Descendants of JACOB HUTHMACHER

Generation No. 1

1. JACOB¹ HUTHMACHER was born May.16.1746 in GERMANY, and died May.16.1821 in NORTHAMPTON COUNTY,PA. He married ANNA MARIE HELLER Unknown in PA.

Notes for JACOB HUTHMACHER:

MY MANY THANKS TO OUR COUSIN, CARL FREDERICK JENKINS, 9520 WESSEX PI, LOUISVILLE, KY 40222. ON DECEMBER 20, 1995, FOR HIS CONTRIBUTION AND RESEARCH.

- A. BORN MAY 16, 1746. (REF. TO SOURCE #5)
- B. DIED MAY 16, 1821. (REF. TO SOURCE #5)
- C. IMMIGRATED TO AMERICA ON THE SHIP, "MINERVA" SEPTEMBER 17, 1771 AT PHILADELPHIA, PA FROM ROTTERDAM. (REF. TO SOURCE #1)
- D. LISTED OCCUPATION AS "HATMAKER".
- E. BECAME A FARMER. (REF. TO SOURCE #8)
- F. TAX ROLL, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, HAMILTON TWP. 1786: JACOB HAD 130 ACRES, 2 HORSES, 2 COWS, (OF 38 NAMES ON PAGE), WAS THE 12TH LARGEST HOLDING. (REF. TO SOURCE #8)
- G. ANNA & JACOB BOTH ARE BURIED IN SALEM CEMETARY, AKA PLEASANT VALLEY CEMETARY. (REF. TO SOURCE #5)
- H. JOINED "AMERICAN REVOLUTION" --- NAME ON MUSTER ROLL OF CAPT. HENRY SHADES, PENNSYLVANIA RIFLE REGIMENT, MARCH 6, 1776. ALSO KNOWN AS "MILES REGIMENT". (REF. TO SOURCE #7)
- I. NAME ON ROLL OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY MILITIA, 5TH COMPANY, 5TH BATTERY, YEAR 1781, CAPT. RICHARD SHAW. (REF. TO SOURCE #3, pp 415)
- J. NAME ON ROLL OF NORTHAMPTON COUNTY MILITIA, 8TH COMPANY, 5TH BATTERY, YEAR 1782, CAPT RICHARD SHAW. (REF. TO SOURCE #3), pp403)
- K. JACOB HUTHMACHER CAME TO THIS COUNTRY FROM GERMANY AT THE AGE OF SIXTEEN, (THE FAMILY COULD BE WRONG SINCE THE BIRTH DATE AND USA ARRIVAL DON'T MATCH), JOINING THE REVOLUTIONARY ARMY AND BECAME GEORGE WASHINGTON'S BODY GUARD. (REF. TO SOURCE #4)
- L. THIS REPORT FROM NEWSPAPER ARTICLE DATED 1909 NOT CONFERMED. (REF. TO SOURCE #6)

NOTE:

IT IS NOT PROVEN WEITHER ALL THESE LISTINGS OF JACOB HUTHMACKER REFER TO THE SAME PERSON. I DON'T KNOW WHEN JACOB CAME TO NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PA, WHICH IS NOW KNOWN AS MONROE COUNTY. THE PENNSYLVANIA CENSUS INDEX GIVES SOME INDICATION THAT THE LACK OF EDUCATION AND/OR THE INABILITY TO READ OR

UNDERSTAND THE LANGUAGE HAS LED TO THE MANY DIFFERENT SPELLINGS OF OUR NAME. EXAMPLE: HUTMACHER, HUTEMAKER, HUTHMACKER, HATMAKER, HUTHMAKER. EVEN TODAY HUTCHMAKER & HUFFMAKER SEEM TO BE POPULAR.

I HAVE TO BELIVE THAT THE WAY THE NAME SOUNDED WAS THE REASON FOR THE MANY DIFFERENT SPELLINGS. I ALSO BELIEVE THAT ALL PERSONS FROM PENNSYLVANIA COUNTIES OF NORTHAMPTON, EFFORT MONROE, LACKAWANNA AND LUZERNE WERE OF THE SAME FAMILY. I HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO OFFICIALLY CONNECT JACOB HUTHMACHER AS THE BEGINNING OF OUR HISTORY IN AMERICA. HOWEVER, I BELIEVE THAT JACOB IS THE MAN WE HAVE BEEN LOOKING FOR

"SOURCES"

- (1). STRASSBURGER, R.B. & PENNSYLVANIA GERMAN PIONEERS, PENNSYLVANIA GERMAN SOCIETY, NORRISTOWN, PA.
- (2). ADMINSTRATION PAPERS JULY 15, 1821, FILE #3423, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY HILTORICAL & GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY, 101 AOUTH 45H ST, EASTON, PA., 18042.
- (3). PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, SERIES FIVE, VOLUMN 8, pp400-403, 408-415.
- (4). ORITUARY OF DAVID MOSES HUTHMAKER DEC. 23, 1909 DESCRIBING UNNAMED GRANDFATHER.
- (5). LETTER, MAY 20, 1992, MONROE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY.
- (6). ALDERFER, NORTHAMPTON HERITAGE, p159, GEORGE WASHINGTON'S VISITED THE COUNTY JULY 25-26, 1782. ALSO SKETCHES OF EARLY BETHLEHEM, RICHMOND E. MYERS, pp125-127 DESCRIBES ACCOUNTS OF WASHINGTON'S VISIT. NO MENTION OF THE LOCAL MILITIA. "A NUMBER OF STORIES ABOUT HIS VISIT WHICH WERE HANDED DOWN BY WORD OF MOUTH, HAVE BEEN ACCEPTED BY MANY AS FACT, BUT NONE CAN STAND ON ACTUAL EVIDENCE. (MY THEORY IS THAT JACOB WAS PART OF THE LOCAL MILITIA AND IT STANDS TO REASON THAT THE LOCAL MILITIA HAD TO GUARD WASHINGTON WHEN HE VISITED THE COUNTY, THEREFORE, ANY BODY IN THE LOCAL MILITIA COULD SAY THAT "I GUARDED GEORGE WASHINGTON".)
- (7). PENNSYLVANIA ARCHIVES, FIFTH SERIES VOLUMN 2, & HISTORICAL COMMISION 1775-1783.
- (8). PENNSYLVANIA ARCRCHIVES THIRD SERIES VOLUMN XIX p276.
- (9). HISTORICAL RESEARCH CENTER.

More About JACOB HUTHMACHER:

Fact 1: Sep.17.1771, IMMIGRATED TO AMERICA IN THE SHIP "MINERVA" AT PHILADEPHPIA, PA FROM ROTTERDAM.

Fact 2: 1776, NAME APPEARED ON THE MUSTER ROLL OF THE "PA RIFLE REGIMENT" COM, BY CAPT SHADES.

Fact 3: 1781, NAME ON MUSTER ROLL OF COUNTY MILITIA, 5TH CO., 5TH BAT., COM. BY CAPT

SHAW.

Fact 4: 1782, NAME ON MUSTER ROLL OF COUNTY MILITIA, 5TH CO., 8TH BAT., COM. BY CAPT. SHAW.

Fact 5: Mar.6.1776, JOINED THE "AMERICAN REVOLUTION".

Fact 6: LISTED AS "HATMAKER", AND BECAME A "FARMER".

Fact 8: NORTHAMPTON, COUNTY, HAMILTON, PA

Fact 10: 1786, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, HAMILTON, TWP. TAX ROLL AS 12TH LARGEST HOLDINGS.

Fact 11: JACOB AND WIFE ANNA ARE BOTH BUIRED IN, "SALEM, AKA PLEASANT VALLEY" CEMETARY.

Fact 12: Jul.25.1782, GEORGE WASHINGTON VISITED COUNTY FOR TWO DAYS.

Fact 13: Jul.26.1782, THEORY---JACOB PART OF MILITIA THAT GUARDED WASHINGTON.

Children of JACOB HUTHMACHER and ANNA HELLER are:

- i. DAVID² HUTHMAKER, b. May. 9.1788, NORTHAMPTON CO., PA; d. Nov. 10.1860, RANSOM, PA.
 - ii. ADAM HUTHMAKER, b. Unknown.
 - iii. ANTHONY HUTHMAKER, b. Unknown.

More About ANTHONY HUTHMAKER:

Fact 1: Unknown, Baptised Christ Hamilton Church, Hamilton Twp, PA (now in Monroe County)

iv. JOHN HUTHMAKER, b. Unknown.

More About JOHN HUTHMAKER:

Fact 1: Unknown, Baptised Christ Hamilton Church, Hamilton Twp, PA (now in Monroe County)

v. JOSEPH HUTHMAKER, b. Unknown.

Generation No. 2

2. DAVID² HUTHMAKER (JACOB ¹ HUTHMACHER) was born May. 9. 1788 in NORTHAMPTON CO., PA, and died Nov. 10. 1860 in RANSOM, PA. He married CATHERINE MEIXEL Unknown, daughter of MICHAEL MIXSELL and CATHERINE FRANTZ.

Notes for DAVID HUTHMAKER:

RESEARCHER AND COMPILER OF ALL THE FAMILY DATA IS: CARL FREDERICK JENKINS: 9520 WESSEX PI, IOUISVILLE, KY 40222

FROM "WILKES BARRE COURT HOUSE" SEPTEMBER 1990.

1834 assessment, chestnut hill twp, 2h 2c val \$250. moved his family to Ransom, PA in 1835. (see source #1)

He is one of the Township Trustees (then Exeter Township) named in the deed for the meeting house and burying ground at Ransom giving by John Dershimer May 21, 1846 (DB 75/106, Luzerne Co.)

Purchased 210 acres in Exeter Township from James Harding, for \$631, April 11, 1845 (DB 42/952, Luzerne Co.)

Purchased 138 acres in Ransom Township from Joseph Krause est. for \$200, Oct 3, 1859, DB77/575.

SOURCES:

(1). STEPHENS, J.B., COMPILER, HISTORY AND DIRECTORY OF NEWTON AND RANSOM TOWNSHIPS, LACKAWANA COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, 1754-1912, MONTROSE, PA. J.B. STEPHENS, PUBLISHER, 1912. pp 172, 200.

NOTE:

LACKAWANA CO. ESTABL. 4/17/1878, FORMERLY IN LUZERN CO. RANSOM TWP, ESTABL. 1849, FORMERILY IN EXETER TWP.

More About DAVID HUTHMAKER:

Fact 1: Unknown, Baptised Christ Hamilton Church, Hamilton Twp, PA (now in Monroe County)

Fact 6: Unknown, Farmer

Notes for CATHERINE MEIXEL:

RESEARCH AND COMPILED BY CARL FREDERICK JENKINS, 9520 WESSEX PL, LOUISVILLE, KY, :

SOURCES:

б.

- (1). DATE FROM BAPTISMAL RECORD SALEM UNION OR CHURCH OF PEACE LUTHERAN & REFORMED CONGREGATION, CHESTNUT HILL TWP, NORTHAMPTON CO., PA (NOW GILBERT MONROE CO.)
- (2). STEVENS, J.B., COMPILER. HISTORY AND DIRECTORY OF NEWTON AND RANSOM TWP, LACKAWANNA CO., PA 1754-1912.
- (3). LETTER 5/21/92 MONROE CO HISTORICAL ASSOC.

Children of DAVID HUTHMAKER and CATHERINE MEIXEL are:

- i. JACOB³ HUTHMAKER, b. Mar.11.1816, MONROE COUNTY, PA; d. May.8.1900, RANSOM, PA.
 - ii. MARIA HUTHMAKER, b. May.17.1818.
 - iii. CATHRINE HUTHMAKER, b. Dec.3.1820.
 - iv. THOMAS HUTHMAKER, b. Jul.18.1823.
 - v. JULIAN HUTHMAKER, b. Oct. 10.1825.
- vi. MICHAEL MARTIN HUTHMAKER, b. 1828, HONESDALE, PA; d. Nov. 18. 1900, ROCK ISLAND, IL.
 - vii. JAMES MOSES HUTHMAKER, b. 1828.
- viii. DAVID MOSES HUTHMAKER, b. Sep.4.1833, EFFORT MONROE CO., PA; d. Dec.22.1909, RANSOM, PA.

Generation No. 3

3. JACOB³ HUTHMAKER (DAVID², JACOB¹ HUTHMACHER) was born Mar.11.1816 in MONROE COUNTY, PA¹, and died May.8.1900 in RANSOM, PA². He married DOLLY SIGLIN Feb.8.1835 in MONROE COUNTY, daughter of JACOB SIGLIN and SUSAN SINGER.

Children of JACOB HUTHMAKER and DOLLY SIGLIN are:

- THOMAS J.4 HUTHMAKER, b. Aug. 1.1847, RANSOM, PA; d. Unknown, UNKNOWN.
 - ii. SUSAN HUTHMAKER, b. Unknown3.
- iii. CATHERINE HUTHMAKER, b. Unknown4.
- iv. MARY HUTHMAKER, b. Unknown⁵.
- 4. MICHAEL MARTIN³ HUTHMAKER (DAVID², JACOB¹ HUTHMACHER) was born 1828 in HONESDALE, PA, and died Nov. 18.1900 in ROCK ISLAND, IL⁶. He married LUELLA HURTON.

Children of MICHAEL HUTHMAKER and LUELLA HURTON are:

- i. LUELLA⁴ HUTHMAKER, b. Sep. 8. 1874, OTTAWA, IL; d. Feb. 9. 1965, ROCK ISLAND, IL.
- ii. CHARLES FREDERICK HUTHMAKER, b. May. 13.1878, ROCK ISLAND, IL; d. Mar. 26.1956, ROCK ISLAND, IL.
 - iii. PHILLIP WILLARD HUTHMAKER, b. Jun. 19.1885, ROCK ISLAND, IL., d. Aug. 5.1959, ROCK ISLAND, IL.

More About PHILLIP WILLARD HUTHMAKER:

Fact 1: 9
Fact 2: 10

5. DAVID MOSES³ HUTHMAKER (DAVID², JACOB¹ HUTHMACHER) was born Sep.4.1833 in EFFORT MONROE CO., PA¹¹, and died Dec.22.1909 in RANSOM, PA¹². He married (1) BARBARA ANN DORSHEIMER Jul.2.1859. He married (2) ANNA HARLOS Unknown.

Notes for DAVID MOSES HUTHMAKER:

THIS ARTICLE WAS TAKEN OUT OF A NEWS PAPER DATED DECEMBER 23 1909:

SQUIRE D. M. HUTHMAKER OF REVOLUTIONARY STOCK DIES AT RANSOM. D. M. HUTHMAKER AT THE AGE OF 76 YEARS PAST AWAY AT HIS HOME IN RANSOM OF ARTERIAL SCLEROSIS YESTERDAY MORNING AT THREE O'CLOCK. HE WAS OF REVOLUTIONARY STOCK. HIS GRANDFATHER CAME TO THIS COUNTRY FROM GERMANY AT THE AGE OF SIXTEEN, JOINING THE REVOLUTIONARY ARMY AND BECAME GEORGE WASHINGTON'S BODYGUARD. HIS FATHER TOOK UP RESIDENCE IN RANSOM, PA. IN 1835, WHICH NOW CONSTITUTES THE HEART OF WEST PITTSTON OR WHAT WAS KNOWN AS THE JUDGE CUNNINGHAM FARM IN RANSOM. IN 1852, AT NINETEEN YEARS OF AGE, D. M. HUTHMAKER ASSISTED IN SURVEYING THE LOWER END OF THE STATE CANAL. IN 1857 HE WAS ELECTED CONSTABLE OF LUZERNE COUNTY. HIS FIRST WORK OF COMMISSION WAS TO SERVE FORTY TWO WRITS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTY. HE PERFORMED THIS ON FOOT AND ON ONE OCCASION WALKED FORTY MILES IN ONE DAY. HE WAS ELECTED JUSTICE OF RANSOM TOWNSHIP IN THE SPRING OF 1862. HE WAS 29 YEARS OF AGE AND HELD THIS OFFICE UNTIL HIS DEATH MAKING TEN

CONSECUTIVE TERMS OF FIVE YEARS EACH. HE FILLED THE OFFICE OF TOWN CLERK FOR MORE THAN THIRTY YEARS, SCHOOL DIRECTOR FOR SEVEN YEARS, ALSO FILLING THE CHAIR OF JUDGE OF ELECTION AND TOWN AUDITOR. HE WAS FIRST LIEUTENANT OF THE UNION INVINCIBLES OF PA. HE SETTLED ON THE GILES SLOCUM FARM WHICH TODAY IS THE SITE OF THE OLD GARDNER CEMETERY. IN 1846 HE DEEDED THIS LAND TO THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION. HE WAS A MAN OF STERLING CHARACTER WHO PROVED IN BUSINESS THAT "HIS WORD WAS AS GOOD AS HIS NOTE". HE WAS A SINCERE CHRISTIAN AND A GREAT BIBLE STUDENT AND WAS A MEMBER OF THE PRESBYTERIAN-LUTHERAN CHURCH STILL SITUATED ON THE FARM.

DAVID MOSES HUTHMAKER BOUGHT LAND IN RANSOM TOWNSHIP FROM JACOB DERSHIMER ESTATE, DECEMBER 6 1873, (COURT HOUSE WILKES BARRE DB172/358.

BUIRED IN LUTHERAN CEMETERY, RANSOM, PA

More About DAVID MOSES HUTHMAKER:

Fact 6: PUBLIC SERVANT

Fact 7: STERLING CHARACTER, BIBLE SCHOLAR

Fact 8: RANSOM, PA

Fact 9: PRESBYTERIAN-LUTHERAN CHURCH

Fact 10: 1ST LIEUTENANT OF THE "UNION INVINCIBLES"

Fact 11: SERVED AS CLERK FOR 15 YEARS, AUDITOR,

Fact 12: JUDGE OF ELECTION, SCHOOL DIRECTOR 7 YEARS

Fact 13: JUSTICE OF THE PEACE - 1862-1877

Cause of Death: CYRROSIS

Notes for BARBARA ANN DORSHEIMER:

RESEARCHED AND COMPILED BY CARL FREDERICK JENKINS!

SOURCES:

- (1). GENEALOGY BY MARION HOPKINS COOLEY.
- (2). NAMES & DATES FROM NOTES BY ETHEL HOPKINS.

Children of DAVID HUTHMAKER and BARBARA DORSHEIMER are:

- i. FRANK ELMER⁴ HUTHMAKER, b. Jun.4.1861, RANSOM, PA; d. Mar.2.1934, WEST PITTSTON, PA.
- ii. ALICE MAY HUTHMAKER, b. Jan. 19.1863, RANSOM, PA; d. Aug. 16.1932, Pittston or Wilkes Barre, PA.
- 11. iii. ADDIE JERSULA HUTHMAKER, b. Dec.2.1865, RANSOM, PA; d. Jul.17.1959, WEST PITTSTON, PA.
 - DORA ANN HUTHMAKER, b. Jun.3.1868, RANSOM, PA; d. Mar.9.1958, DALLAS, PA¹³; m. WILLIAM MAAS.

Child of DAVID HUTHMAKER and ANNA HARLOS is:

v. ROY HARLOS⁴ HUTHMAKER, b. Jun.22.1889, RANSOM, PA. d. Feb.11.1975, SCRANTON, PA.

Generation No. 4

6. THOMAS J.* HUTHMAKER (JACOB*, DAVID*, JACOB* HUTHMACHER) was born Aug.1.1847 in RANSOM, PA¹⁴, and died Unknown in UNKNOWN. He married (1) JULIA SHELLENBURGER Apr.19.1874 in RANSOM, PA. He married (2) ELIZA COURTRIGHT Apr.26.1882¹⁵.

Child of THOMAS HUTHMAKER and JULIA SHELLENBURGER is:

 CATHERINE⁵ HUTHMAKER, b. Sep.18.1875, RANSOM, PA¹⁶; m. WARREN DORNBLAZER, Feb.1.1894.

Children of THOMAS HUTHMAKER and ELIZA COURTRIGHT are:

- IDELLA⁵ HUTHMAKER, b. Jun. 15.1883, LACKAWANNA COUNTY, PA¹⁷; m. EDWIN STOUT, Nov. 18.1903, LACKAWANNA COUNTY, PA¹⁸.
- EDNA G. HUTHMAKER, b. Jul.2.1886, LACKAWANNA COUNTY, PA¹⁹; m. ADAM B. MILLER, Nov.28.1906²⁰.
- iv. THOMAS E. HUTHMAKER, b. Jun.4.1892, RANSOM, PA²¹; d. 1953; m. HELEN ATEN.
- v. RHALDA R. HUTHMAKER, b. Feb.26.1899, LACKAWANNA COUNTY, PA²².
- 7. LUELLA⁴ HUTHMAKER (MICHAEL MARTIN³, DAVID², JACOB¹ HUTHMACHER) was born Sep.8.1874 in OTTAWA, IL, and died Feb.9.1965 in ROCK ISLAND, IL²³. She married Franklin Dayton SEWARD Sep.15.1909.

More About LUELLA HUTHMAKER:

Fact 2: 24

Children of LUELLA HUTHMAKER and FRANKLIN SEWARD are:

 PHILLIP FRANKLIN⁵ SEWARD, b. Aug.7.1910, ROCK ISLAND, IL; d. Jan.2.1978, BYROM, IL; m. SULAH FERGUSON, Jul.20.1935.

More About PHILLIP FRANKLIN SEWARD: Fact 2: ²⁵

- ii. LUELLA SEWARD, b. Jun.12.1912, ROCK ISLAND, IL; d. Jun.12.1912, ROCK ISLAND, IL.
- iii. VIRGINIA SEWARD, b. Jun. 12.1912, ROCK ISLAND, IL; d. Jun. 12.1912, ROCK ISLAND, IL.
- iv. HELEN ELIZABETH SEWARD, b. May.2.1915, ROCK ISLAND, IL; m. GLENN D. PATTERSON, Apr.1.1942, PALMYRA, MO.
- 8. CHARLES FREDERICK4 HUTHMAKER (MICHAEL MARTIN3, DAVID2, JACOB1 HUTHMACHER) was

born May.13.1878 in ROCK ISLAND, IL²⁶, and died Mar.26.1956 in ROCK ISLAND, IL²⁷. He married GERTRUDE BECK Jan.18.1911 in ROCK ISLAND, IL.

More About CHARLES FREDERICK HUTHMAKER:

Fact 1: 28

Fact 2: 29

Child of CHARLES HUTHMAKER and GERTRUDE BECK is:

- PEGGY DOROTHEA⁵ HUTHMAKER, b. May.22.1916, ROCK ISLAND, IL; m. ROBERT WILLIAM CHRISTENSEN.
- 9. FRANK ELMER⁴ HUTHMAKER (DAVID MOSES³, DAVID², JACOB¹ HUTHMACHER) was born Jun.4.1861 in RANSOM, PA, and died Mar.2.1934 in WEST PITTSTON, PA. He married IDA MAY HARFORD Oct.14.1888.

Children of FRANK HUTHMAKER and IDA HARFORD are:

 ELMER CLARENCE⁵ HUTHMAKER, b. Feb.13.1889, RANSOM, PA; d. Nov.19.1959, CLARKS SUMMIT, PA; m. MYRTLE ANN HINDERLE, Sep.1.1909, PITTSTON, PA.

More About ELMER CLARENCE HUTHMAKER: Fact 9: ST PETERS LUTHERAN CHURCH, PITTSTON, PA

DAVID MOSES HUTHMAKER, b. Jun.20.1891, SCHULTZVILLE, PA; d. Apr.14.1959, PITTSTON, PA;
 m. FLORENCE RICHARDS, Oct.21.1913, WEST PITTSTON, PA.

More About DAVID MOSES HUTHMAKER:

Fact 6: WILLIAMS PAPER CO. - SCHOOL POLICEMAN

Fact 8: 511 1/2 LUZERNE AVE, W. PITTSTON, PA

Fact 9: FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH - MENS CLUB

- FORREST OLIVER HUTHMAKER, b. Jan.3.1893, WEST PITTSTON, PA; d. Aug.11.1960, CLEVELAND, OH³⁰, m. MARY RICHENS, Jun.5.1912.
- iv. ROLAND TERRY HUTHMAKER, b. Sep.30.1896, WEST PITTSTON, PA³¹; d. Mar.4.1985, N. LITTLE ROCK, AR³²; m. (1) FRIEDA DELPHEMA BROWN, Apr.17.1917, WEST PITTSTON, PA; m. (2) ELLA IRENE WHICHARD, Apr.30.1941, PEDAL, MS.

Notes for ROLAND TERRY HUTHMAKER:

FOLLOWING IS A LETTER WRITTEN TO CHARLES NELSON HUTHMAKER FOLLOWING THE STROKE OF HIS FATHER ROLAND FROM HIS NEPHEW ELMER KENNETH (KEN) HUTHMAKER ON DEC 20 1984!!!

DEAR CHARLES,

LET ME TELL YOU ABOUT YOUR DAD AND HOW MUCH HE HAS MEANT TO ME OVER THE YEARS. AS THE ELDEST OF OUR GENERATION, I WAS FORTUNATE IN KNOWING ALL OF MY UNCLES, AS YOU KNOW, MY DAD WAS THE ELDEST BROTHER, FOLLOWED BY UNCLE DAVID, UNCLE FORREST, UNCLE WILLARD, AND UNCLE HARRY, WHOM YOU MAY NOT HAVE KNOWN AS HE DIED IN 1958. IT IS UNCLE HARRY WHOM I THOUGHT YOU RESEMBLED WHEN I SAW YOU FOR THE FIRST TIME AFTER YOU HAD GROWN. I KNEW YOU, OF COURSE, AS A LITTLE BOY BUT YOU GREW TO BE TALL LIKE YOUR UNCLE HARRY AND OUR GREAT UNCLE ROY, BILL HUTHMAKER'S DAD.

AS A LITTLE BOY, I SPENT A LOT OF TIME WITH YOUR DAD WHEN HE USED TO LIVE WITH MY MOTHER AND DAD BEFORE HE MET AND MARRIED YOUR MOTHER. AS A YOUNG MAN HE WORKED IN WEST PITTSTON FOR THE SAME MAN MY DAD WORKED WITH, A WALTER SPRY, WHO WAS THE LEADING PAINT CONTRACTOR IN WEST PITTSTON. YOUR DAD AND ALL THE BROTHERS, EXCEPT HARRY, WERE IN THE 109TH FIELD ARTILLERY OF THE PENNSYLVANIA NATIONAL GUARD. YOUR DAD BEING THE "BUGLER". OF COURSE, AS YOU KNOW, UNCLE ROLLIE WAS AN EXCELLENT MUSICIAN. I THOUGHT NOBODY COULD PLAY THE TROMBONE LIKE HE COULD, AND I'M SURE MANY OTHERS SHARED MY OPINION. IN FACT, UNCLE ROLLIE, MY DAD ELMER, AND GUY FRICK WITH HIS BROTHER, RAYMOND,

HAD AN ORCHESTRA. MY DAD PLAYED THE PIANO, RAY FRICK THE CORNET, AND RAY THE VIOLIN. I THINK THAT THE MAN YOUR AUNT BETTY, (YOUR MOTHER'S SISTER), MARRIED WAS ALSO IN THE GROUP. UNCLE ROLLIE COULD HAVE BEEN PART OF A BIG NAME BAND BUT, BECAUSE YOUR MOTHER DIDN'T LIKE THE IDEA OF HIS TRAVELING AND BEING AWAY FROM HOME, HE GAVE UP THE IDEA.

I REMEMBER WHEN THE 109TH WENT TO SUMMER ENCAMPMENT AT MOUNT GRETNA AND MOTHER AND I SPENT SOME TIME THERE. I WAS ONLY THREE YEARS OLD BUT BECAUSE OF THE NOVELTY OF THE THING, I REMEMBER GETTING UP IN THE MORNING WHEN YOUR DAD SOUNDED REEVEILLE, AND YOUR DAD WOULD TAKE ME ALL AROUND THE CAMP IN HIS FREE TIME, AND HIS GETTING ME HERSHEY BARS.

YOUR DAD WAS LIKE ANOTHER FATHER TO ME. I USED TO THINK THAT EVERY BODY KNEW MY UNCLE ROLLIE. HE WAS VERY FRIENDLY WITH PEOPLE FROM THE "REITHOFFER CARNIVAL" AND USED TO TAKE ME THERE, AND I'D RIDE FREE ON ALL THE RIDES.

HE GAVE ME MY FIRST INTRODUCTION TO THE MOVIES WHEN HE USED TO TAKE ME TO THE HIPPRODROME THEATRE IN PITTSTON EVERY SATURDAY TO SEE THE SERIAL "TARZEN OF THE APES" WITH ELMO LINCOLN.

I LOVED ALL MY UNCLES, BUT YOUR DAD I LOVED THE MOST. AS I GREW OLDER HE WAS LIKE AN OLDER BROTHER TO ME, AND HELPED ME ALONG THE WAY, THE TIME WAS IN 1928 WHEN I WAS DETERMINED TO LEARN HOW TO FLY AND I LIVED IN CLEVELAND WITH YOUR DAD AND MOTHER, WHO WAS A WONDERFUL LADY - A QUEEN. HE HELPED ME TO GET A JOB AT THE BAILEY COMPANY.

WE COME OF GOOD STOCK, CHARLES, THERE WAS NOT ANY OF THE BROTHERS WHO WAS ANYTHING BUT A CREDIT TO ALL WHO KNEW THEM, FINE MEN. I NEVER KNEW ANY THAT HAD ANY BAD HABITS, THE BEST THAT COULD BE AS HUSBAND AND FATHER.

THERE IS SO MUCH MORE THAT I COULD SAY OF MY AFFECTION FOR ALL OF THEM. I FOR ONE, AM PROUD TO BE A HUTHMAKER, AND I KNOW YOU ARE TOO. THERE IS NO GREATER LEGACY TO BE PASSED ON TO US. WHEN THEY HAVE ALL LEFT US WE WILL HAVE REMAINING WONDERFUL MEMORIES.

LOVE, KEN

HISTORY OF RESIDENCE:

NOV 1941 - DALTON, PA

AUG 1942 - CAMDEN, N.J.

DEC 1942 - PASCAGOULA, MS

DEC 1946 - GRAND BAY, AL

1948 - PASCAGOULA, MS

1950 - BILOXI, MS

1957- HATTIESBURG, MS

1984- BENTON, AR (W/SON CHARLES)

More About ROLAND TERRY HUTHMAKER:

Fact 1: Aug. 8.1916, PTITSTON BATTERY - SERVICE MEXICAN BORDER

Fact 6: PAINTER AND PAPER HANGER

Fact 7: MUSIC, ARMY BAND 17 YEARS, VERY FRIENDLY

Fact 8: HATTIESBURG, MS

Fact 9: MAIN STREET METHODIST HATTIESBURG, MS

Cause of Death: STROKE

Medical Information: No Heart disease, No High blood pressure, Stroke, Cancer, No Addictions, No Alzheimer's, No Mental illness, No Diabetes

More About FRIEDA DELPHEMA BROWN:

Fact 6: HOUSEWIFE

Fact 10: A WONDERFUL LADY - A QUEEN!

More About ELLA IRENE WHICHARD:

Fact 6: HOUSEWIFE - MUSIC TEACHER

Fact 7: MUSIC - ACCOMPLISHED ORGANIST AND PIANEST

Fact 8: HATTIESBURG, MS

Fact 9: METHODIST

Cause of Death: HEART DISEASE

Medical Information: Heart disease, High blood pressure, No Cancer, No Addictions, No Alzheimer's, No Mental illness, No Diabetes

v. WILLARD LESLIE HUTHMAKER, b. Aug.28.1898, WEST PITTSTON, PA; d. Jan.8.1985, MARION, IN; m. MARY ELVA GREGORY, Aug.6.1919, LAKE WINOLA, PA.

More About WILLARD LESLIE HUTHMAKER:

Fact 6: IGNITION SPECIALIST

Fact 7: AUTOMOBILES, GOOD PERSONALITY, CLOCKS

Fact 9: METHODIST

More About MARY ELVA GREGORY: Fact 8: 1406 BANZ RD ROGERS, AR 72756

yi. HARRY BENJAMIN HUTHMAKER, b. Mar. 14.1901, WEST PITTSTON, PA; d. Oct. 9.1959, SCRANTON, PA; m. ELSIE VIOLA FRENCH, Aug. 13.1924.

More About HARRY BENJAMIN HUTHMAKER:

Fact 6: ASST CASHIER NORTHEASTERN NATIONAL BANK

Fact 8: 712 N. MAIN ST. WEST PITTSTON, PA

Fact 9: BAPTIST

10. ALICE MAY⁴ HUTHMAKER (DAVID MOSES³, DAVID², JACOB ¹ HUTHMACHER) was born Jan.19.1863 in RANSOM, PA, and died Aug.16.1932 in Pittston or Wilkes Barre, PA. She married DAVID FRANCIS JENKINS Apr.8.1897.

Notes for ALICE MAY HUTHMAKER:

RESEARCHED AND COMPILED BY CARL FREDERICK JENKINS:

HOUSEWIFE. PLAYED THE ORGAN IN THE MEETING HOUSE AT RANSOM, PA. KNIT MITTENS AND SCARVES FOR THE CHILDREN OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD. (2) JOINED SCHULTZVILLE M.E. CHURCH-NEWTON CHARGE MAY 24, 1891 (3) RECEIVED FIRST M.E. CHURCH, WEST PITTSTON, PA OCT 7, 1895 (4)

SOURCES:

- (1). NEWSPAPER CLIPPING SAVED BY ETHEL HOPKINS, NIECE.
- (2). PERSONAL RECOLLECTIONS OF PEOPLE THAT KNEW HER.
- (3). INSCRIVED IN PROBATIONERS'S HANDBOOK OF THE CHURCH.
- (4). CHURCH RECORD.

Notes for DAVID FRANCIS JENKINS:

CARPENTER AND BUILDER OF HOUSES AND BARNS. HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH AND RECCORDING TO CARLE, WOULD NOT EXCHANGE MONEY OR CLASP HANDS ON THE BARGAIN ON SUNDAY, BUT HE WOULD HITCH UP HORSES, AND DRIVE OUT AND ESTIMATE THE JOB, WITH CARLE RIDING ALONG. HIS DEATH AT AGE 58 WAS DUE TO THROAT CANCER BROUGHT ON BY HEAVY SMOKING OF CIGARS.

Children of ALICE HUTHMAKER and DAVID JENKINS are:

- i. FRANCES LUCILE⁵ JENKINS, b. Mar.23.1900; d. Mar.23.1900.
- CARLE BRONG JENKINS, b. Aug.24.1905, PITTSTON, PA.; d. Dec.2.1965; m. EMPHEMIA REPP, Nov.23.1926, PITTSTON, PA.
- 11. ADDIE JERSULA4 HUTHMAKER (DAVID MOSES3, DAVID2, JACOB1 HUTHMACHER) was born

Dec.2.1865 in RANSOM, PA, and died Jul.17.1959 in WEST PITTSTON, PA. She married WILLARD D. HOPKINS Feb.29.1888.

Child of ADDIE HUTHMAKER and WILLARD HOPKINS is:

i. ETHEL IRENE⁵ HOPKINS, b. Feb.17.1889, SCHULTZVILLE, PA; d. Sep.8.1974, WEST PITTSTON, PA.

Notes for ETHEL IRENE HOPKINS: RESPONSIBLE FOR DORSHEIMER/HUTHMAKER HISTORY - AUG 1939

More About ETHEL IRENE HOPKINS:

Fact 1: Aug.4.1974, FIRST AIRPLANE RIDE AT 85 YRS OLD Fact 9: FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, W. PITTSTON Fact 10: ASSIGNED THE KEEPER OF FAMILY HISTORY 1939

12. ROY HARLOS⁴ HUTHMAKER (DAVID MOSES³, DAVID², JACOB¹ HUTHMACHER) was born Jun.22.1889 in RANSOM, PA³³, and died Feb.11.1975 in SCRANTON, PA³⁴. He married ADA WILSON Jun.1.1916.

Notes for ROY HARLOS HUTHMAKER:

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WAS RECEIVED FROM THE LACKAWANNA HISTORICAL SOCIETY GEORGE H. CATLIN HOUSE. COPIED FROM THE HISTORY OF RANSOM TOWNSHIP PAGE 201:

BORN ON A FARM OWNED BY W.A. HANTZ. HE ATTENDED RANSOM VALLEY SCHOOL UNTIL FOURTEEN YEARS OF AGE. ON SPETEMBER 20, 1905, HE ENTERED WYOMING SEMINARY, WHERE HE ATTENDED THREE YEARS, THE FIRST TWO YEARS TAKING A COLLEGE PREPARATORY COURSE AND THE LAST YEAR A COMMERCIAL COURSE. AFTER HIS SCHOOL DAYS HE RETURNED TO THE OLD FARM WHERE HE HELPED HIS FATHER UNTIL HIS DEATH. AFTER HIS FATHER'S DEATH, ROY AND HIS MOTHER PURCHASED THE PROPERTY KNOWN AS THE "SANDWAY" PLACE, OPPOSITE THE RANSOM DEPOT, WHERE THEY MOVED THE FIRST DAY OF APRIL, 1910. HIS MOTHER DIED AUGUST 20TH THE SAME YEAR.

ROY HAS NINE ACRES OF FLAT LAND ALONG THE SUSQUEHANNA RIVER WHERE HE RAISES TOMATOES, CABBAGE, CUCUMBERS, CORN, ETC., WHICH HE SELLS TO SCRANTON DEALERS, MAKING THREE AND FOUR TRIPS A WEEK DURING SUMMER MONTHS.

THE "SANDWAY" PLACE WAS BUILT IN 1864 BY JACOB BERTELS FOR A STORE, WHICH WAS PURCHASED BY FRED SANDWAY IN 1866, WHO KEPT A STORE AND A POST OFFICE HERE FOR FIFTEEN YEARS OR MORE. IT HAS BEEN USED FOR A PRIVATE DWELLING FOR SEVERAL YEARS, UNTIL PURCHASED FROM ROY HUTHMAKER BY J.P. VANOSTRAND IN APRIL, 1912. SINCE THEN IT HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY MR. VANOSTRAND FOR A STORE AND POST OFFICE.

More About ROY HARLOS HUTHMAKER:

Fact 6: FARMER

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Child of ROY HUTHMAKER and ADA WILSON is:

 WILLIAM HARLOS⁵ HUTHMAKER, b. Mar. 18. 1918; d. Jun. 1995, CLARKS SUMMIT, PA; m. CLARA MILLER, Jan. 28. 1939.

More About WILLIAM HARLOS HUTHMAKER:

Fact 6: INSURANCE SALESMAN - OWN BUSINESS

Fact 7: GOLF, MUSIC-SINGING

Fact 8: 507 GLEN BURN RD, CLARKS SUMMIT, PA 18411

Fact 9: PHONE: 717/342-5454

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