

October 1998 Queries

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TILSON, FOX, FREEMAN, BRISCOE

I am searching for information on my grandmother's father. His name was Jack Tilson. He lived in the Pottersville/Crider area. I think he must have been born between 1870 and 1880 because my grandmother was born in 1900. He married Martha Ann Fox. I have been told that he was the sheriff of Ozark County at one time, but I am not certain if this is correct. I am also needing information on Mary Ellen Freeman. She married a Briscoe. They lived at Topaz, MO. They had 3 children - Ira, Dan, and Rhoda. She probably died around 1890-95.

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SHINKLE

Does anyone have any information about a JAMES W. SHINKLE who was a carpenter in West Plains, Missouri? He had at least one child, Ethel, who was born in 1893. I don't know if he stayed in West Plains and is buried there or not.

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McELWEE, BUCK

I need to find or verify that John A. McElwee died June 6, 1906 in Howell County, near Moody, Missouri and also his wife Eliza Jane (Buck) McElwee. Would appreciate any help you can give me.

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MORTON, PETTY

Need information regarding Isaac and Elizabeth (Morton) Petty and family. Elizabeth lived near Willow Springs with Sarah Smith on 1870 Census of Howell County. Was Sarah a daughter? Who was Harrison Petty?

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McELWEE, BUCK

Looking for any information on McELWEE name. He died June 6, 1906 and is buried near Moody, Howell County, MO. Not sure when his wife, Eliza BUCK McELWEE died, or where, but she is buried there also. They had a son Samuel who is also buried there.

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McELWEE, BUCK

I am looking for information on my McELWEE family. They were in Howell Co, MO. I am looking to confirm death dates and possibly obtain a

copy of a death certificate for both.

1. John McElwee died June 6, 1906 buried near Moody, Howell County, MO (??WHERE??) he was born May 8, 1844 he married Eliza BUCK McELWEE on April 29, 1864 in Miami Co, IN

2. Eliza BUCK McELWEE still living in 1907, unsure of exact death date. she is also buried near Moody, Howell County, MO (??WHERE??) Here are more notes that I have collected, if that helps.

Notes: John A. & wife Eliza moved from Miami County, IN to the state of Kansas. Then after 1875, John and Eliza moved to Howell County, MO. John died in May 6, 1906 at his home near Moody, MO. Samuel McElwee his son lived over the state line in Arkansas from where his father lived. After his death, Samuel had to make a trip to Miami County near Macy, IN to settle his father's estate. John A. had 3 sons who went to Peru, IN, the county seat to the Court House to settle the estate. Samuel went back to Moody, MO (Samuel and Mattie (Nolan) McElwee). Mattie had to have her signature on the deed. Mattie's name was notarized in Howell County, MO Feb 1, 1907 so Samuel and Mattie and Samuel's mother Eliza Jane were living in Howell County near Moody, MO at this date. Feb 1, 1907. John A and Eliza Jane and their son Samuel and his wife Mattie Nolan all passed away at this home and buried in Howell County, near Moody, Missouri. If you can help me in any way, with any information, I would appreciate it. Where do I go next? Can I obtain a death certificate? If so, what is the procedure? WHERE are they all buried?

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PARKS

I am just beginning a search of my family. I know my grandfather Joe H. Parks was living in the West Plains/Brandsville area with his sister (Jeanette Vandiver) and her family in 1920. I am trying to find where he was prior to that and what his parents names are. Any help you could give me would be greatly appreciated. I found out what little I know from the 1920 census. My e-mail is Cooley@socket.net. I also know he had just gotten back from WWI and was married within the next five years. Thank you for your advise.

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BRAZEAL

I am very interested in finding any descendants of Thomas Washington Brazeal from Missouri. He was married 3 times. He was married to Fannie, Nancy and Mary J. Any info you can provide would be greatly appreciated.

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MILK, SMOTHERMAN

I am looking for information about Anna Mae Milks and John Smotherman. I believe Anna Mae was born in Howell County 18 Oct 1883, daughter of Jerome Milks and Hannah Plymale. She was married to John around 1900 and they had 2 daughters. The oldest was Verona Bethel who was born in Leon, Deactur Co, Iowa, 1 Mar. 1905. I don't know where John was born or who his parents were. I am looking in Howell County since that was where Anna was from. I would appreciate hearing from anyone that might have information about this family. Thanks.

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SMITH-MANSELL-HILDERBRANDT-RUICE-LEHMAN-MULLIEAUX

Looking for info. on Susan Margarete SMITH MANSELL b. Apr.8, 1856 in Mo. Married Albert F.MANSELL July 22, 1877 in Howell County,Mo. Children; Sarah Ann,Irene C., William Elmore,George Samuel,Oliver Lee, Albert Beahlier, Myrtle, Joseph Dolphus(died early 1902-1911) Any Information appreciated. Thank you.

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LAWHORN, NELSON, STUART, COLLINS

My grandfather Arthur Albert Lawhorn was born in Howell County, MO, in 1886 and married Mattie Nelson (b. 1891) in 1910. His parents were Benjamin Gilberry Lawhorn and Laura Belle Stuart. Her parents were Peter DeMoss Nelson (b. Campbell Co, KY) and Georgame Idella Collins (b. Huntsville, AL). Most of these people and some of their parents are buried in Evergreen Cemetery in Howell County. I have been to West Plains several times to visit Alma Lowe and Alice Fox, my twin great aunts (Mattie Nelson's sisters), and recall your county with fondness. Don G. Lambert; 7 Crowell Place; Maplewood, NJ 07040



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KINDER, POWHATAN, SMITH

This is a family who came from Spencer Co., IN, to MO, & eventually settled in Mountain View ca. 1883-1905. Hopefully some of the names will jog someone memory...

William KINDER b prob. Mar 1825 IN d aft. 1900 prob. OK ml.poss. Frances N. (unk) b ca. 1828 IN d aft. 1850 m2.prob Dora (unk) PIERCE b Aug 1849 IN d aft. 1900 prob. OK ml.(unk) PIERCE b IL d prob. bef. 1899 children1: 11 - Only one daughter known.

1 Nelly PIERCE, b May 1884 KS general: William KINDER was an 1885 taxpayer in Howell Co., MO. children1: (Prob. there were more than the 2 known here.) 1 Galina/Dilana M. KINDER b ca. Mar 1850 IN 2 Ada Madeline KINDER b 23 Mar 1852 IN d 23 Jan 1916 Sallisaw, Sequoyah, OK m Henry William "William, H. W." POWHATAN, 4 Sep 1881 b 22 Mar 1822-34 ME d 4 Feb 1904 Mountain View, Howell, MO ml.Mary J. (unk) b ca. 1828-31 OH/KY d ca. 1873-80 Spencer Co., IN child1: 1 Lewis Casper "Doc" POWHATAN b 1 Oct 1856 Dayton, OH/Spencer Co., IN general:

1) H. W. POWHATAN served in the Civil War in an IN unit.

2) Mid-1880s, moved to Mountain View, MO, where the Powhatan house was located approximately at the 1998 intersection of Oak & 3rd streets, their house then across the street from the temporary Seventh Adventists church.

3) Nov 1900, H. W. POWHATAN donated a 1.5-acre city lot in Mountain View to the Seventh Adventists on which to build a permanent church. (I think this property was about where Mountain View's water tower is standing today.)

children:

1 James Madison KINDER b 26 May 1868 White River, Gibson, IN (An out of wedlock son when Ada Madeline KINDER was 16 yrs. old; James was reared by his maternal grandfather, William KINDER, as a Kinder.) d 4 Nov 1923 Cement, Caddo, OK m Nancy America SMITH, May 1888, Mountain View, Howell, MO b 10 Nov 1870 Mountain View d ?

children:

1 Burley Leroy KINDER, b 1890 Mountain View

2 Jessie Verbena KINDER, b 1893 Mountain View

3 Floyd Sylvester KINDER, b 1895 Mountain View

4 Grace Mae KINDER, b 1896 Mountain View

5 Charles Courtney KINDER, b 1898 Mountain View

6 Cammie Beatrice KINDER, b 1900 Chandler, Lincoln, OK

7 Ray E. KINDER, b 1902 Cement, Caddo, OK

8 Everett Edmond KINDER, b 1905 Cement

2 William Arthur "Arthur, Willie" POWHATAN

b Apr 1883 MO

d ca. 1920-21 Sallisaw, Sequoyah, OK

mFlora Mae McMANUS

general: W. A. POWHATAN was educated in the Mountain View schools; left briefly for college in Springfield, MO; returned to Mountain View to work in the newspaper; moved to AR, then OK, w/ his widowed mother & younger sister ca. 1905. children:

1 Robert Elwood POWHATAN, b 27 Jul 1917, Sallisaw, OK

2 William Arthur POWHATAN Jr., b 1 May 1919, Sallisaw (aka Jack POWELL)

3 Allen L. POWHATAN b 11 Jun 1886 Mountain View, MO d 1 Sep 1886 Mountain View

4 Carrie Mabel "Mabel" POWHATAN (my husband's grandmother) b 22 May 1889 Mountain View, MO d 9 Mar 1917 Sallisaw, OK m Jess H. KNOWLES, 15 Dec 1907 Sallisaw, OK

general: Mabel POWHATAN was educated in the Mountain View schools; a talented musician, playing the pipe organ & piano at church functions, etc. in Mountain View, & then touring in OK, AR, & New Orleans before her marriage; one of her best friends in Mountain View was Clyde Ethel ANDERSON WALKER (Mrs. John Linn WALKER) who later became Mountain View Postmistress (1933-56) & w/ whom Mabel corresponded until her own 1917 death.

children:

1 Walter Perry KNOWLES, b 14 Jul 1909 Sallisaw, OK

2 Rosa Madeline "Madalyn" KNOWLES, b 20 Jan 1913 Sallisaw, OK

3 Leonard Arthur KNOWLES, b 27 May 1915 Sallisaw, OK

Does anyone in Howell Co. recall this combined KINDER-POWHATAN family? I would be ever so grateful to hear from you on the most minute detail!

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SURNAMES:

Could someone look up some names for me on the 1910 and 1920 Howell Co, Mo census for people living in Hutton Valley?

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SURNAMES: JONES, BROYLES

Looking to connect with anyone researching the BROYLES family. My great uncle SAMUEL "SAMMY" JONES b.abt.1888 Carroll Co,MO m.LUCY A."MATTIE" BROYLES b.1888 in Howell Co,MO daughter of ZACHARIAS BROYLES and DELILAH CLORE she was the youngest of ten children. The BROYLES family moved to the Cherokee Strip,Oklahoma in 1891 to put claim to a 160 acre land grant. SAMMY and MATTIE were m.April 1906 in OK. Have more information will exchange if interested.

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SURNAMES: DAUGHERTY

I would like information on William Huston Daugherty married Mary Polly Daugherty both died in Willow Springs Mo. Wm. was born 1842 in Bulter Co. KY and Mary Polly was born 1842 in Butler Co. KY.Iwould loved to know when they died and if they had children living there and their decendants. Thanks!

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SURNAMES: YOUNG, BREAZEAL

Looking for any information on Walter YOUNG born December 15, 1890 who died in West Plains in March 1968 and is buried in Howell Memorial Park Cemetery. I believe he is the son of Robert & Phebe (Breazeal) Young. Phebe died in West Plains on January 15, 1917 and is buried in Wright County, Missouri. I have much information on one line of this family. Would gladly share any and all information.