

WEEDMAN NEWSLETTER

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Hello Cousins,

News has been slow coming in this time, but we do have some. Some that has come in since our last Newsletter in December, that is.

On December 19, 1970, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Weedman of Grandview, Indiana, according to an announcement in the Tell City News. Also from the News, Mrs. Leonard Weedman of Tell City was in Daviess Co. (Ky.) Hospital, and Mrs. Vadie Weedman and daughter, Lajuana were attending church services in Gentryville, Indiana. Mr. & Mrs. Leonard Weedman and daughter, Brenda, visited Leonard's brother, Jim Weedman and family in Cloverport, Kentucky. These items all from the Tell City News. (Tell City, Indiana). From the Cannelton (Indiana) Tuesday News comes a darling picture of Miss Brenda Weedman, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. C. D. Weedman. There she is with her attendants at the Myers Grade School Halloween Festival where she was crowned Queen of the ceremonies.

C. D. Weedman, and Cecil Weedman, above, are brothers of Jake Weedman, Tell City. We need to know where Leonard Weedman fits in. Vadie is the widow of Mose Weedman, who passed away in 1969. Lajuana is her daughter. Maybe Jake and Nelda will solve this puzzle for us so we will be able to identify Leonard's family and Mose's for the June Newsletter.

Gena Theiss wrote to tell us that Frances Weedman passed away Dec. 7, 1970. She was the daughter of Willis G. and Laura (Higdon) Weedman, descendants of JOHN WEEDMAN. The obituary was in the Leitchfield Gazette. She was a resident of Leitchfield, Ky. and a granddaughter of Willis and Cassa (Collard) Weedman. We extend sympathy to the family, belated, but sincere.

A letter comes from Parmula Weedman, formerly of Midland, Michigan, now living at 109 Ocean Road, Apt. 31C, Narragansett, Rhode Island 02882. She has a position as assistant librarian at the University of Rhode Island Graduate School of Oceanography, Pell Marine Science Library. Although holding the title of assistant librarian, Parmula will actually be working as an information scientist, designing an information retrieval system for groups of documents, and writing some computer programs, etc. She is enjoying Rhode Island so far, and I believe she will enjoy it much more as spring and summer bring lesser wind and more warmth to that area. The Northeast has surely had a bad winter. Things have been rough all over this winter.

Doris Kizer's home suffered no damage from the L.A. earthquake. We were happy to hear that. However, our son Eugene's home was a wreck. He lives in Sylmar, most heavily damaged area. We contacted them and invited them to come up here, but they are going to try to repair the damage and go on. There is extensive damage, and it will take all summer for them to get the place to where it is livable again. They were sleeping in the bedrooms, and there was no damage at all there, but in every other room in the house was a mess. We thank the Lord for sparing their lives.

Getting back to Parmula's letter, she informs us of the death of her grandfather, Charles Samuel Weedman, January 10, 1970, in Indianapolis, Indiana. Also that her brother, Douglas Weedman entered the Air Force last October. At the time of the letter, she said he expected to be transferred to England AFB, Louisiana. That's at Alexandria, La.

On page 11 of your September, 1970 Newsletters, 2/3 of the way down, Teresa Weedman, 15, is living with the Harris family, NOT Hamms. Please make the change.

Today's mail brought a letter from Guy and Edna Weedman (DANIEL's line) of Wasco, Ore. Guy, who had had a stroke in 1967, is holding his own. He gets around, and is slowly but steadily improving. Edna collects matchbook covers. Think of her when you get some unusual ones. Stick them in an envelope with your good wishes and mail them to Mrs. Guy Weedman, Box 376, Wasco, Oregon 97065.

Then next was a manila folder from Mrs. Chestina Stewart, a new cousin to add to the list. She sends a picture of herself, and some copies of the songs she has written. (Sheet music). Some of the selections are: "Mother's Last Garden", "Beautiful Colorado Springs", "Golden Moon", "Tremble and Ring", "Little Swimmer", and "Daisy, Don't Act Crazy". Chestina wrote the words, and others wrote the tunes. These songs are recorded on Demo Records. Will write the lyrics to some of them as time goes by. Her address is:

Mrs. Chestina Stewart, 380 E. Summer Street, Paxton, Illinois 60957.

She is a descendent of Levi and Martha Weedman Jackson. Martha Weedman was the daughter of DANIEL and Nancy Spurrier Weedman. She was born in Grayson Co., Ky. in 1827. She died in Perry County, Indiana, but the date is not known. As soon as Chestina sends me her line from Levi on down, we will share it with you here.

Now to continue with the 1880 Perry County, Indiana census, started in the December, 1970 Newsletter.

Page 8 #65 Clark Township:

Name		Age	Relationship	Occup.	Born	Birthplace:	
						Father	Mother
Weedman,	George	57	Head	Farmer	Ky.	Ky.	Ky.
"	Samuel E.	12	Son		Ind.	Ky.	Ind.
"	Andrew A.	7	Son		Ind.	Ky.	Ind.
"	Mary	38	Sister	Housekeeper	Ind.	Ky.	Ky.
# 66							
Weedman,	William T.	24	Head	Farmer	Ind.	Ky.	Ind.
"	Henriette E.	21	Wife	Housewife	Ind.	Ind.	Ind.
"	Walter	1	Son		Ind.	Ind.	Ind.
#67							
Weedman,	John D.	27	Head	Farmer	Ind.	Ky.	Ind.
"	Louisa	26	Wife		Ind.	Ky.	Ind.
"	Margaret E.	3	Dau.		Ind.	Ind.	Ind.
"	Mary Eve	1	Dau.		Ind.	Ind.	Ind.
#75							
Weedman,	John	49	Head	Farmer	Ind.	Ky.	Ky.
"	Dillania	20	Dau	Housekeeper	Ind.	Ind.	Ind.
"	James	18	Son	Farmer	"	"	"
"	George	16	Son		"	"	"
"	Elisha	14	Son		"	"	"
"	John	12	Son		"	"	"
"	Martha	10	Dau		"	"	"
"	Ouller	6	Son		"	"	"
#77							
Weedman,	Jacob	33	Head	Farmer	Ind.	Ky.	Ky.
"	Rosan	39	Wife		Ind.	Ind.	N. Y.
"	Homer W.	10	Son		Ind.	Ind.	Ind.
"	Louisa	8	Dau		"	"	"
"	Sarah Ann	5	Dau		"	"	"
"	Mary F.	2	Dau		"	"	"
"	Magga V.	7/12	Dau		"	"	"
# 79							
Weedman,	Elisha E.	31	Head	Mill man	Ind.	Ky.	Ky.
"	Letitia	33	Wife		"	Ind.	Ind.
"	Norman B.	4	Son		"	"	"
"	Marcus (Mark)	2	Son		"	"	"
"	Grace	8/12	Dau		"	"	"

The Weedmans were of the family of DANIEL WEEDMAN, and as you can see, they all lived close to each other in Clark Township. Now far away, lived the following family, descendants of JACOB WEEDMAN, who lived in Crawford County, along with many members of his family for many years.

#131	Age	Relationship	Occupation	Mar.	Parents' Birthplace	Birthplace
Weedman, Jesse	24	Head	Farmer	Ind.	Ind.	Ind.
" Mary E.	22	Wife		"	"	"
" Samuel	9/12	Son		"	"	"

This concludes the 1880 census listings that I have of Perry County. If you have some that I don't have listed, please send me a copy for the next Newsletter.

From Syd Gardner comes some additions to the 1860 Crawford County Census.

1860 - Crawford Co., Ind., Patoka Township House # 1069.

Weedman, David	40	Head	1840	Merchant	Ind.
" Rebecca	39	Wife	1842		"
" Jacob	18	Brother	1847		"
" Mary A.	16	Sister	1844		"
" Rachel C.	14	Sister	1843		"
" Phillip W.	12	Son			"
" Jonathan	10	Dau			"
" William H.	7	Son			"
" Jesse H.	4	Son			"
" David R.	1	Son			"

1880 - Crawford Co., Ind. Patoka Township House # 98

Weedman, Phillip W.	32	Head	Farmer	Ind.	Ind.	Ind.
" Lucinda J.	23	Wife		"	"	"
" Charles R.	4	Son		"	"	"
" Emma T.	3/12	Dau		"	"	"

1820 Crawford Co., Ind. Census

Weedman, Jacob 3 males under 10; 1 male 26-45; 2 females 10-16; 1 female 26-45.

1820 - Harrison Co., Indiana

Weedman, Nicholas 2 males under 10; 1 male 10-16; 2 males 16-26; 1 female under 10; 1 female 16-26; 1 female 26-45.

1830 - Harrison Co., Indiana, Harrison Township

Weedman, Nicholas 1 male 5-10; 1 male 10-15; 1 male 15-20; 1 male 30-40; 1 female under 5; 1 female 5-10; 1 female 10-15; 1 female 30-40; 1 female 50-60.

Thank you, Syd, for these census reports. Syd shares this problem with us. Please contact him if you can help him on this query: Sarah Mahala Froman, born 1849, married (1) 1864 to Samuel Levi Sturgeon. After his death she married (2) 1878 Martin Henry Senn. A daughter, Mary Elizabeth Sturgeon is said to have married John Weedman, of Magnet, Indiana and they had three daughters: Barbara, Hannah Jane, and Stella May. They lived near Orick we think, in Perry County, Ind. The marriage of Mary Sturgeon and John was not among the Perry County Marriage Index listing. Did they marry in Perry County, or where?? Anyone having information on this line write: Mr. Sydney M. Gardner, 1604 E. Turin Ave., Anaheim, Calif. 92805.

Please make the Box # change on your addresses of the Guy Weedman's. Their Box # changed from 181 to 376. Chestina Stewart's address appeared on page 1. We have another from the DANIEL WEEDMAN descendants through his youngest son, John - "Hot Lillian" Laflin, 1288 Eleventh Street, Tell City, Indiana, 47586. She knows that Jacob Weedman married Rosanna Smith, daughter of James R. and Sarah (Sweet) Smith, but would like to know more about the Smith and Sweet lines. Sarah Sweet was born in New York. James R. Smith born in Indiana. He was born 1814, and Sarah, 1810. Laughlin, Laflen, Laflin ---- any hints or clues to these families will be greatly appreciated by Lillian, so let's all pull together and come up with something for her. Thanks.

We appreciate these opportunities to publish your queries, so send them in.

Now, please, cousins, I'd like to have each and every WEEDMAN receiving this Newsletter, write and tell me the various spellings you have seen people use to spell your name. Do you think people use the WEIDMAN spelling more or less than the WEEDMAN. What about other spellings. I will publish the results of this survey in June's Newsletter. It'll take just a few minutes of your time, so sit right down after you finish reading this, and drop me a line. I do so much appreciate your opinions. Thanks. I recieved a letter from Mr. Walter Angst, well known authority on family coats of arms, crests, and the meaning and beginning of names. I wrote to him and asked him to help us try to answer the question of whether or not Weidman and Wiedman came from the same stem. Here, in part, is his reply:

"Weedman, as derived from "Weed" is both German and English, meaning 'descendent of Wido' which is an archaic word meaning, or having to do with a forest. It can also mean 'dweller in or near a weedy place'". In other words, Weedman could mean a forrester; one living in a forest, or a dweller near or in a weedy place. That word "Wido" is early Teutonic.

"Weedman, as derived from the German "Weidman" means a hunter; one who hunted small game. If it is spelled "Weidemann" it could be more likely Swiss, and would mean a "pasture-man" or herdsman. There is also a Dutch name, "Weede" for which there is even a coat of arms", says Mr. Angst, "I believe this is derived from the word "wide" and could mean a wide-man or a fat man, or large person. " Mr. Angst went on to say that he is sorry he could not be of more help, but that the best policy is to realize that names do change over the years. People change them, and sometimes they are changed when persons learn to read and write, and then go ahead and spell their name just how they want to spell it, or how someone else, maybe their teacher, tells them it should be spelled. So, he recommends that we consider all spellings of the name WEEDMAN. He did not actually say, however, if he feels that WIDE-man and WEED-man, no matter how spelled, were actually the same name, but I can't help but think there is a difference. Does anyone know anybody over in Holland, or any other foreign country who could give us the answer to this? I am writing to Andrea in Germany to see if she will do a little research for us.

Anybody know Cecil Weedman of Newtonville, Indiana? Why not go up that way and "shoot the bull" with him and his family, and find out his Weedman connections? Come to think of it, Sadie Weedman sent me a bull story concerning Cecil. It seems last August, Cecil took a bull in his pickup up to the Stockyards at Evansville. Turning the corner at Morgan & Baker, the bull became frightened by a passing mini-bike, and jumped from the back of the pick-up. Cecil ran after right into Garvin Park. After phoning the stockyard and the police, an impromptu rodeo began as Cecil and the police ran after that bull from about 4:00 p.m. till 5:30, but were unable to capture it. "I got close enough to throw a rope at him," Cecil said, "but I couldn't do any more than catch it around his ears. I'm not a very good cowboy." By this time, a crowd, including many children had gathered, and Cecil asked if the animal could be shot with a tranquilizer pellet. The police told him that the last bull they had shot with a tranquilizer had died, and that it would be best to use a police rifle. Weedman said that he was afraid that they didn't get the bull rounded up soon, a child or someone might be hurt, so he allowed the police to shoot the bull. "I took a \$350.00 loss on that bull," Cecil sighed. So now if you go to see Cecil, don't tell him you've come to "shoot the bull". It might bring back some sad memories, depending upon how he looks back on it now.

Love, your cousins, *Paul + Marianne*

WEEDMAN NEWSLETTER

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June, 1971

Hello, Cousins,

We have a lot of news for you. Most of it is good; some of it is sad. It's so nice to tell you all the good news, and we all can rejoice together, but it is hard to tell you the sad news. I'm starting out with that sad news, though, because it weighs heavy on our hearts. Sherman Weedman, brother of Alton and Claude, Mertie and Eva, has gone to be with the Lord. He passed away on March 30, 1971, from injuries received in a tractor accident on his farm the Saturday before. Funeral services were under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home, and were well attended by relatives and friends who mourn his absence. Mr. Edeth Jewell Wright, husband of Mereda (Weedman) Wright, sent the following obituary, which we feel is most fitting a tribute to such a fine man. We are sure that the sympathy of all who receive the Newsletter is greatly felt, and we express our hope that Dorthene, with the help of God and loved ones, will be able to carry on as she knows Sherman would have her do. The obituary is as follows:

SHERMAN WEEDMAN

Sherman Weedman was born May 6, 1913 in Grayson County, Ky., and died March 30, 1971, age 57 years, 10 months and 24 days old. He was married to Dorthene Mudd May 21, 1945. To this union were born four sons, Dorman, Jerry, Randy and Myron, and two daughters; Sherlene and Mary Frances. Also one granddaughter, Renee, and one grandson, Brent. Besides these, and his wife, Dorthene, he leaves behind two brothers, Claude and Alton, and two sisters, Mrs. Mertie Stewart, and Mrs. Carson Collins, and a host of neices and nephews, other relatives, friends and neighbors to mourn his death.

He was saved and joined the Pleasant View Baptist Church at an early age in life. On October 21, 1951, he was ordained a Deacon of this church, and later moved his membership to the Pleasant Union Baptist Church of Grayson County. When the Pleasant Valley Baptist Church was organized, he became a charter member, and remained there till his death. He was a teacher of the Sunday School, clerk and trustee, and treasurer of the Old Time United Baptist Association. He was a faithful worker for the Lord and lived a Christian life daily. He will be sadly missed by all who knew him.

Dorthene said "I thank God for a husband who stood for the true plan of Salvation, and I pray that I will be able to stand for the same life he lived before us. I know that I will meet him in Heaven." His children said "We thank God for a daddy who raised us right and was so kind and sweet to us, and we pray that we will be able to pass to the grandchildren the same teaching that we will be a united family in Heaven". Myron, the youngest, age six added "I love my daddy". We all feel our loss is Heaven's gain.

We thank you, Jewell for sending along this tribute to Sherman. And Paul and I might add that we thank God for giving us the opportunity to meet Sherman in 1968. We were so greatly impressed with his fine Christian spirit, and saw, too, that Dorthene and the children, as well as Alton and his family who live next door were a united family in the Lord. Let us remember Dorthene and the children in our prayers.

We did not hear from Jake and Nelda yet concerning the families of Mose and Leonard Weedman. I hope they are well. I know they are busy people, as they have children who are active and participate in so many school and church events. Their daughter, Donna Weedman is among the top ten of her Senior graduating class this year. She has had a very active schedule. On April 20 a write up appeared in the Cannelton Indiana Tuesday News. Donna's picture was lovely. She has participated in Pep Club, Future Secretaries Assn., Future Homemakers of America, National Honor Society, Pep Club, Varsity, Cheerleader, and received the Outstanding Teenager of America award. Congratulations, Donna.

No sooner did I have this written then the mailman came with a letter and some stamps from Jake and Nelda. They affirmed that Cecil, the subject of the bull story, is Jake's brother, and so is C. D. C. D. is his name; it doesn't stand for Cecil or Charles. Just C. D. Barbara Weedman, Jake & Nelda's youngest, is away at camp at Spring Mill for the first experience of camping for her. We hope she doesn't get homesick. Donna and Dave are fine. Donna is planning on attending Kentucky Wesleyan College in Owensboro this fall. Jake and Nelda are busy with summer activities. Glad they are having some summer. Ours just got started. It's been just cold enough for us not to want to pull weeds, and just warm enough for the weeds to come up fine.

Andrea, our daughter, and hubby, Lawrence Kershner are home from Germany. They say they appreciated the chance to see Germany but they are glad to get back home. Larry will be looking for a job now, and attending Tacoma Community College in the fall, if his plans work out that way. We are surely glad to have them back home.

Received a letter from Alton Weedman. He is feeling better, and is able to work in the garden and is gradually getting his strength. This is good news for us. On page five, we listed a grandson of Sherman's, Brent. His full name is Edward Brent, and he is the son of Jerry and Beverly (Edwards) Weedman, born January 9, 1970. Other events for notice are the marriage of Wilma Weedman, daughter of Alton and Lena (Anderson) Weedman to Leroy Williams. This marriage took place January 23, 1970. The date of Erma's marriage to James Duvall was October 16, 1970. She and Wilma are sisters.

We want to call your attention to an error on page three of the 1971 March Newsletter. In the bottom paragraph, we indicated that Barbara, Stella May, and Hannah Jane were daughters of John Weedman and wife, Mary Elizabeth Sturgeon Weedman. Actually, Barbara is a half-sister to Hannah and Stella. She was a child of Mary Elizabeth's first marriage to Press Gibson, which ended in divorce. Mary Elizabeth's second marriage, was to John Weedman, and Hanna Jane and Stella May were the only two children born to this marriage. John Weedman died in 1909 and is buried at Magnet, Indiana. Hannah Jane Weedman married Elmer Hargrave at Vincennes, Indiana. There were no children born to this union. Both Hannah Jane and husband are deceased, and are buried at Sand Hill Cemetery Mt Carmel, Illinois.

Stella May Weedman married Earl Gilbert Barber on 23 February, 1919. She was born at Oriole, Perry County, Indiana on March 7, 1904. They were married at Lawrenceville, Illinois. Earl Barber was the son of William and Ida (Newport) Barber of Albion, Illinois. He was born on November 8, 1894 at Albion, and died November 16, 1964 at Kankakee, Illinois, where he was buried at the Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Children of this couple:
Dola Wanita Barber - b. 20 Jan. 1925, Albion, Ill.; d. 14 Feb. 1925, Albion.
Geneva Barber - b. 27 Mar. 1927, Albion, living now in Chicago, Ill.
Mildred Lucille Barber - b. 5 Sep. 1929, Albion, m. R. Q. Stephens; lives at Kankakee, Ill.

John Weedman, above, was the son of James W. and Susanna Cunningham Weedman, and James W. is a descendent of WILLIAM WEEDMAN, son of CHRISTIAN WEEDMAN.

And one more thing - On page 17 of Volume 3 - December 1970 Newsletter, the Engun age 16 listed under James W. Weedman in the census is Eugene. Thanks for making the changes, and thank you Syd Gardner, for setting us straight on the above information.

Chestina Stewart, a descendent of DANIEL WEEDMAN, sent us some information on the Weedman-Jackson lines, for which we are very thankful to receive. Two children of DANIEL and NANCY SPURRIER WEEDMAN married Jacksons.

Martha Weedman, born in Grayson County, Kentucky in 1827 married Levi Jackson on April 14, 1847, in Perry County, Indiana. Levi was the son of James and Elizabeth (Williams) Jackson, and their descendents are numerous in Indiana, and have spread out through the western states. The children of Levi and Martha "Patsy" (Weedman) Jackson were:

Anthony Jackson	b. Perry Co., Ind.	1853	had several wives, names unknown.	188
	d. Essex Missouri			
George W. Jackson	b. Perry Co., Ind.	Jan. 19, 1857	m. (1) Charolette Lawalin	Jan 2,
	d. Colorado Spgs. Colo.	Jan 19, 1932	(2) Delia Morris	12/26/1885
Felix Jackson	b. Ind.	1860		
	d.			
Mary A. Jackson	b. Ind.	1862		
	d.			
Daniel B. Jackson	b. Ind.			
	d. Colo.			
Nancy E. Jackson	b.	1866		
	d.			
Peter Jackson	b. Ind.		never married.	
	d. Romah, Colorado			
James Jackson	b. Ind.			
	d.			
Verona Jackson	b. Ind.	1888		
	d.			

Some of these children may not be in order of birth, as Chestina has done her best to peice this together from what she could get from the 1870 census, and from what people had given her on the names of some of the sons who were not listed in the 1870 census, who were living away from home by 1870. Probably working on farms in the area. Levi Jackson was in the Army dnring the Civil War, and was with the 49th Reg., Indiana Volunteers from 1861 to 1864. He was honorably discharged Jan. 15, 1864. On his service record they have him listed as light complexion, light hair, blue eyes, 5 ft. 7 inches tall. He remained in Indiana, and some of his children, also, and others went west. Martha also lived till death in Indiana. More will be coming on this family.

John Weedman, another child of DANIEL WEEDMAN, born 1830 Perry County, Indiana, married May 14, 1857 Nancy Jackson, a sister of Levi. She was born about 1834. John died in Perry County in 1896, Nancy died there in 1874. Their children:

Dillania Weedman	b. Perry Co., Ind.	1859
	d.	
James Weedman	b. Perry Co., Ind.	1861
	d.	
George Weedman	b. Perry Co., Ind.	1864
	d.	
Elisha Weedman	b. Perry Co., Ind.	1866
	d.	
John Weedman	b. Perry Co., Ind.	1868
	d.	
Martha Weedman	b. Perry Co., Ind.	1871
	d.	
Ouller (?) Weedman	b. Perry Co., Ind.	1874
	d.	

We would appreciate any further information on these families. Chestina is working on tracing them; perhaps some of our Perry County cousins can help us by supplying places and dates to fill in the blanks above. We will add the information later for you to fill in.

Miss Lillian Laflin sent me the following:

Myrtle Weedman married Samuel Wright October 22, 1899, in Perry County, Indiana. She had a brother, James. Can anyone supply the names of her parents? She and husband, Samuel Wright had the following children:

Charlie Wright
Ernest Wright
Cecil Wright
Oma Wright
Orsie Wright
Clyde Wright
Clarence Wright
Eugene Wright
Alma Wright

m. (1) Herman Andry (2) Dale Bailey

Vic Wright
Orville Wright
Roy Wright
Earl Wright

Some of the above children of Samuel and Myrtle went to Indianapolis, most have passed away, but some are living. Oma burned to death in New York; Cecil is in Florida; Charlie, Ernest, Orsie, Clyde, Clarence, Eugene are deceased. Clyde is buried in Arizona, the others in Indiana - Charlie and Ernest in Indianapolis and Orsie at Birdseye, Indiana, Clarence and Eugene in Taylor Cemetary in Perry County, Ind.

GRAYSON COUNTY KENTUCKY BIRTHS

Copied by Gena Theiss at Frankfort, Ky., from
Kentucky Vital Statistics

July 8, 1854 - James Weedman	Parents - +John Weedman - Elizabeth Probus ✓
Nov. 2, 1854 - James D. Weedman	+William Weedman - Lucy Duggins ✓
Jan. 14, 1856 - Prissilla F. Weedman	+John Weedman - Elizabeth Probus ✓
July 16, 1856 - Nancy E. Duggins	William Duggins - Nancy J. Stone
Mar. 10, 1857 - Harry W. Weedman	+William Weedman - Lucy Duggins ✓
May 2, 1857 -- John P. Stone	+Willis Stone - Elizabeth Weedman
Sept. 9, 1857-- Cassey E. Probus	+Simon Probus - Sarah R. Weedman
Nov. 12, 1857 - John B. Stone	+John M. Stone - Hettie Weedman
Dec. 24, 1857 - Charles W. Dennison	+Henry Dennison - Eliza Weedman (b1852)
Feb. 15, 1858 - John F. Weedman	+Willis Green Weedman - Cassey E. Collard ✓
Apr. 8, 1858 - Sarah C. Dennison	+Henry Dennison - Eliza A. Weedman
Apr. 26, 1858 - Joshua Harris	+Issac Harris - Susan Weedman
May 1, 1858 - Alice Henrietta Weedman	+John Weedman - Elizabeth Probus ✓
Nov. 15, 1858 - _____ Stone	+Willis Stone - Elizabeth Weedman
May 8, 1861 - Aaron Stone	+Willis Stone - Elizabeth Weedman
May 9, 1861 - _____ Probus	+Simon Probus - Sarah Weedman

Mybern, Butler Co., Ky.:

June 11, 1903 - Claris Weedman (female)

William Weedman - Mary E. Weedman

Meade Co., Ky.:

July 23, 1858 - Louisa Weedman
Mar. 22, 1859 - W. T. Weedman (male) ✓
Apr. 18, 1854 - Elizabeth A. Weedman ✓
Dec. 10, 1856 - Barbara J. Weedman ✓

A. J. Weedman - Elizabeth Brown ✓
A. M. Weedman - Louisa Brown ✓
A. M. Weedman - Louisa Brown ✓
Addison Weedman - Louisa Brown ✓

Thank you, Gena, for these vital statistics. We wish we had more. Have a nice summer, everyone. Paul has retired, and so we may do some travelling this summer. Have some paperwork and red tape to take care of regarding the retirement, which may take more time than we had hoped. Andrea, our daughter, and hubby, Lawrence Kershner are home from Germany, living with us now, temporarily. He's looking for work. We're glad they are home again.

Love. *Paul & Marianne*

WEEDMAN NEWSLETTER

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Hello, Cousins,

Well September is about over, and this has indeed been an exciting summer for us. We hope that it has been a good one for all of you, and that you are all well.

Donna, daughter of Jake and Nelda Weedman of Tell City, Ind., has enrolled in Wesleyan College (Kentucky). Many others have enrolled in various colleges, too, which I cannot recall unless it is right in front of me, so you all bear with me, and help remind me of the latest news in your families.

I don't want to fill the Newsletter on all the details of our trip back East, but I will mention that we visited our son and daughter-in-law, Perry and Marian Montgomery in Mason City, Iowa, then went on to Illinois where we visited some of Paul's Montgomery kin. Then on to Paxton, Illinois to visit Chestina Stewart, descendent of DANIEL WEEDMAN. We had a lovely visit with Chestina, and she prepared a delicious meal. Oh, how the Weedman women can cook! They have been renown for their weaving and sewing, but their cooking is out of this world. Chestina gave us more of her family tree which we are including in this issue. Thank you, Chestina. On to New Palestine where we were made so much at home with Noble and Elizabeth (Weedman) Snodgrass. Elizabeth, whom I call Betty is a descendent of WILLIAM WEEDMAN, brother of Daniel, etc. She showed us many family photographs, we went to church together, ate some more wonderful Weedman cooking, of course, and in the evening we attended a pageant New Palestine townspeople had prepared for their sesquicentennial. The time spent there was most interesting. From New Palestine we went to Georgia, stopping at Lexington, Kentucky, or I should say Paris, Kentucky to visit the Historical museum there which has so many old Kentucky records. We did not find anything on the Weedmans, there, though. We were successful in finding some information on our Allen County Pruitt people. In Knoxville, Tenn., we stopped again to search for Paul's Rudder and Franklin records, but could find no new data. None of the descendents of the Franklins are living around there that we know of, but we did meet some of the Rudders. On to Atlanta, where the Montgomerys first settled. Looked in that area for a few days. So many Montgomerys all with the same names that it was like looking for John Smith and finding a million of them and wondering which one. Well then, back to Kentucky where we went to various localities looking for Huff, Baysinger, Barnes and Vandiveer ancestors, (Nelson, Mercer and Meade, Breckinridge, Hardin and Hancock Cos.) We did find a few Weedman names in the search, and we will sort it all out when we get time. But then, we went to Grayson County and visited with Alton and Iona (Anderson) Weedman and family. Sunday dinner with them was indeed a feast, and we enjoyed every morsel. We went next door and visited the old home place where Sherman's family live. Dorthene and the two youngest, Mary Frances and Myron were there, and we had such a lovely visit. Dorthene and children recall happy times with Sherman, and it is hard to yet speak of this fine man with out tears, but Dorman and the other Weedman kin available are trying to make it easier for Dorthene there on the farm. We do hope she found someone to make the sorghum this year. Remember Dorthene's mother, Mrs. Mudd please in prayer. She may not now be in the realm of the living, but Dorthene and family were doing all possible for her.

Went to Leitchfield to visit Gracie (Higdon) Johnson, descendent of JOHN WEEDMAN, and could not find her. We inquired and were told that she may have moved from Leitchfield. All of you wonderful Louisville Weedman kin, we didn't get to meet, we hope to on our next trip. We're a bit shy of driving in Louisville, unless we know exactly how to get where we want to go. Next time we may be braver. Meanwhile, we want you all to know we welcome any and all of you whenever you can come out to Washington. We just purchased a large drop-leaf table, so you all come, and let's have a love feast, and let us show you Washington - the air conditioned state.

Next, we went on to Indiana, to Perry County. In Tell City we visited Lloyd & Mildred Holman, Mrs. Earl (Mary) Holman, William and Olive (Huff) Lanman, and Carmie Basham & wife, Jake and Nelde Weedman, daughter Barbara, and daughter Lola (Weedman Bolin), & husband, Danny Joe Bolin, met Mr. & Mrs. Hal Weedman, parents of Jake, Helen (Lanman) Lantner, sister to Mildred (Lanman) Holman, Dow and Bob Lanman, brothers of Mildred and Helen, and sons of William and Olive Huff Lanman. The Lanmans are descendents of DANIEL WEEDMAN, and so is Mary (Morris) Holman. More of that delicious Weedman cooking (oh boy) and wonderful fellowship with all these people. Then up to Cannelton to visit Vadie and Lajuana Weedman. Vadie is the widow of Mose Weedman. Wish I could recall who else I met at Vadie's house. More of her children, but I cannot recall the names. Wonderful people, to be sure, and fine Christians. Lajuana played the piano for us, and we attended church with them in the evening, where we heard more Weedman talent. Lajuana is an artist at the piano, and the whole family seems to be talented. Danny Joe Bolin, Lola Weedman Bolin's husband is also so very talented. He's an artist as well as a guitarist, photographer, and writer.

Then up to Magnet, in upper Perry County. This is a peaceful paradise, where nature is so near and beautiful. In the midst of this lovely setting, live Herbert and Forrest (Davison) Miller. Forrest is a descendent of WILLIAM WEEDMAN. Forrest introduced us to yellow tomatoes. We'd never ever seen one before in our lives. We didn't even know what they were when we saw them on the platter, sliced along with red ones. Forrest gave me some seed, and we will try to grow some here next year. We had a lovely time there and met Walter Davison, Wickliff and Flora (East) Davison, Mary Evelyn Miller Ward, and just had a fine overnight visit there. By the way, we gained a few pounds, but it was all such good food served up Weedman style, and we do so appreciate all of you.

Sadie Weedman and her sister Elizabeth (Weedman) Lehmkuhler live in Rockport, as you know and they greeted us warmly. We spent the better part of a day with them, enjoying their wonderful hospitality and conversation. Wish I could go into more details, but it would take up all the newsletter. I know I have forgotten a lot, too, so please remind me of names and places, as when you travel and see so many people, you are apt to forget someone, and each one was so good to us, and helpful, too, when it came to family data. We had a wonderful trip, as you can see, but now we will go on to list other Weedman information.

Please note this addition: count 5 lines up from the bottom of page 6, (June Newsletter) and insert "Bailey" between or over Susannah Cunningham. Susannah was a Bailey, and married first a Mr. Cunningham. Please let me know of any other errors, or additions so that we may keep the record straight.

A note from Parmula Weedman states that she has indexed the THOMPSON FAMILY RECORD, compiled by Mrs. A. H. Burrell (1917). These are the descendents of John Lighthiser Thompson, and the Gaerte line is in it, which ties into Parmula's Weedman line. If any of you are interested, and want her to check a name for you, a stamped self-addressed envelope with your letter is all it takes. Thanks, Parm. Her address is now 109-C Ocean Rd. Apt. 31 Narragansett, R. I. 02882.

Syd Gardner sent me an obituary of a Thomas Weidman, also spelled Wiedman in the obituary. He was born in Battletown, Ky., son of Amos and Angiline (Davis) Wiedman, and had lived in Mauckport, Ind. Was 38 yrs. old at time of death. Had been a minister, and was a member of the Christian Church. Could he be a descendent of the Meade County Kentucky Weedmans? I noticed that in some of the old records the name Weedman was spelled Wiedman etc. I mean names we know are our people. Betty Snodgrass showed me a letter where her people spelled the name Wiedman and then later changed it to Weedman, because her grandparents found out that that is how it had been spelled by their ancestors, and they went back to the Weedman spelling. Sadie Weedman said that she has had a researcher working for her who did some research on the Weedman name and found it to be both Wiedman and Weedman, Weedman being the English spelling. Christine Wickman found a Jacob Weedman in Switzerland records in the 1500's. I am going to make up a complete Newsletter of Weidmans and Wiedmans just so we'll have them in the record. We think we really should consider these other spellings.

Forrest Miller said this, and I write it for the record, that John Weedman, father of Stella Weedman Barber, and Hanna Jane Weedman is buried at the Chappel Cemetery, three or four miles from Magnet. The cemetery is on the Alfred James farm, and Mrs. James told Forrest that a whole row of Weedmans are buried there, with no markers, only just rocks like under the hill in the Weedman cemetery where her great grandparents, WILLIAM and Rebecca WEEDMAN are buried. It used to happen that there were living persons who knew where the old graves were and who was buried where, even though no name was on a marker; just a rock to show where the person was buried. But when those folks die, those of us who come along later cannot know where our ancestors are buried. Anyone in the interest of preserving cemetery records is doing a noble task and is to be commended. Please, cousins, if you know of the location of a cemetery which has unmarked Weedman stones, let us know, as Forrest has done, and Gena Theiss did, when she advised us of the Cy Hughs place, in Grayson County. We want all the information you can give us on how to get to the cemetery, and names and dates of the Weedmans and kin buried there. Also, visit any of the older people still living so that they can tell you what they know about the kinfolk buried there. If we could have stayed longer at Magnet, we'd have visited Mr. & Mrs. James. Hope Mrs. James is well at this time. She lived close to the James Weedman family (descendents of WILLIAM and Rebecca).

We now continue with a partial listing of some of the descendents of DANIEL WEEDMAN, through his daughter Martha (Weedman) Jackson, wife of Levi Jackson.

Their son:

George Washington Jackson, b. Jan. 19, 1857, Perry Co., Indiana married (1) Charolotte Lawalin Jan. 2, 1880. Charolotte died about 1882, and is buried in the Morris Cemetery near Catchel, Perry Co., Ind. Of this marriage one child was born, Nancy Melvina Jackson, who, being about 1 year old when her mother died, was raised by her grandparents, (Lawalin). Nancy was born Jan. 4, 1881. There were two men in Nancy's life: (1) William Ottis Taylor, son of Stillwell Taylor. William was born Dec. 16, 1892, Perry Co., Indiana. He died and is buried in Gibson City, Illinois (2) John T. Simpson, b. Feb. 2, 1862, died 1944, & is buried Deer Creek Cemetery in Perry Co., Ind.

Nancy Melvina's family is as follows:

	born	married
<u>Chestina Taylor</u>	b. Oct. 25, 1911 Perry Co, Ind.	(1) <u>Everett Landers</u> Feb. 15, 1926 (divorced) (2) <u>John W. Stewart, Jr.</u> Apr. 9, 1937
<u>Mae Simpson</u>	Dec. 16, 1914 Perry Co, Ind.	<u>Charles Sandage</u>
<u>Merle Simpson</u>	Nov. 10, 1918 " "	<u>Melba</u> Mar. 15, 1937
<u>Hettie Simpson</u> (Twin)	Nov. 10, 1918 " "	
<u>Elery Simpson</u>	June 7, 1922 " "	<u>Evelyn Howell</u>
<u>Joseph Simpson</u>	Feb. 12, 1926(?) died 4 days later	

Mae Simpson Sandage died in 1941 in Perry Co., Indiana.

Merle Simpson died in Perry Co, Ind. Mar. 24, 1970

Chestina Taylor, first child of Nancy Melvina (Jackson) Simpson had the following family:

1. Zelda Pearl Landers 15 Feb. 1927, Perry Co, Ind. Everett D. Wilson 8 Mar. 1946 at Champaign, Ill. Their children:
Everett D. Wilson, Jr. 29 Dec. 1946 McLean Co. Ill. Patricia L. Nickrent
Terrance Ray Wilson 17 Oct. 1950 Champaign Co, Ill. Donna C. Seivers 18 Oct. 1970
Kathy Sue Wilson 3 Jan. 1952 Champaign Co., Ill.
Ricky Dean Wilson 7 Nov. 1957 Champaign Co., Ill.
2. Dallas S. Landers 8 June 1933, Clay City, Ill. Dorothy L. Reuss 21 Apr. 1944
Belvedere, Ill. Their children:
Deborah Landers 21 Jan. 1952 Ford Co., Ill.
Janeice A. Landers 14 Jan. 1953 " "
Sheryl L. Landers 4 Mar. 1962 Crawford Co., Ill.

There were no children born to Chestina and John Stewart's marriage. The former descendents of George Washington Jackson, and his first wife, Charolotte Lawalin their daughter, Nancy Melvina's first child, Chestina (Taylor) Landers Stewart married a second time after being left a widower. Wife # 2 was Delia Morris Indiana. We will have her birth date and the names of their children and in the December Newsletter.

From Sadie Weedman comes a listing of two more families descended from DANIEL WEEDMAN through his son, George and Margaret A. (Baysinger) Weedman as follows:

<u>Samuel E. Weedman</u>	<u>born</u> Perry Co., Ind.	<u>married</u> <u>Martha Beard</u> , Aug. 10, 1890
Children:		
<u>Trancy Weedman</u>		
<u>Lucille Weedman</u>		
<u>May Weedman</u>		
<u>William Weedman</u>		
<u>Cornelius Weedman</u>		
<u>Emma Weedman</u>		
<u>Sadie Weedman</u>		
<u>Joseph Meyer</u>		

NOTE: This Sadie is NOT the same Sadie who supplied this list.

<u>John Daniel Weedman</u>	Perry Co., Ind.	<u>Louisa Huff</u> , April 27, 1876. (Her parents: <u>Jonathan & Louisa (Vandiver) Huff</u>)
Children:		
<u>Eva Marie Weedman</u>	Perry Co., Ind.	<u>Fred Siscle</u>
died in Detroit, Mich.		
<u>Margaret E. Weedman</u>	Perry Co., Ind.	<u>William Hilt</u> (1861-1943)
died 1958, buried Washington Park Cem., Indianapolis, Ind.		
<u>Heber Weedman</u>	Perry Co., Ind.	Single
died buried Bristow Cemetery, Perry Co., Ind.		
<u>Wilber Weedman</u>	Perry Co. Ind.	1881 <u>Leora Comstock</u> 26 Mar. 1907 (Her parents: <u>Frank and Sarah (Lanman) Comstock</u>)
died buried Deming, New Mexico		
<u>Hettie Weedman</u>	Perry Co., Ind.	<u>Harry Brown</u>
died Feb. 1965 East St Louis, Ill.		
<u>Martha Weedman</u>	Perry Co., Ind.	
died in infancy.		

When we were in Cannelton, we perused the indices of marriages, and also the actual marriage licenses, because although the early ones did not give the names of the parents, the later ones did, and so we checked a few. We found this to be true - that when a couple go to get a marriage licence, they give nick names or the middle names, or whatever they are called most by. This makes it confusing. For example, on page 3 Mar. 1969 Newsletter you will read "Weedman, William H. to Hulda E. Hobbs" We checked the licence of their son, John Weedman, born Siberia, Indiana Dec. 19, 1879 who married Pearl Brown, born Dec. 25, 1888 in Arkansas (that's what the license said). They married on May 29, 1907. He listed his parents as William H. and Ella Hobbs Weedman. Ella must have been her middle name. Pearl Brown was the daughter of Bailey and Rachel (Weedman) Brown. William H. Weedman and Rachel Weedman were cousins. Rachel was born in Crawford Co., Indiana. Looking closely, you will see that a William H. Weedman married a Julia A. Roberson in 1904 in Crawford Co., Ind. Was this the same William who married Ella Hobbs in 1879? If so, Julia Roberson was his second wife. If this is indeed so, then cousins Rachel and William H. were each descended from JACOB and Frances Flemming WEEDMAN.

Could this William H. Weedman be a son of David and Rebecca (Grecelius) Weedman? They had a son William, and so did Jonathan Weedman, son of Jacob and Nancy (Stubblefield) Weedman. We see, however, by the March 1968 Newsletter, page 2 that Jonathan's son, William H. married (1) Mary Goings (2) Melissa Bolin, so this being so, the William H. in question would (or could) indeed be the son of David and Rebecca. Perhaps Christina Wickman or Syd Gardner can come to the rescue here. Be sure to follow this up in Dec. Newsletter.

As errors occur and are called to your attention, be sure to make the changes while it is still fresh on your minds. So till December then, God willing, we close, always looking forward to caring from you.

With Love,

Paul & Marcine

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Dear Cousins,

Here's hoping you all had a Merry Christmas and will have a very Happy New Year, and that 1972 will bring very happy times for all of you. We had snow for Christmas, and although it soon melted away, it was pretty on the fir and cedar trees. The area looked like a pretty Christmas card. Thank you all who sent Christmas cards. We enjoyed each one.

Since September's newsletter, we have some sad news to report. Dorthene (Mudd) Weedman wrote that her mother had passed away after a long illness. At last she has found rest in a better land. Then we were shocked and heartbroken by the news suddenly, of the death by auto accident, of Nancy Jane Hill, nee, Hunt, daughter of Gena Theiss, and step-daughter of George. Nancy Jane was born August 20, 1947, the daughter of Robert and Gena Lee (Johnson) Hunt. On March 4, 1967, Nancy married Tommy Hill and they were the parents of Malinda and Sharron Hill. Nancy and Tommy owned a home in Phoenix, Arizona. They had been stationed in Germany, but still retained the home in Phoenix. Nancy was driving and had Malinda and Sharron in the car with her at the time of the accident. A young man driving down the wrong side of the road collided head-on with the Hill car. This was on October 11. Nancy lived six days although in a coma, and after much surgery, which was not able to save her life. The children, although injured, are now well. Grandparents of little Malinda and Sharron are naturally at this time, still in much anguish having lost their Nancy, and we all must bear them up in prayer, please, and pray for Tommy, the children, and all the family, fervently. The Bible says "The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much." It is not our own righteousness that avails in prayer, but the righteousness of Jesus, who died on the cross that those who believe on his name might be saved. In His name, we can all pray, then, who know the saving grace of Christ. Services for Nancy were held at the Starlight Baptist Church at Phoenix, and interment was in Greenwood Memorial Park.

Mrs. John (Constance Huddle) Weedman, of Portland, Ore. informs me that she will be scheduled for a corneal transplant in the right eye. It is surely wonderful what medical science can do today. We will have more information on this in the March Newsletter, as it is not to be for another 6 months. Remember Connie in prayer.

Speaking of Connie, I had planned on doing the genealogy of the later generations of this family. DANIEL is the one John Weedman is descended from, through DANIEL's son, Jacob Weedman, who married Rosanna Smith. They had three daughters and one son, and the son was Homer. (See Weedman Newsletter, Page 2, Sept. 1968.) We had no dates for this family, although Jacob and family are listed on page 2 of the March 1971 issue. We can see by that 1880 census, that Homer W. Weedman was born in 1869-70, depending on where in the year his birthday came - before or after the June 1st. census. Louisa was born two years after Homer, Sarah Ann was 5 in 1880, Mary F. was 2, and Magga V. was 7 months.

We are happy to add now, more information on Homer Willis Weedman, son of DANIEL's Jacob and Rosanna Weedman. He married Sarah Jane Little on May 9, 1890. They were the parents of six children. Homer, a farmer, moved west and had an unfortunate accident, so the family story goes, when he was accidentally kicked in the head by a horse at about age 37. After his death, Sarah Jane, who was called Jenny for short, married a Mr. Jordan. If Homer was about 37 at the time of his death, we might say he died approximately in the year of 1907, after moving his family to Oregon. Homer and Jenny had:

Roy Weedman, b. Kirwin Kansas _____ m. Florence May Blackman d. 1950

After Roy's death in 1950, his widow, Florence married Leonard Thompson, and moved to Seattle, Wash.

2. Nellie Weedman born Kirwin Kans. _____ m. Marshall, now living Christianburg, Virginia.
3. John Weedman b. Dec. 18, 1898 Hill City, Kans. m. Constance Huddle, daughter of Homer Benton and Cordelia Ann (Sanders) Huddle. John died in Portland, Ore. Oct. 26 1955.
4. Jesse Weedman b. _____ m. _____ living in Noblesville, Indiana. Thought I had some information on him, and looked for it but couldn't find it, so will add it when I get it.
5. Guy Weedman (see 1969 (June) Newsletter)
6. Ruth Weedman b. _____ m. (1) _____ (2) Max Hammond
has a daughter, Ruth.

After Homer's wife, Jennie married Mr. Jordan, she had the following children:
Howard, Audrey and Hazel and Alvin. Last name, Jordan.

Roy and (Florence (Blackman) Weedman's children:

1. Roy Sylvester Weedman b. _____ m. June _____
They have several children.
2. Earl Erwin Weedman b. _____ 1922 m. Laurel Anna Haddeman.
They have one daughter, Debra that we know of.
3. Orville William Weedman ("Pete") b. _____ m. Susan _____
Children: Susan, Robin and Johnny.
4. Roberta May Weedman, b. May 1, 1924 _____ m. Archie George Dickerson.
Children: Mabel, George

Nellie Weedman Marshall has one son John Marshall that we know about.

John and Constance (Huddle) Weedman were married Sept. 6, 1922 at Vancouver, Washington. Constance was born in Kansas City, Kansas. Her parents like so many others, came West to make a new life in the Pacific Northwest. To John and Constance, these children were born:

1. Audrey May Weedman b. 1923 _____ m. Virgle L. Mead Feb. 15, 1941
2. Helen Lois Weedman b. 1925 _____ m. (1) John K. Conklin, who passed away Nov. 7, 1946. (2) Frederick H. Schwarze.

Virgle and Audrey Weedman Mead were the parents of:

1. Ronald Allen Mead b. Feb. 15, 1943.
2. Gayle Lynn Mead b. Apr. 8, 1947 m. Keith Pasquinzo June 16, 1967. Son Christopher John b. Apr. 6, 1968.
3. Sherilyn Sue Mead b. Aug. 30, 1950

John K. & Helen Lois Weedman Conklin were married Jan. 28, 1943. Because John passed away in November of 1946, he did not live to see the child he and Lois expected, who was:

Nancy Edith Conklin b. Jan. 31, 1947, m. Ross W. Jeffreys Feb. 24, 1968. Son John Eric Jeffreys, b. Oct. 6, 1970, Albany, Oregon.

Helen Lois Weedman Conklin married Frederick Henry Schwarze Jan. 16, 1949, and they are the parents of:

1. Freddie Sam Schwarze b. Jan. 20, 1950 m. Sharon Lynn Ferrari Nov. 16, 1968. Their little daughter, Tiffany Andrea was born July 8, 1969.
2. Lorie Ann Schwarze b. Sep. 20, 1957.

I want to take time here to thank you who have sent me pictures of yourselves, children and grandchildren, as well as your ancestors, as you have extras to spare. As I do the Newsletter, I write down the names, I picture the faces. Gayle (Mead) Pasquinzo holding little son Chris, could win a prize as "Proudest Mama of the Year" when that picture was taken. Chris looked so contented and secure. We do enjoy the pictures so much. We all have to clean out our picture drawer sometime. Don't pitch out those old ones taken several years ago. Send them to us.

Keep us informed if errors crop up in my typing or transcribing. Sometimes they do. For

instance, please make these corrections in your Newsletters:

June 1971, page 7, where we list the sons of Levi and Martha (Weedman) Jackson, Peter Jackson and Felix Jackson are one person, so put the name Peter in front of Felix Jackson's line so that it reads "Peter Felix Jackson b. Ind. 1860 single, d. Aug. 1911 Romah, Colo.

Sept 1971. page 11, change the marriage date of Merle and Melba Simpson which was given as March 15, 1937 to Nov. 15, 1967.

It is easier for us to figure out who is who if it is listed on a separate sheet from your letter. Even on family group sheets if possible.

On page 11, we promised to give the family of one of the sons of Levi and Martha (Weedman) Jackson, George W. Jackson, and his second wife, Emma Delia (Morris) Jackson. She was called Delia, but on her tombstone, she is named Emma Delia Jackson, wife of G. W. Jackson, March 10, 1868 - July 18, 1905. She is buried at Lily Dale Cemetery at Catchell, Ind. George is buried at Evergreen Cemetery, Colorado Springs, Colo., where he died Jan. 19, 1932. To George W. & Emma Delia (Morris) Jackson were born:

1. Rilla Jackson b. Perry Co., Ind. m. W. F. Dana d.
(twin died at birth) 16 Aug. 1886 1910-Colorado Spgs. Colo.
2. Jesse Jackson b. Perry Co., Ind. m. Beatrice Turner d.
13 May 1888 Nov. 1907-New York City
3. Willard Jackson b. Perry Co., Ind. m. Mildred Howard d.
and twin 28 Sept 1891 Colorado Spgs. Colo.
4. Willis Jackson b. Perry Co., Ind. m. Agnes Howard d.
28 Sept 1891 Colorado Spgs., Colo.
5. Emily Jackson b. 15 May. 1893 m. Charles Howard d.
Perry Co., Ind. Colorado Spgs., Colo.
6. Nellie Jackson b. Perry Co. Ind. m. Lloyd Black d.
28 Sept. 1896 Colorado Spgs., Colo.
7. Elmer Jackson b. Perry Co., Ind. m. (1) Bessie Williams (2) Lucille d.
17 Apr. 1901
8. Jennie Leone Jackson
(twin bro. d. at birth) 28 Apr. 1903 d. 28 Jul. 1905

Levi Jackson, father of George W. Jackson was buried at Hicks Cemetery, Perry Co., Ind. Twins seem to crop up often in the JACKSON family, and I don't think this trait was inherited from the Weedmans. It doesn't seem to come up as often in the Weedmans. When we know the death dates of the above family, we will add them, along with other information of this family. Chestina Stewart is tracing down the families of all the children of Levi and Martha (Weedman) Jackson, and that is a job. Martha's brother, John Weedman married Nancy Jackson, and we would like to hear from some of their descendants to get that line.

If anyone knows if the 1850 census of Grayson County, Kentucky has been printed in booklet form will they please tell me, or if they can get a copy, please search it for WEEDMAN material. Thanks. I know Gena Theiss got the Weedman names, however, I am thinking especially about allied names. (Families with Weedman connections which haven't been mentioned in the Newsletter yet. We will supply the names of some of the family of Hosea Stone and ELIZABETH WEEDMAN, sister of DANIEL, JOHN, JACOB, WILLIAM, etc., in the March Newsletter.

Syd Gardner has come up with what seems to be a logical conclusion (or at least a possible assumption) of the mystery of the "William H. Weedman" mentioned on page 12 of the September Newsletter. David and Rebecca Crecelius Weedman had a daughter, Rachel, born 1846. They also had a son, William H. Weedman b. 1853. After extensive research, Mr. Gardner can come up with no later data on this William H. Weedman, as this above information was gleaned from the 1860 census for Crawford Co., Ind. and the 1870 census was so poor, the township of Patoka where these people might be located, could not be read. So he has no information as to the marriages of this William H. Weedman. We feel it is fairly safe to assume that the "Hulda E. Hobbs" mentioned in the marriage license recorded in Perry Co., Indiana in Feb. 1879 was indeed "Ella Hobbs". I noted that Rachel and William H. Weedman being brother and sister, could not be "cousins" as we had assumed on Page 12, so please dis-

regard that statement for the present. as it seems unlikely now that the William H. Weedman mentioned as the father of the John who married Pearl Brown was the William H., son of Jonathan and Sarah (Brooner) Weedman. It appears most probable that William son of David Weedman married (1) Hulda Ella Hobbs in 1879, and (2) Julia A. Roberson in 1904. In either case, John and Pearl (Brown) Weedman would be both descendents of JACOB and Frances (Fleming) Weedman.

Sadie Weedman of Rockport, Indiana showed us how she keeps all the different branches of the Weedman family mentioned in the Newsletter straight. She has prepared family group sheets by going through all the Newsletters, and heading each sheet with the parents of a branch of a family, and their children. These group sheets can be purchased at a reasonable price from: EVERTON PUBLISHERS, P.O. BOX 368, LOGAN, UTAH 84321, or from some large libraries and genealogical societies near you. I believe if you send to Everton Publishers these would be .02¢ apiece, or about 50 for a dollar. We are arranging our group sheets this way, so that when there is an addition or a correction, we can make it not only on the page of the Newsletter specified, but on these family group sheets. Sadie keeps them separated as to which branch belongs with which ancestor, such as all the branches of the line of JACOB, and all of the line of WILLIAM, etc.

Syd Gardner also sent us an article from the Whitley Republican, Williamsburg, Ky., dated October 28, 1971, in which a Kenneth Weedman is mentioned as director of the Boswell Art Gallery of Cumberland College at Williamsburg, Ky. Since there were no early Weedmans in Whitley County that either Syd or we could discover, it is believed that this Mr. Kenneth Weedman has moved there from some other locality. We will try to contact him and find out.

Syd has also sent more on the descendents of JACOB WEEDMAN, son of Christian, who moved at an early date in the 1800's to Crawford Co., Indiana. This you may add to the information sent us by Christine Wickman, also a descendant of JACOB. We refer you back to the Weedman Newsletters of March and July of 1968, and March and June of 1969. (see indices).

Mauck Tucker made a compilation of Crawford County Indiana families, and this is on microfilm at the LDS Library at Salt Lake City. Using this, death certificates, and census records, Syd Gardner gives us:

Rebecca Crecelius, born 1821, daughter of Philip Augustus Crecelius, married 1841 David Weedman, son of Jacob and Frances (Fleming) Weedman. After his death she married (2) Bennie Carroll or Carl. (Her death certificate says her name - Rebecca Carl. David and Rebecca (Crecelius) Weedman's first child, Jacob I. Weedman, was born about 1843 in Dubois County, Ind. Jacob was a soldier in the Civil War and died young.

Mary Ann Weedman, a daughter of David, above, married Samuel Morgan in 1865. Samuel was married three times; (1) to Mary Summers - 1858; (2) Mary Ann "Mollie" Weedman - 1865; (3) Mary Jane (Williams) Kendall. Children of Samuel and Mary Ann Weedman Morgan:

1. Samuel (F. or T.) Morgan b. 2 June 1866 m. Rachel (Brown) Williams; children: Luther, Everett "Smoky", & Dolly.
2. Rebecca Morgan b. about 1871; m. Pete Schrader. Child: Ben Schrader.
3. Ida M. Morgan b. about 1873. m. _____
4. William E. Morgan b. about 1876. m. _____
5. Caroline Morgan b. about 1878. m. _____
6. Amanda Morgan b. about 1879. _____

Found under the 1880 census of Johnson Twp., Crawford Co., Ind. #345.

John Blunk (see March 1969 Newsletter) who married 26 Mar. 1854 Mary Ann Weedman, daughter of _____ and _____ Weedman, in Crawford Co., Ind., was the son of Valentine and Mary Ann _____ Blunk. He died 17 Nov. 1903. (He was born 1 Apr. 1830.)

These are items which may help you fill in some on these branches of the WEEDMANS. More in March. Sorry this has been so late. I burnt my fingers on right hand, then had to serve on the local jury, and this and that. I promise, however, to get March's Newsletter out in March, God willing.

Love,

Paul & Madame