918, from Susan Hill (Twyman) Claycomb, to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder)

My uncle, Anthony Twyman, served in the Civil War. I can't give you the dates, but if you haven't them (illegible words).

I hope you know of my great-grandmother, Matilda Payne Hill. She lived to be ninety-three years old. I knew her. She lived with my grandmother and grandfather Twyman. Their address was Twyman's Mill, Virginia. I suppose Dr. Twyman has written you all about the older people.

I have a first cousin, Anthony Twyman's daughter, who lives in Irvington, New Jersey--637 Stuyvesant Avenue. She (illegible words) is now Mrs. Edward R. Hodges. They have two children, a girl named Frances (sic) Hodges, and a boy, Edward Twyman Hodges. Her mother, Sallie Miller Twyman, lives with them; also, one brother, Joe Travis Twyman. She has an older brother, Claude Twyman, who married Blanche Henshaw. They live near Haywood, Virginia, Madison County.

Uncle Anthony Twyman was in the Confederate Army.

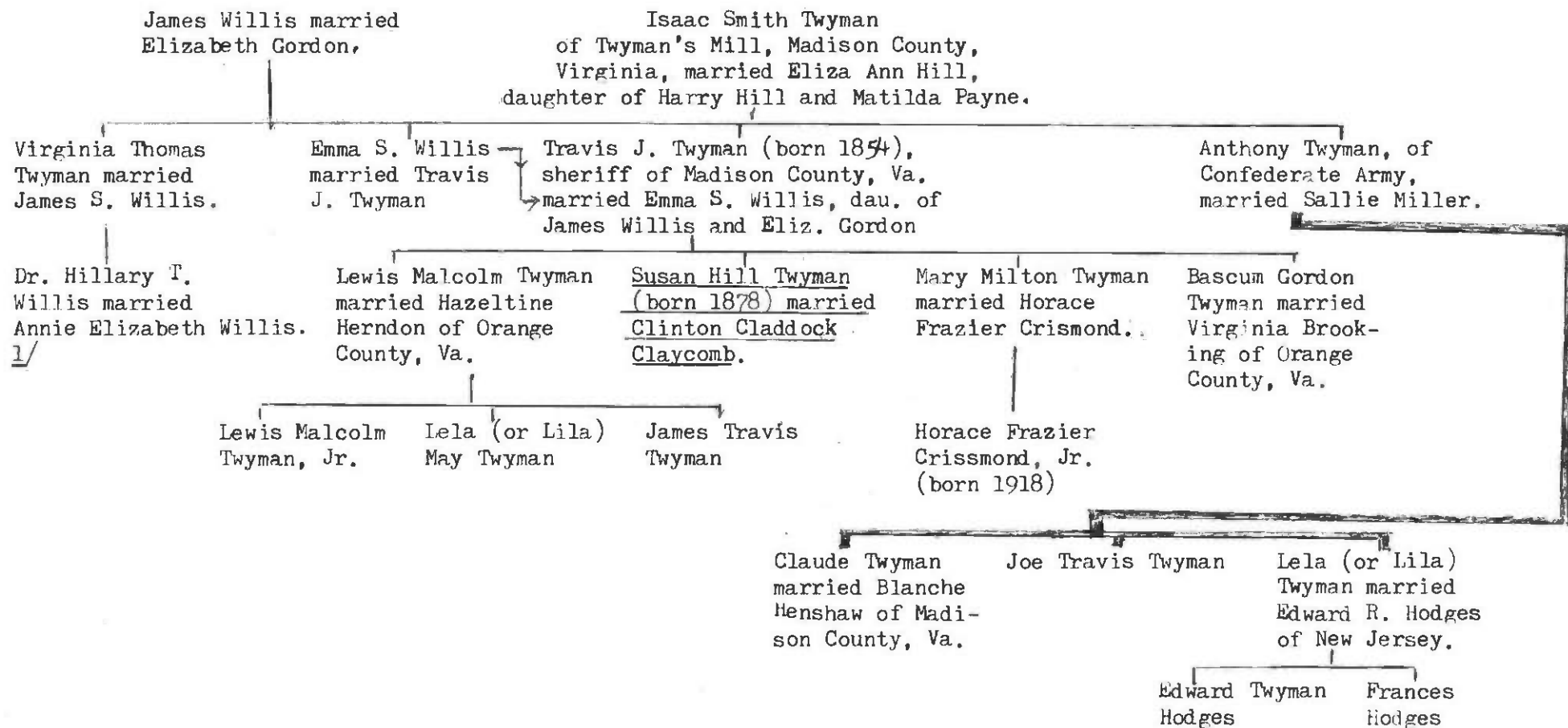
As to the Kentucky Twymans, I don't know anything (illegible words), my father will write them for you. He can also give you the names of a number of the younger Twymans who served in the World War.

My husband has all the work he can do as an auditor for the War Department. If he had the time, he would be glad to do the copying of the court records for you. I don't (illegible words) my father could take the time. We could find out.

Have you written to my aunt, Mrs. Sallie Miller Twyman, Anthony Twyman's widow, who lives with ther daughter, Mrs. Lila Twyman Hodges, 673 Stuyvesant Street, Irvington, New Jersey? I am sure that they would want a book.

Thanking you for remembering me, also for the picture of yourself and (the rest of the letter is missing).

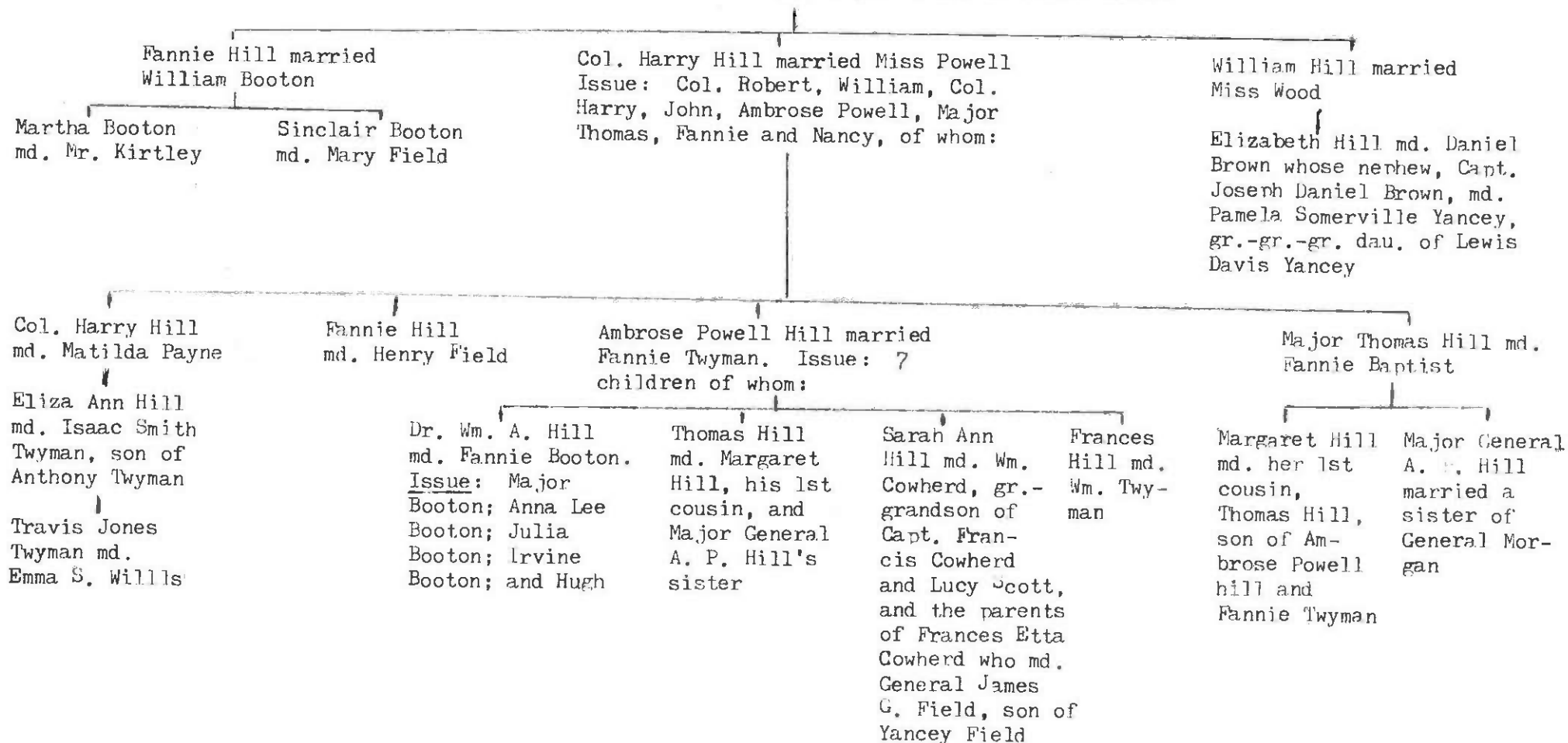
Twyman Connections of Susan Hill (Twyman) Claycomb
of Hyattsville, Maryland, 1918



1/ Dr. Hillary T. Willis was a double first cousin of Susan Hill (Twyman) Claycomb. He married Annie Elizabeth Willis, daughter of Absalom Graves Willis and Sarah Lee Gordon.

Hill, Twyman and Related Families of Virginia

Russel Hill of Middlesex County, Virginia, married Miss Towles



Sources: (1) Genealogical and Historical Notes on Culpeper County, Virginia: "Embracing a Revised and Enlarged Edition of Dr. Philip Slaughter's History of St. Mark's Parish," compiled by Raleigh Travers Green, Culpeper, Virginia, 1900 (Reissued, Baltimore: Regional Publishing Co. 1983); (2) Letter, dated August 26, 1918, of Susan Hill (Twyman) Claycomb, of Hyattsville, Maryland, to Mary (Twyman) Klayder, Neodesha, Kansas

Susan Hill (Twyman) Claycomb
Hyattsville, Maryland

November 28, 1919

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

My dear Mrs. Klayder:

Your welcome letter was received this afternoon, and I am delighted to know your book is ready to be published. You certainly undertook a big job and accomplished more than a great many.

I certainly want one of your books, and I will be greatly disappointed if I do not get one.

I will write to my sister, Mary Twyman Crismond, 602 Lewis Street, Fredericksburg, Virginia. I am sure that she will want a book.

I think I have already written you all I know, giving my parents' names, et cetera. My father, Travis J. Twyman, Locust Dale, Virginia, wrote you about our family. (Compiler's note: The remainder of the letter is missing.)

M. D. Cowherd
Montieth (*)
(Probably Orange or Madison County, Virginia)

April 23, - - - -

Dear Cousin Eddie:

My son gave me the note you gave him, and I will now try to answer it.

My father's aunt, Drucilla Cowherd, married William Twyman. 1/ They had two sons, William Twyman and Alfred Twyman. William Twyman married and settled in Albemarle County. I do not know whom he married.

Alfred Twyman married a daughter of Thornal Twyman, of Spotsylvania County, Virginia. Alfred Twyman had two sons, Frank Twyman and Travis Twyman.

My uncle, Colby Cowherd, married Tabitha Twyman, a sister of William Twyman of Culpeper County, Virginia.

Your cousin,

(signed)

M. D. Cowherd, Sr.

(*) Montieth, it is believed, is the name of the residence proper.
1/ Incorrect. Drucilla Cowherd married Reuben Twyman, the eldest son of William Twyman the second and Betsy Garnett.

Descendants of Alfred J. Twyman (died 1877)
and Louisa (Carpenter) Twyman¹

1. George Twyman I, the immigrant to Middlesex County, Virginia, married Catherine Montague, a native of Virginia.
2. George Twyman II, married Agatha Beauford (Buford).
3. William Twyman I, married Winifred Cowherd.
4. William Twyman II, married Betsy Garnett.
5. William Twyman III married Drucilla Cowherd.²
6. ALFRED TWYMAN (died 1877), married Louisa Carpenter, or a daughter of Thornal Twyman. When a young man, Alfred Twyman moved from Madison County, Virginia, to Greene County, Virginia.
- 6-1. Travis J. Twyman (1840-1903), married Katherine Ann Douglas (1841-1910), of Albemarle County, Virginia.
- 6-1-1. Eva C. Twyman (born 1874), married Samuel A. Wood. Issue:
 - 6-1-1-1. Claude Abraham Wood, born 1901.
 - 6-1-1-2. Myrtle Irene Wood, born 1902.
 - 6-1-1-3. Lorena Alma Wood, born 1904.
 - 6-1-1-4. Gracie Eva Wood, born 1905.
- 6-1-2. Mattie Louise Twyman (born 1878), a twin, married Charles Edwin Peregoy. Issue:
 - 6-1-2-1. Alwyn Peregoy.
 - 6-1-2-2. Lila Peregoy.
 - 6-1-2-3. Irene Peregoy.
- 6-1-3. Elizabeth Alma Twyman (born 1878), a twin, died young.
- 6-1-4. Lovick Pierce Twyman (born 1876), married Willie Durrett. No issue.
- 6-1-5. Mary Temple Twyman (born 1881), married Harvey Ward. No issue.
- 6-1-6. Ollie Katherine Twyman (born 1884), married Willie Thomas Norris. Issue:
 - 6-1-6-1. Twyman Norris.
 - 6-1-6-2. Milbah Norris.
- 6-1-7. Wilbur Edwin Twyman (born 1886), reared in Greene County, Virginia, moved to Los Angeles, California.
- 6-1-8. Colby Franklin Twyman (born 1887), married, firstly _____. Issue:
 - 6-1-8-1. Tinsly Twyman.³
- Colby Franklin Twyman married, secondly, Kassa Cowherd. Issue:
 - 6-1-8-2. Etta May Twyman.³
 - 6-1-8-2. Olla Twyman, who married Jack Fulcher; they had two or more children.³

¹ M. D. Cowherd, of "Monteith," Madison County, Virginia, has stated that Alfred Twyman, his father's first cousin, married a daughter of Thornal Twyman. However, Frank Twyman Gilbert, grandson of Alfred J. Twyman, has stated that his grandfather married Louisa Carpenter.

² According to his great-grandson, Frank Twyman Gilbert, Reuben Twyman married Drucilla Cowherd; but according to M. D. Cowherd, Sr., "My father's aunt, Drucilla Cowherd, married William Twyman. They had two sons, William Twyman and Alfred Twyman."

³ According to his nephew, Frank Twyman Gilbert, in a letter dated April 11, 1918, Frank Twyman married, firstly, Buggy Twyman, and had Tinsly, or "Tinsley" Twyman; and by his second marriage (wife unnamed), he had (1) Etta May Twyman, and (2) Ola Twyman who married Jack Fulcher. However, according to Myrtle Wood, her uncle, Colby Franklin Twyman, by his second wife, Kassa Cowherd, had (1) Etta May Twyman, and (2) Ola Twyman who married Jack Fulcher and had two or more children.

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Descendants of Alfred J. Twyman (died 1877)
and Louisa (Carpenter) Twyman
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- 6-2. Frank Twyman, married, Firstly, Buggy Twyman (see footnote³ on preceding page). Issue:
 - 6-2-1. Tinsly, or "Tinsley," Twyman.
Frank Twyman married, secondly, Carpenter. Issue: ¹
 - 6-2-2. Etta May Twyman (died in 1918).
 - 6-2-3. Ola Twyman, married Jack Fulcher; they had two or more children.
- 6-3. Sarah J. Twyman (born 1834) married Robert Gilbert. Issue:
 - 6-3-1. Willie Gilbert, married Jim Gibson. Issue: two boys and three girls.
- 6-4. Martha A. Twyman (born 1836) married Andrew J. Gilbert (born 1834).
(His brother, Robert Gilbert, is said to have married Sarah J. Twyman.)
 - 6-4-1. Frank Twyman Gilbert, married Lena Durrer. They had six children.
 - 6-4-2. Zebulon Gilbert (no data).
 - 6-4-3. Lily Gilbert, married Charles Hall. They had three children.
 - 6-4-4. Jennie Gilbert (died 1918), married Alvah Durrer. They had six children.
 - 6-4-5. Kemper Gilbert, married Miss Wright.
 - 6-4-6. Odella Gilbert, married Walter Garnett. They had six children.

¹ A third child may have been Jane Twyman who married Rice Prichett. No issue.
Rice Prichett was a captain in the Civil War.

Mrs. Mary Twyman Crismond
602 Lewis Street
Fredericksburg, Virginia

December 2, 1919

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

Dear Mrs. Klayder:

My sister, Mrs. Claycomb, of Hyattsville, Maryland, sent me your letter to her, which I was very glad to get. Indeed I do want a history of the Twyman family. Let me know the cost, and I will send money.

I suppose my sister told you (two illegible words) children of Travis J. Twyman who married Miss Emma Joe Willis. There are four of us--two boys and two girls: Susan Hill Twyman (Mrs. Claycomb); Mary Milton Twyman (myself); Bascom Goville Twyman; and Lewis Malcolm Twyman. Lewis Malcolm Twyman has three children: Lewis Malcolm Twyman, Jr.; Lela May Twyman; and James Travis Twyman. (Several illegible words) Horace Frazier Crismond, Jr. You may have this information already.

Hope to hear from you to the effect that I may get a history.

Sincerely,

(signed)

Mrs. Mary Twyman Crismond
602 Lewis Street
Fredericksburg, Virginia

The Twyman Genealogy of Mrs. W. S. Fitzpatrick
100 North First Street
Independence, Kansas

Mrs. W. S. Fitzpatrick was descended from both William Twyman³ (George Twyman II²; George Twyman¹) and his younger brother, George Twyman III. Mrs. W. S. Fitzpatrick furnished to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder, about 1936, the following genealogical data:

1. George Twyman I, the immigrant, married Catherine Montague, a native of Virginia.
2. George Twyman II, married Agatha Beaufort (Beauford, and later, Buford).
3. William Twyman, married Winifred Cowherd.
4. Frances Twyman, married Reuben Craig.
5. Newton Craig, married his cousin, Lucy Craig.
6. Ryland Dillard Craig, married Emilie Brashear, who was the daughter of Emilie Twyman Craig and Henry C. Brashear.

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1. George Twyman I, the immigrant, married Catherine Montague, a native of Virginia.
 2. George Twyman II, married Agatha Beauford.
 3. George Twyman III, younger brother of William Twyman, married Mary Walker.
 4. William Twyman, married Lucy Crenshaw.
 5. Elizabeth Twyman, married Clement Craig.
 6. Emilie Twyman Craig, married Henry C. Brashear.
 7. Emilie Brashear (born 1872), married Ryland Dillard Craig; she married, secondly, Loren Stevens Dow; thirdly, William Samuel Fitzpatrick. (After Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fitzpatrick were divorced in 1936, Mrs. Fitzpatrick made her home in New York.)* Issue by Craig:
 - 7-1. Lucille Craig-Dow, married, firstly, Milton Baird Young, son of James Milton Young. She married, secondly, Herman D. Ewers. Issue by Young:
 - 7-1-1. Emilie Young, born September 9, 1912.
 - 7-1-2. Virginia Young, born December 20, 1915.
 - 7-2. Henrietta Craig, married Thomas Mellon Galey.

Henrietta Galey
1729 Frederica Street
Owensboro, Kentucky

(no date--probably about 1930)

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

My dear cousin Mary:

Your letter came just now, and it's the first time I've had a minute.

The material I had came from Miss Margaret Huff, Earlsyville, descendant of Joseph Twyman, of George Twyman III and Mary Walker. I understand you have had it, but it was new to me. In it were many letters from George Twyman, of Joseph Twyman, and Garrett Watts (son-in-law of Joseph Twyman), in regard to Joseph Twyman's son, Charles M. Twyman. . . . So, as Tom had business in Glasgow, I went too. The court books are on shelves, of course. Then, on top of the "shelf-cases" are the old bundles!

We looked at some of the bundles; had to dust them off before we could see the dates which are on the outside. Failed to find the 1837 one, but a man will look after July 4th. He is busy now!

. . . It seems that Abraham Twyman and William Twyman (mine) wanted Charles M. Twyman to be properly punished, from the tone of the letters. (Compiler's note: for an alleged infraction of the law.) Charles's descendants claim that Charles didn't come to Kentucky until 1844--"Stayed near Bowling Green for a short time," and moved to West Virginia where his descendants still live. So I looked up more about Charles M. Twyman, and the descendants are mistaken. One of them is the George Washington Dixie Twyman of West Virginia.

I had never seen your pages--the two you inserted--until just now.

In Glasgow a woman lent me some Buford-Kirtley papers which belonged to her mother. I've only begun to go through them. Maybe you'd like for me to send you a copy, or maybe I can arrange with her--I'll see her July 3rd--for me to lend you the original envelopes. Tell me if your Kirtley line is complete.

I've returned Margaret Huff's papers. She is about to give these, the only ones she still owns, to the University of Virginia Library. Thank you for your promptness, you dear!

Love,

(signed)

Henrietta Galey

EARLIEST ANCESTORS

(Carr, Dabney, Crenshaw, Thompson,
Montague, Beauford (Buford), Twyman and Watts)

By

Mrs. Henrietta Galey, Owensboro, Kentucky

Major Thomas Carr, born 1628 and died 1704, of Sir Thomas Carr and Mary Garland, married Mary Dabney, of Cornelius Dabney (d'Aubigné)--source: Mrs. Jennie T. Grayson. Children, Carr:

(1) Dabney Carr, who married Martha Jefferson, sister of President Thomas Jefferson. Both were buried at Monticello, Albemarle County, Virginia. She died on September 3, 1811. He died May 16, 1773. The will was recorded in Spotsylvania County, Virginia, and the inventory was filed in Louisa County.

(2) Captain William Carr, married, firstly, Miss Chiles; secondly, Susannah Brooks, who married, secondly, Lodovie O'Neal. Captain William Carr's will was proved August 12, 1760, in Spotsylvania County, Virginia. His inventory of estate is contained in Will Book D, pages 2-13, Spotsylvania Courthouse. According to deeds of gift (Spotsylvania County, Virginia, records), the children of Captain William Carr were:

Susan Carr (*) proved by deed of gift, 1752; Thomas Carr; William Carr; Ann Carr; Elizabeth Carr; Phebe Carr; Walter Carr; Chiles Carr; Charles Carr; Agnes Carr, who married William Ellis; Susannah Carr, who married William Crenshaw--proved by deed of gift, 1751; Mary Carr, who married Nicholas Crenshaw, proved by deed of gift, 1755. Records of these deeds of gift are in the Spotsylvania Courthouse and are a part of patent of 4,044 acres to William Carr, June 20, 1739. The first eight children of Captain William Carr were by Miss Chiles, his first wife; the rest, by Susannah Brooks, his second wife.

Susannah Carr married, before 1751, William Crenshaw, of Louisa County, Virginia (source: Mrs. Jennie T. Grayson--estate of William Crenshaw, 1820, Albemarle County, Virginia). He died in 1829. Susannah Crenshaw outlived William Crenshaw, as she is mentioned in his will, so she is living in 1829 and called "Mrs. Crenshaw" in the estate. (Louisa County was cut off from Hanover County in 1742.) The estate was recorded in Albemarle County, as well as the deed of gifts from former (?) 1751 (or 1731). Children, Crenshaw:

William Crenshaw, administrator of his father's estate; Nicholas Crenshaw; a daughter who married John Taylor; Temperance Crenshaw who married Nathaniel Thompson; Mary Crenshaw who married, about February 10, 1808, Goodloe Carter; Mildred Crenshaw who married, about January 12, 1826, Abram Jones; Betsy Crenshaw who married, about October 7, 1799, David Watts, Jr.; Doratha Crenshaw who married, about July 6, 1829, Davis Thompson.

(*) One or more illegible words

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Col. William Thompson (*) Military, of loyal army during Bacon's Rebellion, of Richard Thompson, of William Thompson. William Thompson was of Scotborough (?), Yorkshire, England. (*) were direct descendants of Malcolm I of Scotland. (See Colonial Families of The U.S. by McKenzie; also, refer to Mrs. Jennie Grayson.) Children, Thompson:
 Martha Thompson; Joseph Thompson, who married and had a son, William Thompson who died in 1790. William Thompson married Elizabeth. Their daughter, Mildred (Milly) Thompson, married John Crenshaw, of Richard Crenshaw and Mary Carr Crenshaw. Many descendants still lived on the original lands in 1942.
 Children, Thompson:

Frances Thompson, who married Crenshaw; Roger Thompson, born 1750, married Mary Elizabeth Crenshaw, born October 20, 1767, daughter of Nicholas and Mary Carr Crenshaw. Children, Thompson:

William Thompson, born 1788, married Elizabeth Ward; Elizabeth Thompson, married Early; Mary Thompson, who married Brown; Mildred (Milly) Thompson who married John Crenshaw, son of Nicholas and Mary Carr Crenshaw; Lucy Thompson, unmarried. Note: Thompson Crenshaw, son of John and Milly Thompson Crenshaw, was administrator of this, Lucy Thompson's estate.

George Twyman I was born in England in 1676, and died in 1703. Inventory was filed May 13, 1703; Christ Church Parish; planter. He married Catherine Montague, a native of Virginia, Middlesex County, Virginia, Christ Church Parish. The couple were married in 1697.

Catherine Montague Twyman married, secondly, Philip Warwick, September 3, 1705, in Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Virginia. Catherine is spelled with a K. In George Twyman III's autobiography the name is spelled with a C as are also the names of her daughter and granddaughter. Children, Twyman:

George Twyman, born 1698, married Agatha Buford on July 16, 1724; Mary Twyman who married George Bristow, February 9, 1720; Catherine Twyman, baptized April, 1702, married John Thompson on April 13, 1727. 1/

George Twyman II, was born 1698, Middlesex County, Virginia; will dated March 17, 1733, proved April 2, 1734, Spotsylvania County, Virginia; planter. He was the son of George Twyman I and Catherine Montague. He married Agatha Buford, born August 13, 1705, Lancaster County, Virginia, Christ Church Parish. The marriage was celebrated on July 16, 1724. Agatha Buford (Beauford) was the daughter of Thomas Beauford, Jr. and Mary Beauford (maiden name unknown).

George Twyman II's widow married John Warwick, of Lancaster County, Virginia, March 8, 1735. They had two children: Abraham Warwick, born 173- (?), and Elizabeth Warwick, born 1740. John Warwick died, and Agatha Twyman Warwick

(*) One or more illegible words

1/ To which Thompson family John Thompson belongs is not stated.

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married, thirdly, John Lee. Children, Twyman:

Elizabeth Twyman, born June 28, 1725; William Twyman, born May 27, 1727, married Winifred Cowherd; Catherine Twyman, born June 13, 1729, married Mr. Dillard, and she died in her 89th year; George Twyman III, born March 29, 1731, married Mary Walker on January 11, 1754; Mary Twyman, married William Greenwood.

Sir Edward Walker, who died in 1775, married Mary Daniel, Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Virginia. Sir Edward Walker was a baronet from Wales; he moved to Culpeper County, Virginia in 1730 (*) William Daniel, son of Col. William Daniel. Information: Mrs. C. Morgan. Children, Walker:

Mary Walker, born in 1734, married George Twyman III, January 11, 1754; Rev. Captain William Walker, born 17-- (?), married Ann Merry; Elizabeth Walker, married Francis Kirtley who served in the Revolutionary War.

Peter Montague III, died 1665, of Peter Montague II and Cicely Matthews, married Mary Minor of Mindort Doodes and Mary Johnson. Children: Catherine Montague, born 1676, married, firstly, 1697, George Twyman I; married, secondly, Philip Warwick, 1706 (?).

Agatha Buford, born August 13, 1703, married George Twyman II, July 16, 1724. Children: Mary Twyman; Elizabeth Twyman; William Twyman; Catherine Twyman; and George Twyman. Agatha (Buford) Twyman's brother, John Buford, was baptized April 6, 1712; he married Francis Wisdom. Children: Sarah (Sally) Wisdom, who married Joseph Craig; Mary Wisdom, baptized April 20, 1716, married Lee. (*)

Cole Morgan's notes:

Sir Edward Walker, baronet from Wales, to Virginia, was captain in Revolutionary War. He married Mary Daniel. He died 1776.

Watts - from W. N. Perrin's Historical Biography of Kentucky, 1882:

David Watts, the patriarch of the family, of Virginia stock, was among the first pioneers to cross the Allegheny Mountains. He was born in Virginia. In 1761 he married Ruth Twyman, daughter of George Twyman III and Mary Walker. He moved to Kentucky about 1780 and settled in Fayette County. He died in 1835. He had a son, Garrett Watts, born 1796, who married Martha Twyman. They had a son, David Watts, born 1831, who married Tabitha Quisenberry, 1849, and settled in Clark County, Kentucky. They had two sons, William D. Watts, who married Ella Chenault; and Garrett Watts II, who continued to live in David

(*) Illegible words

EARLIEST ANCESTORS
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Watts I's home.

Quotation from Rev. Henry G. Twining, 1882:

"We seem to want something of a connected memoir of our relations to preserve as much as we can of times now becoming evanescent. If not done by some of us, how soon they will become dreams. How soon, entirely lost."

Letter from Mattie Gallihugh
of Hood, Va., August 13, 1917

TWYMANS

The first George Twyman came from England. Married Catherine Montague, of Virginia. George Twyman the second married Agatha Buford and lived in Middlesex County, Virginia. His son, George Twyman 3rd, lived in Madison County, Virginia, and moved to Albemarle; he, George 3rd, had a brother, William, the father of the Madison County Twymans. George 3rd married Mary Walker. Mary was the daughter of Sir Edward Walker who came from Wales. These are the names of George 3rd's children:

Agatha Twyman married Dearing.
Ruth Twyman married Watts.
Samuel Twyman married Frances Rogers.
James Twyman married A. James.
George Twyman went to Spotsylvania County.
William Twyman went to Kentucky.
Joseph Twyman married Lucy Rodes.
Abraham Twyman went to Kentucky.
Sarah Twyman married Richard Sanford.
Betty Twyman married William J. Wood.

I am a descendant of Samuel Twyman who married Frances Rogers. These are his children:

Elijah Twyman married Mary Bell.
John Twyman married Margaret Wayne.
Judith Twyman married Benjamin White.
Nancy Twyman married Anthony Thornton.
Mordecai Twyman married Ellen Duke.
Pascal Twyman married Margaret Malone.
Frances Twyman married Jonathan Rogers.
Iverson Lewis Twyman married, first, Mary Lavinia Horsley, and
second, Martha Elizabeth Austin.

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November
Twenty-ninth
1919.

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder
Armstrong, Missouri

My dear Mrs. Klayder:

I have your circular letter asking for data relative to my family and its connection with George Twyman.

The history I have of the Garnett family does not connect with the Twyman family, but my history I know is incomplete. My father had considerable data which he had gathered, but we had the misfortune to lose this in a fire in 1905, since which time I have tried to gather new data.

My ancestor was Anthony Garnett of St. Mark's Parish, Virginia. He is referred to in Slaughter's History, and I am unable to trace the family history beyond him. I have considerable data covering the period from this ancestor to the present. You can probably tell me whether I am related to the Twymans, but the list which you furnished does not include the Grants. I will be glad to have any information you can give me along either branch, and if you desire a copy of the data I have relative to my family, I will be glad to furnish it.

Very truly yours,

(signed)

James Garnett

JG/J

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January 7, 1920

Mrs. Mary Twyman Klayder
Armstrong, Missouri

My dear Mrs. Klayder:

I received and read with much interest your letter of December 11, 1919. My compilation of the genealogy of the Garnett family has been put away so securely that I have not yet located it, but hope to run across it ere long, and will send it to you, so you can read it.

I am inclined to believe that Mary Twyman who married Reuben Garnett is related to the family of Garnetts at Cynthiana, Kentucky. A gentleman by the name of Larkin Garnett, who was a member of the Legislature, has been Sheriff of that county, and now resides at Cynthiana, will probably give you information along this line. My mother's maiden name was Mary Wood. She was the daughter of Buford Wood, who seems to have been the son of William J. Wood, who married Betty Twyman. My father's name was James Garnett. Dr. Buford T. Wood of Danville, Kentucky, my uncle, is the only surviving child of this Buford Wood, and he could probably give you more information along this line than anyone I know.

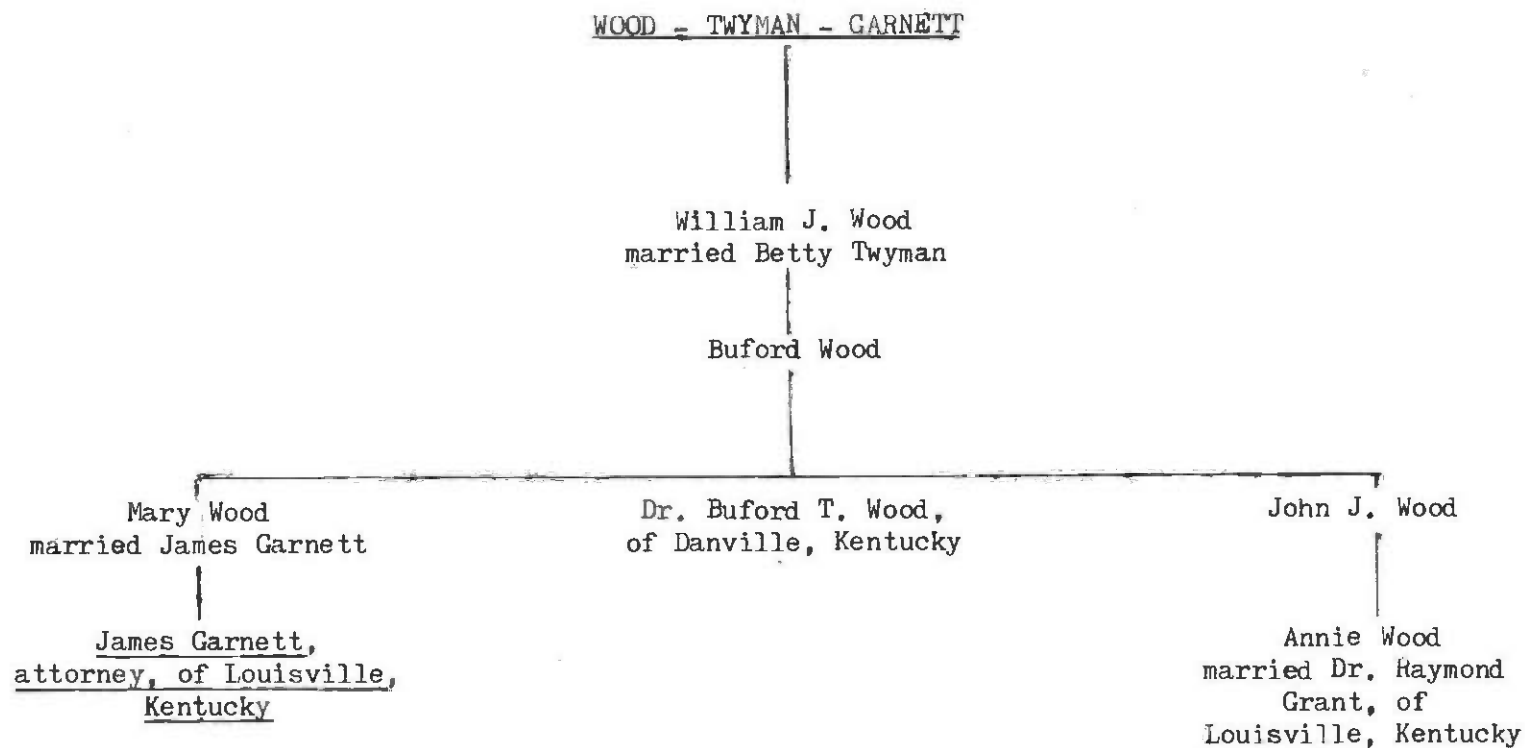
Annie Wood, who is referred to as married to Raymond Grant, is the daughter of John J. Wood, who was the son of Buford Wood, whose grandmother was Betty Twyman. Mrs. Annie Wood Grant (Mrs. Raymond Grant) lives in Ormsby Court, Louisville, Kentucky. I read to her your letter, and both she and her husband, Dr. Raymond Grant, have promised to get together their genealogical notes and I trust they will furnish them to you before long.

I am,

Respectfully yours,
(signed)

James Garnett

JG/J



Source: Letter, dated January 7, 1920, from James Garnett, Louisville, Kentucky, to Mrs. Mary Twyman Klayder, of Armstrong, Missouri.

Frank Twyman Gilbert
Burnleys, Virginia

April 11, 1918

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder
Armstrong, Missouri

Dear Mrs. Klayder:

I take pleasure in giving you the information I have about Twyman descendants. . . . I think that Mrs. Eva Wood (illegible words) would be able to give you information about the Twymans, especially about her brothers and sisters. In regard to my father, Andrew J. Gilbert, he served four years in the Civil War, belonging to Company F, of Virginia regiment. Mrs. Wood's address is Earlysville, Virginia.

My father: Andrew J. Gilbert, born June 18, 1834.

My mother: Martha A. Twyman, born February 8, 1836, Greene County, Virginia; married December 23, 1856.

Brothers and sisters: (almost the entire list of six is illegible) Frank Twyman Gilbert.

Grandparents: Alfred J. Twyman, married Louisa Carpenter.

Uncles and aunts: (illegible word or initial) William Twyman, Methodist preacher, married Miss Duval.

Frank Twyman, married, first, Buggy Twyman; secondly (illegible word) Carpenter. By first wife there was one child, Tinsly (sic) Twyman. By second wife he had Etta May Twyman (dead), and Ola Twyman who married Jack Fulcher (living).

Jane Twyman, married Rice Prichett. No issue. He was Captain in "10" Virginia Company F, Civil War. 1/

Sarah Twyman, married Robert Gilbert. Issue: One daughter, Willie Gilbert, married Jim Gibson (all dead)--five children, two boys and three girls, all living, but I do not know their addresses.

Travis J. Twyman, married Kate Ann Douglas. They had seven children--three boys and four girls: Eva C. Twyman; Katie Twyman; Mary Temple Twyman; (illegible name) Twyman. For further information write to Eva C. Wood, Earlysville, Virginia.

"Sissie" Twyman, dead, never married.

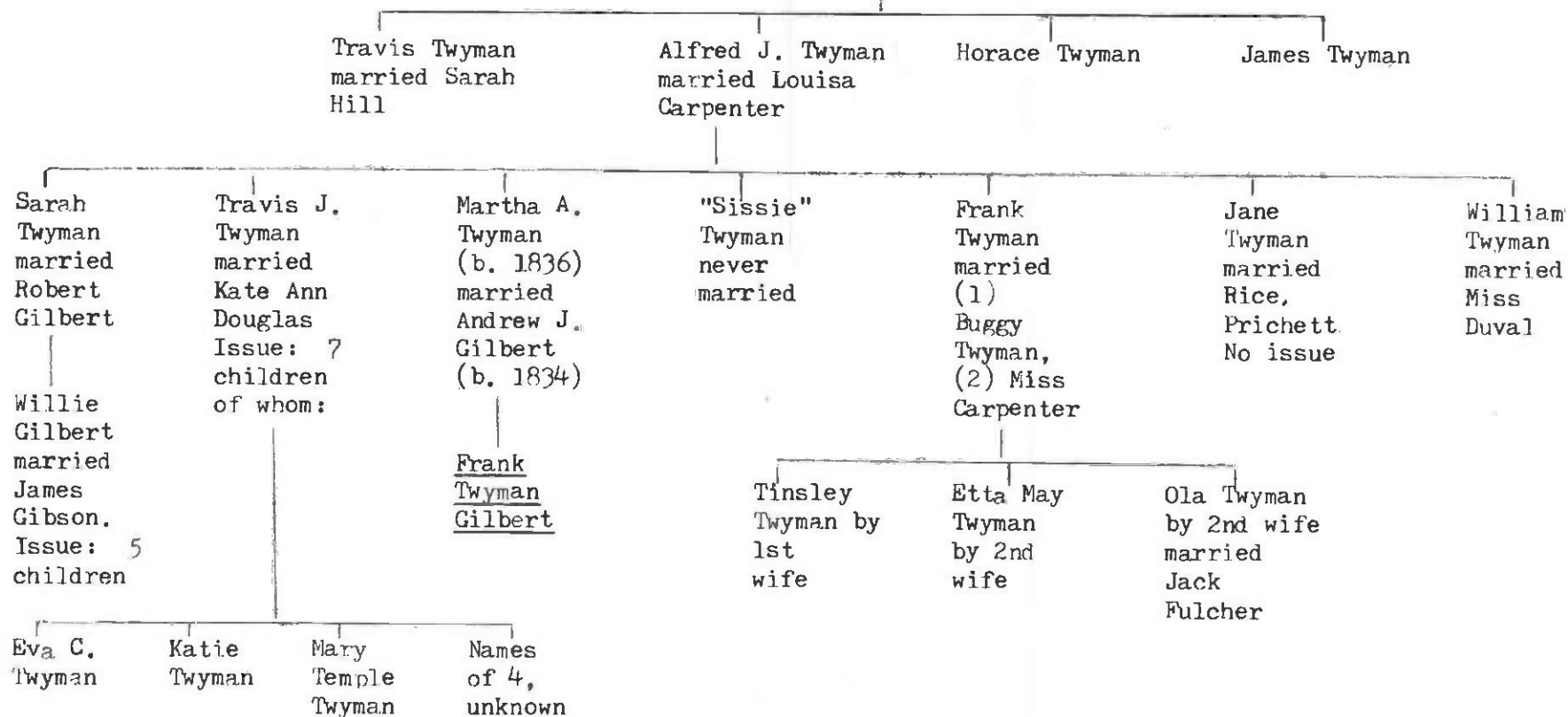
Grand-uncles: Horace Twyman. James Twyman and Travis Twyman who married Sarah Hill (all dead).

Great-grandparents: Reuben Twyman, married Drucilla Cowherd (both dead); haven't any record.

1/ No other source (whether a relative or not) mentions the existence of Jane Twyman.

The Genealogy of Frank Twyman Gilbert
of Burnley's, Virginia

Reuben Twyman⁵ (William II⁴; William I³
George II²; George I¹, the immigrant)
married Drucilla Cowherd



Source: Letter, dated April 11, 1918, sent by Frank Twyman Gilbert of Burnleys, Virginia, to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder of Armstrong, Missouri

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March 24, 1925

Mrs. Mary Twyman Klayder
617 Indiana Street
Neodesha, Kansas

My dear Mrs. Klayder:

I am very sorry indeed that I did not answer your other letter, but frankly I have been intending to go home and thought possibly I could get some information for you with reference to the Twyman family. I have never been able to keep much track of my relatives.

I was named for my uncle, Twyman Harper, who I think was named for Doctor Twyman. Other than that I know very little about that branch of the family. My uncle lived at Utica, Missouri, but later moved to California where he died.

There is a Miss Thelma Twyman who lives at Nevada, my home town, but she is no relative of mine. I thought possibly you might like to get in touch with her. When I get home I will do my very best to get you some further information.

Thanking you for calling my attention to this matter, I am

Yours very truly,
(signed)

Twyman William Harper

H.O.

Mrs. L. W. Harry
Hopkinsville, Kentucky
April 17, 1917

Mrs. Paul A. Klayder

Dear Friend:

I received your letter addressed to my father, James Alvin Twyman, but he has been dead three years.

Of his father's family there were 7 children, 3 boys, (1) John A. Twyman, (2) James A. Twyman, and (3) William W. Twyman; and 4 girls: (1) Sallie Twyman; (2) Emily F. Twyman; (3) Annie E. Twyman; and (4) Lucy J. Twyman. Lucy J. Twyman is the only member of his immediate family who is still living.

James Alvin Twyman's father was Kirtley Twyman. His mother was Elizabeth Phaup before her marriage. My father was born on April 8, 1832. He married Lucy A. Price on June 16, 1853. To them were given 8 children: (1) Lizzie W. Twyman, born May 13, 1854; (2) Emma P. Twyman, born August 2, 1856, deceased; (3) Joseph Kirtley Twyman, born October 16, 1858; (4) Richard W. Twyman, who was born on February 11, 1861, deceased; (5) Fannie J. Twyman, born on February 24, 1872, deceased; (6) George L. Twyman, born September 4, 1877.

My father received letters from a Mrs. Lewis about 4 years before his death. She lives in Chicago, if I am not mistaken. I thought I had her letters and looked, but as I have been sick and did not feel like worrying any longer, I could not find them.

I am the eldest of my father's family, Lizzie W. Harry. I married Thomas J. Harry on May 21, 1874. I have three children: (1) Emma P. Fox, born on April 2, 1875; (2) Cora T. Hester, born on September 8, 1877; (3) Georgia W. Stewart, born on September 20, 1879. I could give you the uncles' and Aunts' families, but I will have to stop. I am feeling so nervous I can hardly write.

Hoping that I can find the other papers. If so, I will let you know.

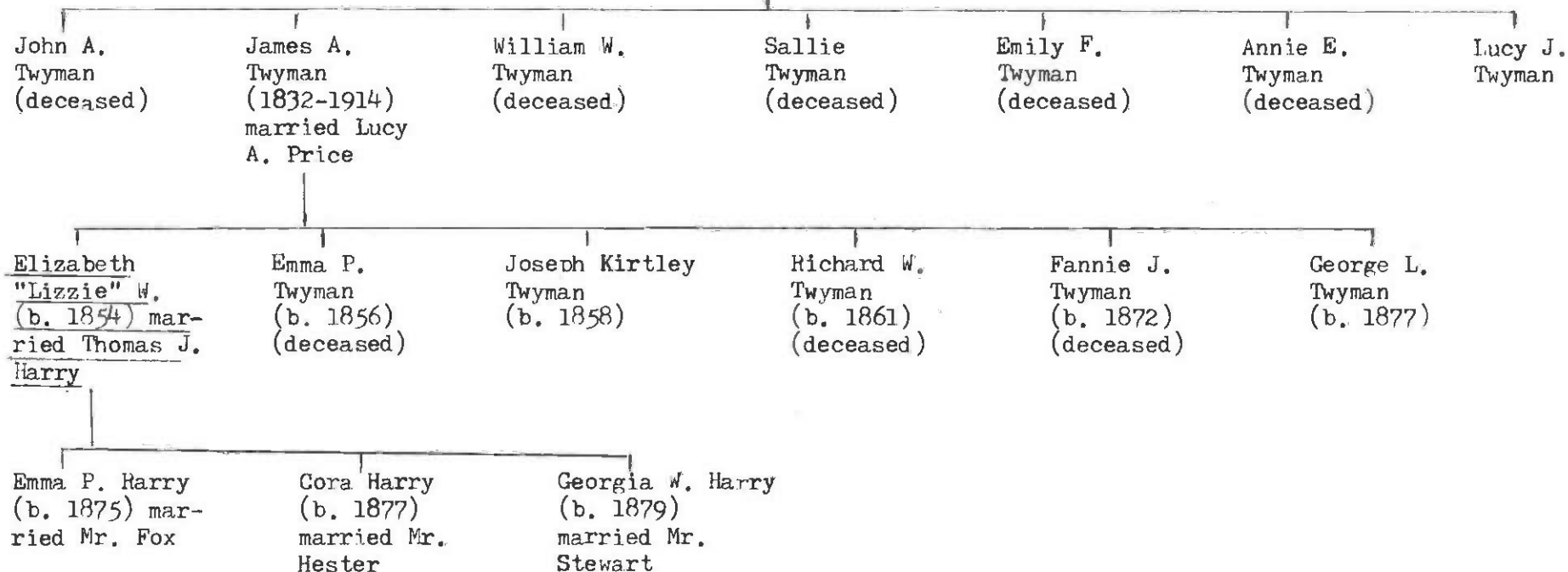
Yours with respect,

(signed)

Mrs. L. W. Harry, Hopkinsville,
Kentucky

Genealogy of Mrs. L. W. Harry (née Elizabeth "Lizzie" Twyman)
of Hopkinsville, Kentucky

Kirtley Twyman married Elizabeth Phaup



Source: Letter, dated April 17, 1917, from Mrs. L. W. Harry (née Elizabeth "Lizzie" W. Twyman), of Hopkinsville, Kentucky, to Mrs. Paul A. Klayder