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## A Brief Word

from

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With my second edition of *Littell's Living Age*, I am happy to be able to fill in a few generations in the "Squire William" Littell line, thanks to the vigilance of Andy Bolton. Based on extensive research by Anglin descendant Ella West, the research Andy has forwarded fills out this line in *Li Families History & Genealogy* very nicely.

A second article is a result of an Internet search that led me to Alvy Ray Smith, who purchased a family Bible that once belonged to Caleb Maxwell Littell (b. Nov. 16, 1791; d. May 28, 1848, in NJ). The Bible includes birth and death dates that are omitted in John Littell's family Records or Genealogies of the first Settlers of Passaic Valley and Vicinity (1852).

Alvy posted a transcript and photos of this amazing Bible, where it now resides as his gift with the New England Historical Society. He also has published a paper based on this find for *The National Genealogical Society Quarterly*, Vol. 90, no. 4, Dec. 20, 2002. We thank him for sharing information from this amazing find.

## The Last Word

by  
Noble Littell

Sue invited me to say a few words about the magazine and just about anything else I should desire to talk about. It is a great time to express my thoughts about our family association, its beginning, and its progress.

I think it was about 1968 that a few of us had exchanged family history data. I had an unlisted telephone, and one evening the Martinsville (IN) police department called and told me a Bill Littell was trying to get in touch with me and gave me a number in Cincinnati to call. We talked and Bill invited us to attend a Littell reunion at the General John Smith Littell farm in Beaver County, PA., during the 4th of July weekend. We accepted.

By the July meeting in 1970 the group decided to incorporate as a non-profit corporation. Bill was a professional fund raiser accustomed to raising large sums of money for universities, etc. He twisted some arms and it was determined that we should raise \$1,000 to defray our initial expenses. Bill, Fred Littell of Chicago, Robert Littell of New Jersey, and I each donated \$250. Walter Littell agreed to assume the task of publishing a newsletter/magazine. The magazine established in 1844 by Eliakim Littell, Walter's great-great uncle, was no longer being published.

A previous account of the history of *Littell's Living Age* recounted how the magazine was handed down to Eliakim's son and later sold to the Crowell-Collier Publishing Co.

Sometime before World War II a group of investors acquired the magazine, and it continued as a digest of foreign literary essays translated into English. Following Pearl Harbor the publishers were accused of being in the employ of the Japanese government and sent to prison. Publication ceased in 1941.

Since 1972 *Littell's Living Age* has been published by Littell Families of America, and if any bias exists it is to applaud the character, morality, intelligence, and perseverance of we who claim a connection to those various family lines bearing the surname Littell, and all its variations.

The years have sped by and I find myself the last survivor of that founding group, and not in the best of health. We were getting to the point where I didn't know how we could get out the next issue and along came Sue Johnpeter. And Bill Junior has assumed many of the duties of keeping such a loosely knit group functioning. In addition to that he and Gloria host the group the first week of Aug. at the Littell farm in

Beaver County, PA.

Littell Families of America will continue.

I appreciate the help of so many of you members during the years I served in one capacity or another. Now, unite behind Sue and Bill and keep your dues flowing to Bill and your research results, vital statistics, and news bits to Sue. And for old time's sake, drop me a note if only to say "hey!"

God bless you all.



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## Littells Out West:

### The Founding of Anglin, Washington

Squire William Littell's line (Chapter 10 LFH&G) begins in Ireland in 1720 with the birth of his father, James. William, who served as justice of the peace in Beaver County, Pa., and thus acquired the honorific "Squire," would have several children, among them Thomas, born Jan. 9, 1800 in Beaver County. According to *H/Stay and Biographies of Washington State Pioneers*, Thomas Littell, married to Mary R. Custard, would leave for the West in 1855 with several children. Among those offspring were Elizabeth Littell, born Aug. 27, 1827 in PA, and sister Nancy Jane Littell, born April 17, 1835, in PA.

Ultimately, this Littell branch would make its way to Oregon. Elizabeth would marry Joshua T. Anglin, born in KY, participant in the Rogue River Indian war, and father of the founder of Anglin, WA. Elizabeth's sister, Nancy Jane Littell, would marry Charles Fountain Beatie, at Clackamas Co., OR.

Thomas S. Anglin, son of Elizabeth Littell and Joshua T. Anglin, was born May 10, 1857/58 in Douglass Co., OR. He married Olive "Molly" E. Richardson, June 26, 1881, in Whitman Co., WA. They homesteaded near Colton, WA., where he began a butchering business. Six years later, he moved to Gifford, finally locating a general merchandise store at Kettle Falls, WA.

In Sept. 1902, he located 40 acres of land in what would become the town of Anglin (on Bonaparte Creek, about 8 miles from Tonasket) and built a home and store, "perhaps the largest in the reservation portion of Okanogan County." The next month, he succeeded in getting a post office, which would be followed by a blacksmith shop, saloon, restaurant, several residences and a school.

In the early years of Anglin's history, it was an overnight stage stop between Republic and Parry's Landing, near the present town of Tonasket; and also between Republic and the towns of Oroville and Loomis. Travelers slept in the upstairs of the Anglins' Jog house.

***Trails & Tales of the Early-Day Settlers of North-Eastern Okanogan County*** (Wauconda, WA Historical Committee, 1982) describes the founding of Anglin more colorfully: "With a six-horse outfit, lugging a trailer wagon behind, his wife and a dog and all their worldly possessions aboard, Tom Anglin headed east up Bonaparte Creek from Parry's trading post up the long winding cobble stone and sand-hole grade. Today we know it as beautiful State Hwy. 30 which takes us to Republic. Eight miles up that grueling grade, Tom's horses had it. So did Tom and his wife, Molly.

They hauled to a stop, put the nosebags on the hungry horses and sat down to meditate. 'Why not drive our stakes here?' mused Tom. His wife agreed.

"Quickly word got around the Anglins hoped to have a community around them, and one after another, new dreamers pulled in. Restaurant, saloon, blacksmith shop and livery stable — those were the four corner stones upon which many a dream-town built its foundation.

"Naturally it became know as Anglin, none other. By 1904, the freighter stop had become a town, large enough, in fact that they put on a long-remembered Fourth of July celebration. The program even included as a main card, an honest to goodness prize fight.

"Today people riding leisurely up that highway can see the various level places in the sod where Anglin buildings had once been. A small apple orchard, long ago gone wild, a tiny four-inch sign board reads 'Anglin', and a couple of rods west, across the road, on the barbed wire fence hangs another little sign reading, 'Anglin Cemetery.'"



Photo courtesy of Jerry Smith

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Generation No. 1

1. THOMAS LITTELL ((SQUIRE) WILLIAM') was born Jan. 09, 1800 in Beaver Co., PA, and died Feb. 10, 1867 in Boise, ID. He married MARY R. CUSTARD. She was born abt. 1801 in Beaver Co., PA.

Notes for THOMAS LITTELL:

According to land claim records for Oregon, Thomas Littell arrived in Oregon June 20, 1852 and filed a claim in Douglas County in 1854/55 (OR Land Donation Claim #637-Roseberg Office). The 1860 Douglas Co. OR Census for lists Thomas and Mary and several children. Thomas is listed as 60, Real Estate value \$540; Personal Estate \$5000 and born in PA. Mary is age

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## Caleb Maxwell Littell Family Bible

Because John Littell's Passaic Valley Genealogies has been criticized for its inaccuracies, finding a primary source for genealogical information such as the 1793 Bible that once belonged to Caleb Maxwell Littell of New Jersey is very important, particularly as it provides names and especially dates not included in the Passaic book. The following information also displaces the John Littell b. 1819 NY and descendants out of this family line as presented in the *Littell Families History and Genealogies* (Ch. 7 pg. 379).

**Dr. Anthony Littell** was born Sept. 3, 1768 and d. May 16, 1793. He married **Annie Maxwell**, b. March 7, 1769. Their children:

1. Eliza, or Elizabeth, Littell, b. May 22, 1790; married Oct. 14, 1848, William Hand. She d. Jan 6, 1869 at Scotch Plains, NJ, and is buried at Westfield.
2. Caleb [ Littell, b. Nov. 16, 1791; married Dec. 4, 1813 Mary Ross Clark, b. Nov. 22, 1797.
3. Samuel Cory Littell, b. June 16, 1793; d. Oct. 1, 1793.
4. Amos Littell, b. July 22, 1794; d. April 11, 1823.
5. Fanna Marsh Littell, b. Aug. 6, 1797; d. April 22, 1798.

**Caleb M. Littell** was born Nov. 16, 1791. He married **Mary R. Littell**, born Nov. 22, 1797, on Dec. 4, 1813.

Their children:

1. Thomas P. Littell b. Oct. 4, 1814; married May 12, 18? Mary C. Archer.
2. Ann Elizabeth Littell b. Jan. 24, 1817; married William S. Archer Sept. 11, 1836 and (2) Albert G. Howe Dec. 23, 1851.
3. Amos C. Littell b. Dec. 26, 1818; married Emeline G. Oldis May 184?.
4. Geo. W. Littell b. Feb. 22, 1821; married June 2, 1846 Mary G. Acken. He died Jan. 15 1863. She died Aug. 24, 1847.
5. Marcus A. Littell b. Feb. 21, 1823.
6. John C. Littell b. July 6, 1825; died April 14, 1827.
7. Mary & Irene Littell were b. Aug. 10, 1827. Mary died Sept. 1, 1827.
8. Mary Clark Littell b. Sept. 28, 1829; married Gilbert C. Briggs May 16, 1848. She died March 30, 1881. One child: Marcus Frederick Briggs, b. Feb. 28, 1849.
9. Sarah Ann Brown Littell b. Oct. 15, 1831; married Jan. 22, 185? Frederick D. Tappen. Their children: Josephine Hilyard Tappen b. Dec. 21, 1852; Albert Howe Tappen, b. Dec. 21, 1855; George Littell Tappen, b. Jan. 19, 1858; and May Tappen, b. June 4, 1862.
10. John G.M. Littell b. April 2, 1834; d. Nov. 28, 1834.
11. John G.M. Littell b. Nov. 18, 1836; d. Aug. 27, 1837.
12. Josephine A. Littell b. June 27, 1840, married John W. Brown, Nov. 30, 1864.
13. Mary Augusta Litter, b. June 12, 1847, living in New Brunswick, June 12, 1847; died June 26, 1847.

Additionally, the Bible lists the stepchildren of Annie Littell who married (2) Jonathan Acken, son of Deacon Joseph Acken, whose wife was Rebecca Crane, daughter of Jonathan Crane. The children of Jonathan and first wife Sarah Marsh Acken are:

1. Rachel Acken, b. Dec. 4, 1786 and died Dec. 21, 1786.
2. Rachel Acken, b. Dec. 1, 1787.
3. William Acken b. Sept. 3, 1789.
4. Jonathan Acken born Aug. 23, 1791, and died March 11, 1796.
5. Simeon Acken, born July 5, 1793; died Aug. 24, 1793.
6. Gideon Acken, born Sept. 14, 1794; died Nov. 8, 1797.

7. John Acken, born Aug. 28, 1796.
8. Joseph Acken, born June 16, 1798; died July 1, 1798.

Annie Littell and Jonathan Acken, before his death on Dec. 2, 1807, had children:

1. Sally Ann Acken, born Sept. 21, 1804
2. Joseph Acken, born Sept 11, 1806, and died Feb. 19, 1806/07.

Also included in the Bible is reference to Betsy, born in 1782, who married Capt. Sandford Hicks. This Betsy is Caleb Littell's mother-in-law, who married (1) Joshua Clark and (2) Sandford Hicks. She died Oct. 26, 1854, age 72 years, and he died April 4, 1858, age 78 years.

Caleb M. Littell died May 28, 1848, age 57 years. His wife Mary died April 29, 1863, age 65 years. They, along with many descendants, are interred at the Presbyterian Church Cemetery at Westfield, NJ. A wealth of genealogical is available from <http://www.westheldnjhistory.com>.

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(The following article, submitted by Tonie Waughtel, is from The Pekin Banner)

## “Happy” Littell

Harold Crawford “Happy” Littell served as the Monon Railroad’s station agent at Pekin [Indiana] for 32 years — 1909-1941. He was also the Pekin manager for the Borden-Pekin Berry Growers Association. Recently Judy and Leon Zink of Salem donated his roll top desk to The Depot. The desk was discovered by the Zinks in a barn on family property. They had it refinished and for years used it in their home. It is now a cherished part of The Depot’s collection - one of the few items representing the Monon Railroad’s presence at Pekin...The following story was published following his death:



“Happy was in a hurry. He had to be at the station meet Number Five. For 32 years there rarely was a time when Happy failed to be there when the evening rolled through and a little thin3iike a call to the doctbr’s office was not going to make him miss the job of seeing that all was well at the station this time. He hurried Dr. Green through the examination. Happy was pronounced doing as well as could be expected considering his recent illness. Happy sat down to wait for the doctor to prepare some medicine. He couldn’t wait long, because it was nearly time for Number Five to thunder into the station. When the doctor brought the medicine, Happy was dead. Shocked friends put him on a cot and covered it with a sheet. Gently the cot was carried down the steps of the doctor’s office and down the street toward the tracks. As the group neared the tracks, there was a distant whistle. Just as they go to the depot, Number Five roared in. Happy was there in time to meet Number Five

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## Amazing Find Online

For those who have yet to try searching the Internet auction site ebay, you just might unearth a family treasure. Using "Littell" in the search field yielded tons of textbooks, machinery, and this porcelain bowl, which reads:

Compliments of  
Sam V. Littell  
Grocery and Bakery  
203 East Main Street  
Greensburg, Indiana



Rev. William Eugene Little of Del Norte, Colorado has sent a Family Group Sheet that dovetails quite nicely with the Caleb Maxwell Littell Bible information. Bill is descended from Caleb's grandfather (Anthony Jr.) through Philip Stockely Littell, all descendants of John Littell b. @ 1646 and Mary White. The information he has sent presents a different spouse for his great-grandfather than included in LFH&G. Additionally, he uses the "Little" spelling.

Descendants of Philip Stockley Littell/Little

Generation No. 1

1. PHILIP STOCKLEY' LITTLE was born Dec. 25, 1757 in Sussex, DE, and died June 03, 1818 in Clermont, OH. He married SARAH DODD Jan. 14, 1784 in Fayette Co., PA. She was born Sept. 27, 1757 in Sussex, DE, and died abt. 1845 in Clermont, OH.

Children of PHILIP LITTLE and SARAH DODD are:

2. i. WILLIAM CORNELL LITTLE, b. Feb. 03, 1785, W. VA;

d. Sept. 02, 1851, Warren Co., OH.

ii. THEODORUS LITTLE, b. abt. 1797; d. July 02, 1871, Clermont, OH; m. CHARLOTTE THOMAS, April 20, 1819, Clermont Co. OH.

iii. JOSEPH LITTLE.

iv. DAVID LITTLE.

v. SARAH LITTLE.

vi. CHARITY LITTLE.

Generation No. 2

2. WILLIAM CORNELL LITTLE (PHILIP STOCKLEY was born Feb. 03, 1785 in W. VA, and died Sept. 02, 1851 in Warren Co.,

OH. He married DORCUS LIGGETT, daughter of JOHN LIGGETT and SUSANNAH BENNETT. She was born Feb. 02, 1794.

Children of WILLIAM LITTLE and DORCUS LIGGETT are:

i. PRUDENCE LITTLE, b. Dec. 10, 1817.

ii. ELIZABETH ANN LITTLE, b. Oct. 1823.

iii. BENJAMIN SMITH LITTLE, b. May 22, 1826.

iv. DORCUS LITTLE, b. Aug. 26, 1833. 3. v. WILLIAM LITTLE, b. Nov. 02, 1835.

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# Descendants of Philip Stockley Littell/Little

## Generation No. 1

1. PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup> LITTLE was born Dec. 25, 1757 in Sussex, DE, and died June 03, 1818 in Clermont, OH. He married SARAH DODD Jan. 14, 1784 in Fayette Co., PA. She was born Sept. 27, 1757 in Sussex, DE, and died abt. 1845 in Clermont, OH.

Children of PHILIP LITTLE and SARAH DODD are:

2. i. WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup> LITTLE, b. Feb. 03, 1785, W. VA; d. Sept. 02, 1851, Warren Co., OH
- ii. THEODORUS LITTLE, b. abt. 1797; d. July 02, 1871 Clermont, OH; m. CHARLOTTE THOMAS, April 20, 1819, Clermont Co. OH.
- iii. JOSEPH LITTLE.
- iv. DAVID LITTLE.
- v. SARAH LITTLE.
- vi. CHARITY LITTLE.

## Generation No. 2

2. WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup> LITTLE (*PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born Feb. 03, 1785 in W. VA, and died Sept. 02, 1851 in Warren Co., OH. He married DORCUS LIGGETT, daughter of JOHN LIGGETT and SUSANNAH BENNETT. She was born Feb. 02, 1794.

Children of WILLIAM LITTLE and DORCUS LIGGETT are:

1. PRUDENCE<sup>3</sup> LITTLE, b. Dec. 10, 1817.
- ii. ELIZABETH ANN LITTLE, b. Oct. 1823.
- iii. BENJAMIN SMITH LITTLE, b. May 22, 1826.
- iv. DORCUS LITTLE, b. Aug. 26, 1833.
- v. WILLIAM LITTLE, b. Nov. 02, 1835.

## Generation No. 3

3. WILLIAM LITTLE (*WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born Nov. 02, 1835. He married ELIZABETH WORLEY.

Child of WILLIAM LITTLE and ELIZABETH WORLEY is:

4. i. JOHN HOWARD LITTLE.

## Generation No. 4

4. JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup> LITTLE (*WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) He married INEZ AILENE GARFIELD.

Child of JOHN LITTLE and INEZ GARFIELD are:

5. i. WILLIAM GARFIELD<sup>5</sup> LITTLE, b. July 03, 1903, Akron, OH; d. Oct. 02, 1995, Alamosa, Alamosa Co., CO.

Generation No. 5

5. WILLIAM GARFIELD<sup>5</sup> LITTLE (*JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 03, 1903 in Akron, OH, and died Oct. 02, 1995 in Alamosa, Alamosa Co., CO. He married IONE BELLE DOUGHERTY. She was born Nov. 30, 1904 in Medora, Reno Co., KS, and died Oct. 15, 1996 in Del Norte, CO.

Notes for WILLIAM GARFIELD LITTLE:

Was a USDA Fruit & Vegetable Inspector, following crops from Colorado to Arizona to California and Idaho.

More about WILLIAM GARFIELD LITTLE:

Burial: Del Norte, Rio Grande Co., CO

Child of WILLIAM LITTLE and IONE DOUGHERTY is:

6. i. WILLIAM EUGENE<sup>6</sup> LITTLE, b. July 31, 1927, Turlock, Stanislaus, Co., CA.

Generation No. 6

6. WILLIAM EUGENE LITTLE (*WILLIAM GARFIED<sup>5</sup>, JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 31, 1927 in Turlock, Stanislaus, Co., CA. He married CHARLENE SUSAN TAYLOR Feb. 05, 1948 in Gunnison, CO, daughter of FRANK TAYLOR and HALLAMARIE SMITH. She was born July 31, 1927 in Denver, CO, and died March 28, 2000 in Needles, CA.

Notes for WILLIAM EUGENE LITTLE:

Bill is Pastor Emeritus of 1st Presbyterian Church of Monte Vista, CO. He served in the US Army, Army Reserves and US Marine Corps, with overseas duty in Germany and Austria 1946-47; and Okinawa and Japan 1973-74. He received the Navy Achievement Medal.

Children of WILLIAM LITTLE and CHARLENE TAYLOR are:

7. i. SUSAN MARIE LITTLE, b. Feb. 12, 1949.
8. ii. PATRICIA TONE LITTLE, b. July 27, 1951.
9. iii. WILLIAM FRANK LITTLE, b. April 10, 1954, Syracuse, Hamilton Co., KS.
- iv. CHARLES ROBERT LITTELL, b. March 22, 1958, Sterling, Logan Co., CO.

Generation No. 7

7. SUSAN MARIE<sup>7</sup> LITTLE (*WILLIAM EUGENE<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM GARFIED<sup>5</sup>, JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born Feb. 12, 1949. She married DONALD E. CUTHBERTSON April 1975.

Child of DONALD CUTHBERTSON is:

10. i. BRUCE<sup>8</sup> CUTHBERTSON. He married STACY ? Their children: GAGE CUTHBERTSON and AUBREY CUTHBERTSON.

Children of SUSAN MARIE LITTLE and DONALD CUTHBERSTON are:

11. ii. ALYSSA DIANNE CUTHBERTSON, b. June 16, 1971
12. iii. STEPHANIE DAWN CUTHBERTSON, b. 1976.

8. PATRICIA IONE<sup>7</sup> LITTLE (*WILLIAM EUGENE<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM GARFIED<sup>5</sup>, JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born July 27, 1951. She married CLAYTON DURO.

Children of PATRICIA LITTLE and CLAYTON DURO are:

13. i. NAOMI MAHEILANI<sup>8</sup> DURO, b. 1976.
- ii. VICTOR DURO, b. 1978
- iii. HALLAMARIE LEIALOHA DURO, b. 1981.

**9.** WILLIAM FRANK<sup>7</sup> LITTLE (*WILLIAM EUGENE<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM GARFIED<sup>5</sup>, JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born April 10, 1954 in Syracuse, Hamilton Co., KS. He married PATRICIA ANN GULL. She was born 1953 in Kaiserslautern, Germany.

Children of WILLIAM LITTLE and PATRICIA GULL are:

- I. JUSTIN LAMARR<sup>8</sup> LITTLE, b. 1982.
- ii. JASMINE LEE LITTLE, b. 1984.

#### Generation No. 8

**10.** ALYSSA DIANNE<sup>8</sup> CUTHBERTSON (*SUSAN MARIE<sup>7</sup> LITTLE, WILLIAM EUGENE<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM GARFIED<sup>5</sup>, JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born June 16, 1971. She married (1) CARL HAGEMANN. She married (2) COREY HELYER.

Children of ALYSSA CUTHBERTSON and CARL HAGEMANN are:

- i. CARL ANDREW<sup>9</sup> HAGEMANN
- ii. MICHAEL HAGEMANN.

Children of ALYSSA CUTHBERTSON and COREY HELYER are:

- iii. DAMIAN HELYER.
- iv. ALEXANDER HELYER.

**11.** STEPHANIE DAWN<sup>8</sup> CUTHBERTSON (*SUSAN MARIE<sup>7</sup> LITTLE, WILLIAM EUGENE<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM GARFIED<sup>5</sup>, JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1976. She married (1) DONALD SAVEGEAU. She married (2) PAUL JAMES.

Child of STEPHANIE CUTHBERTSON and DONALD SAVEGEAU is:

- i. ASHLEY SAVEGEAU.

Child of STEPHANIE CUTHBERTSON and PAUL JAMES is:

- ii. DAVID JAMES.

**12.** NAOMI MAHEILANI<sup>8</sup> DURO (*PATRICIA IONE<sup>7</sup> LITTLE, WILLIAM EUGENE<sup>6</sup>, WILLIAM GARFIED<sup>5</sup>, JOHN HOWARD<sup>4</sup>, WILLIAM<sup>3</sup>, WILLIAM CORNELL<sup>2</sup>, PHILIP STOCKLEY<sup>1</sup>*) was born 1976. She married SHAE SWANSON

Children of NAOMI DURO and SHAE SWANSON are:

- i. JAYDON<sup>9</sup> SWANSON.
- ii. NATHAN SWANSON.
- iii. VICTOR SWANSON.
- iv. HALLA MARIE SWANSON.

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## Wanda Maxine Savage

Dec. 5, 1921 - May 4, 2002

Wanda Maxine Savage, 80, of Beardstown, IL, died May 4 at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield. She was born Dec. 5, 1921 in Bates City, Mo., daughter of John Tiliman Jackson and Effie May Anthony. She married Clinton Houston Savage on June 7, 1941, in Lexington, Mo. He preceded her in death on Dec. 31, 1977.

Mrs. Savage was descended through John Littell b. 1646 - Anthony-Andrew-Ephraim-Amos-Archibald-Abigail-John Jackson.

Surviving are three sons, Lonnie Edward, Leo Paul and Byron Dale; 10 grandchildren; three sisters, Jerry Osborn, Pearl Savage (LFA #189) and Edna Moss; six nieces and six nephews. She was preceded in death by two brothers, one sister, and two sons, Gary Lee Savage and John Wayne Savage.

Mrs. Savage was a member of the Colonial Daughters of the 17th Century. She loved to quilt, bowl and travel.

## Granville Hamilton

Granville Hamilton, born April 11, 1911 in Colorado, died July 17, 2000. He was the husband of Elizabeth Joyce Littell (Joseph-Joseph-Francis-William-William-James Moore-Leonard Parker).

Mr. Hamilton, the son of David L. and Goldie Hamilton, had retired to Sun Lakes, AZ, having been in the Title business.

The Hamiltons have two sons, Brian, of Denver, and Kent, of Carbondale, IL.

Joyce, a retired school librarian, is responsible for the extensive research of Joseph Littell of England as presented in LFH&G. She presents the following addenda for her sister, Elaine Littell Celia, of Denver:

Elaine Littell Hover (pg. 960 LFH&G) married (1) Robert E. Lewis Hover Sept. 1945. Daughter Melanie, born Oct. 2, 1949, married Dale Robert Marino Feb. 4, 1987. Their child: Nicholas Robert Marino, born. Sept. 10, 1989

Elaine married (2) John Joseph Cella June 20, 1963. Their children:

1. Julie Celia, born March 13, 1964, married Michael Nathaniel McKenna Sept. 1, 1991. Their children: Joseph John McKenna b. 9-1-1994; Sean Patrick McKenna b. 12-2-1996; and Caroline Marie McKenna b. 6-21-2001

2. John Joseph Celia, Jr., b. May 24, 1965, married Renee Suzanne Long, b. 10-20-1964. Their children: Joseph Michael Celia, b. 5-6-1989; Lindsey Renee Celia, b. 6-21-1991; Rachel Suzanne Celia, b. 9-30-1998; and Claire Marie Celia, b. 8-17-2000.

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## Correction

In the 2002 edition of Littell's Living Age (pg. 20 Sec. 2.Vol. 8 No.1), the third child of Costa "Holly" Rene Hill should be Rachel Addison Crowder, born June 15, 1998.

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# Weddings

## Littell—Hooks

April Dawn Littell, daughter of Douglas Kent Littell and Sharon Harrington, and Elza Lee Hooks, son of the late Elza Lee Gibbs, and Loretta Hooks, were married in the Barnes United Methodist Church in Indianapolis on June 7, 2003. Angela Ferguson, sister of the bride, served as Maid of Honor; James Hooks, brother of the groom, was Best Man. Pastor Spencer K. Osbourne officiated.

The couple will make their home in Greenwood, IN, with Briona “Breezy” Littell, April’s six-year-old daughter.

## Giuliano-Littell

The most unusual wedding this writer has attended was that of Kristina Paige Littell and Gregory Main Giuliano, held in the Haverford Meeting Hall on the campus of Haverford College in Haverford, PA., Saturday June 28, 2003. Both parties are graduates of Haverford.

The bride and groom celebrated their marriage in a traditional Quaker wedding service. The meeting took place within a Friends meeting. A meeting is characterized by “silent” s unprogrammed worship and contemplative reflection. During the meeting, individuals may be moved to share their insights with the congregation by standing and speaking. All of those present are welcome to share in this manner. A contemporary stringed instrument band played outside the Meeting before and after the silent period.

During the period of worship the bride and groom rose and recited their vows. They then returned to their seats. A marriage certificate was presented for them to sign and the certificate was read aloud. (During the ceremony no third person pronounced the couple husband and wife as Friends believe that God alone can create such a union and give it significance.)

The meeting continued in silent waiting while members the congregation shared in worship through silent prayer and meditation. Several members shared aloud thoughts and memories with the bridal couple and the congregation. All present were invited to sign the certificate as witnesses to the marriage. All present then strolled across the campus grounds to Founders Great Hall for a reception, meal, and dancing.



**Standing:** Dennis Littell, father of the bride; the bride and groom; David Grimm, brother-in-law of the bride.

**Seated:** Fannie Littell Overman, grandmother of the bride; Jacob Grimm, nephew of the bride; and Stacey Littell Grimm, sister of

the bride.

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# Ephraim Littell's Farmstead

## Turkey, New Jersey

The Berkeley Heights, NJ home of Ephraim Littell (b. Dec. 13, 1760; d. circa 1806, son of Andrew and Molly Stewart Littell) was placed on the Register of Historic Places in the 1970s. The Littell-Lord Farmstead, as it is now designated, was built circa 1760 in what was Turkey, NJ in Essex County but is now in Berkeley Heights in Union County. The Littells owned it until 1817. The Lord family purchased it in 1867.



Pearl Savage (LFA #189) provided quite a bit of written genealogical information on her ancestor Ephraim Littell and descendants in time for an October 2003 community event at the farmstead, pictured above.

Ephraim Littell appears on an undated roll of the 2 Regiment of the Continental Army, Ught Dragoons, commanded by Col. Elisha Sheldon. He enlisted May 26, 1778, with his occupation listed as farmer, residence Turkey, 5'9", dark complexion, grey eyes, and light hair.

Tax records for the Springfield Ward of Elizabethtown Township (designation for the area including Turkey — today's New Providence and Berkeley Heights) reveal that in 1778, son Andrew had 70 acres, 2 horses, 7 cows and 1 pig.

The house and several later outbuildings are in need of renovation, which is being overseen by the Historical Society of Berkeley Heights.

Ephraim's son Andrew, b. Dec. 15, 1718, died May 18, 1790 and not 1795 as it appears in LFH&G (p.353).

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# Ryno/Rino/Rineau Littell Connection

(with thanks to Jo Henderson)

George Shaum Littell Jr. (LFA member #116) has forwarded information on two Ryno/Rino connections for the Jonathan Littell b. Nov. 6, 1723; died March 8, 1813 (pg. 203 LFI-I&G)

The research is that of George's neighbor Thomas Gene Ryno, who leases pasture near Arquilla, Texas. George writes that Rynos have lived in (Hill and McLennan counties in Texas for several generations:

Charles Ryno (b. Feb. 20, 1781; d. April 11, 1837 Scotch Plains, NJ) married Feb. 13, 1801 (1) Nancy Littell, granddaughter of Jonathan. [He married (2) Mary Emma Marsh, Aug. 4, 1818 in Scotch Plains.] Charles was the son of Pack Ryno, son of George Rineau/Rino.

Nancy and Charles Ryno's children were:

- i. Betsy Ryno b. Nov. 8, 1802; died Oct. 3, 1866
- ii. John V. Ryno, B. Dec. 26, 1803; d. Albany, NY
- iii. Elijah Dunham, b. April 10, 1805
- iv. Mary Ryno b. June 4, 1807
- v. Hugh Drake Ryno, b. June 1809 Scotch Plains, NJ, 1d. Oct. 1, 1854, Rahway, Essex, NJ
- vi. Phebe Ryno, b. Feb. 22, 1811
- vii. Rebecca Ryno, b. Jan. 13, 1812
- viii. Amos Ryno, b. Dec. 8, 1813
- ix. Sallie Sarah Ryno, b. Feb. 12, 1816 Scotch Plains, NJ; d. 19, 1895, Newark, NJ
- x. Charles Ryno Jr., b. April 29, 1818, Scotch Plains, NJ.; May 1818.

By Aug. 4, 1818, Charles Ryno and second wife Mary Marsh, daughter of Isaac Marsh and Katherina de Camp, would be married and have 12 children, the first being born June 27, 1819 in Scotch Plains. That means Nancy's death probably occurred in 1818.

The descendants of Nancy's Littell's brother, Henry, also crossed marital paths with the Ryno family: Henry Littell (m. Betsy Hedges) had William H. (m. Nancy Wilicox) and had Henry, who married Sarah Ryno (b. 1834, daughter of Ephriam Jr.-Ephriam Sr.-Peter-George Rineau/Rino). They had one child, William Henry Littell, born about 1854.

Sarah would marry (2) Albert Pierson and have two children — Fred Lindeley and Albert Jr. Pierson - after 1855.

The Ryno family has had numerous spellings of its name: Renaud, Reynaud, Rino, Rineau, Rano and Reno. George Rineau (1721-1796 and Charles' father) used Rineau and Rino. George married a Hanna Pack (1725-1795) and had 10 children: Ester, Elizabeth, Phebe, Samuel, Ephriam, Esek, Pack, William, John and Peter, birth order unknown. This generation used the Rino and Ryno spellings.

More information may be gleaned from the Ryno website <http://www.ryno2.com/page5.html>.

It is worthy to note that often Littell is spelled Little in genealogies such as the Ryno descendency. This can make research frustrating. (It's bad enough everyone was named John and Mary, sometimes twice in the same generation!)

The rewards, however, are there for the researcher willing to scour family connections and not ignore the Littles, Petits, Lytles, Latelles and countless other alternative surnames that may have been, in fact, our ancestors.

Treasurer's Report Year Ending December 2002

LITTELL FAMILIES OF AMERICA

	<u>Operating Funds</u>	
Operating Receipts for 2002		
Membership Dues	\$ 278	
LFA Genealogy Books	\$ 220	
Interest/Dividends Earned	<u>\$ 541</u>	
	Total Receipts	<u>\$1,039</u>
Print/Mail LLA 2002	\$2,829	
	Total Expenditures	<u>(\$2,829)</u>
Total Balance Operating Funds 12/31/02		<u>(\$1,791)</u>
	<u>Capital Funds</u>	
<u>Balance Year Ended 2001</u>		
<u>Capital Fund Receipt for 2002</u>		
Contributions	\$ -0-	
Total Receipts		<u>\$ -0-</u>
Total Balance Capital Funds 12/31/02		\$34,977
Total Capital and Operating Funds 12/31/02		<u>\$34,977</u>

Note: Expenses included printing of *LITTELL'S LIVING AGE* for 2001 and 2002

Submitted 3/29/03      William Adams Littell, Jr.  
                                    Treasurer

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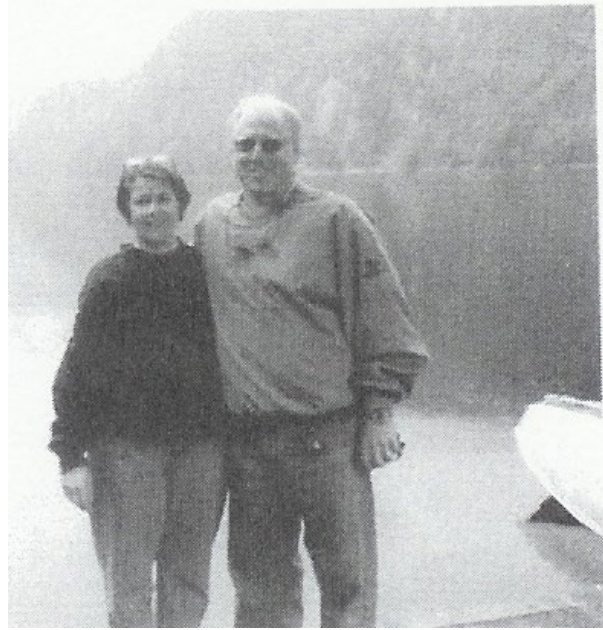
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# And One Word More!

From Sue Johnpeter

In a recent phone call, Judge Littell reminded me that in preparing for the 2003 edition of Littell's Living Age, I had not counted my pages as well as might have! Therefore, he suggested, a photograph of our family might be just the ticket to fill up a page or two. My husband, Charlie, and I were able to visit Alaska in September and fly into a fjord. Majestic doesn't even begin to characterize what we saw, and I apologize for blocking the view.



Below are our daughters, Anna, nearly 17, a junior at Naperville Central High School in Illinois, and Betsy, 21, a senior at Illinois Wesleyan University in Bloomington.



Uncharacteristically, our dog, Bandit, is not in the photograph. Should your taste run to cats, however, a delightful novel written by my brother, John Littell, is now out in bookstores. Entitled *Carvel: The Christmas Cat*, the novel is John's third "serious" work. His first two, non fiction entitled *French Impressions* and *Susie, Sadly and the Black Torpedo of Doom*, are very funny portraits about our family: parents Frank and Mary Littell, and children John, Stephen and me. Our mother was a prolific writer, and the first in our family to begin this genealogy quest. It is because of her that I have undertaken this ancestor obsession. Share your findings with Littell's Living Age by contacting me at my address listed in the front of the magazine or at SUEjp55 I look forward to hearing from you

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Descendants of Philip Stockley Littell/Little

Generation No. 1

1. PHILIP STOCKLEY LITTLE was born Dec. 25, 1757 in Sussex, DE, and died June 03, 1818 in Clermont, OH. He married SARAH DODD Jan. 14, 1784 in Fayette Co., PA. She was born Sept. 27, 1757 in Sussex, DE, and died abt. 1845 in Clermont, OH.

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PHILIP LITTLE and SARAH DODD are:

WILLIAM CORNELL LITTLE, b. Feb. 03, 1785,

d. Sept. 02, 1851, Warren Co., OH

THEODORUS LITTLE, b. abt. 1797; d. July 02,

Clermont, OH; m. CHARLOTTE THOMAS, April

1819, Clermont Co. OH.

JOSEPH LITTLE.

DAVID LITTLE.

SARAH LITTLE.

CHARITY LITTLE.

2. WILLIAM CORNELL LITTLE (PHILIP STOCKLEY) was born Feb. 03, 1785 in W. VA, and died Sept. 02, 1851 in Warren Co.,

OH. He married DORCUS LIGGETT, daughter of JOHN LIGGETT and SUSANNAH BENNETT. She was born Feb. 02, 1794

WILLIAM LITTLE and DORCUS LIGGETT are:

PRUDENCE LITTLE, b. Dec. 10, 1817.

ELIZABETH ANN LITTLE, b. Oct. 1823.

BENJAMIN SMITH LITTLE, b. May 22, 1826.

DORCUS LITTLE, b. Aug. 26, 1833.

WILLIAM LITTLE, b. Nov. 02, 1835.

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Generation No. 3

3. WILLIAM LITTLE (WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLEY&)

was born Nov. 02, 1835. He married ELIZABETH WORLEY.

Child of WILLIAM LITTLE and ELIZABETH WORLEY is:

4. i. JOHN HOWARD LITTLE.

Generation No. 4

4. JOHN HOWARD LITTLE (WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLEY)

He married INEZ AILENE GARFIELD. Child of JOHN LITTLE and INEZ GARFIELD are:

5. i. WILLIAM GARFIELD LITTLE, b. July 03, 1903, Akron, OH; d. Oct. 02, 1995, Alamosa, Alamosa Co., CO.

Generation No. 5

5. WILLIAM GARFIELD LITTLE (JOHN HOWARD LITTLE, WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLEY)

was born July 03, 1903

in Akron, OH, and died Oct. 02, 1995 in Alamosa, Alamosa Co.,

CO. He married IONE BELLE DOUGHERTY. She was born Nov.

30, 1904 in Medora, Reno Co., KS, and died Oct. 15, 1996 in Del

Norte, CO.

Notes for WILLIAM GARFIELD LITTLE:

Was a USDA Fruit & Vegetable Inspector, following crops from

Colorado to Arizona to California and Idaho.

More about WILLIAM GARFIELD LITTLE:

Burial: Del Norte, Rio Grande Co., CO

Child of WILLIAM LITTLE and IONE DOUGHERTY is:

6. I. WILLIAM EUGENE LITTLE, b. July 31, 1927, Turlock, Stanislaus, Co., CA.

Generation No. 6

6. WILLIAM EUGENE LITTLE (WILLIAM GARFIELD JOHN HOWARD LITTLE, WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLEY)

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was born July 31, 1927 in Turlock, Stanislaus, Co., CA. He married CHARLENE SUSAN TAYLOR Feb. 05, 1948 in Gunnison, CO, daughter of FRANK TAYLOR and HALLAMARIE SMITH. She

was born July 31, 1927 in Denver, CO, and died March 28, 2000 in

Notes for WILLIAM EUGENE LITTLE

Bill is Pastor Emeritus of 1st Presbyterian Church of Monte Vista, CO. He served in the US Army, Army Reserves and US Marine Corps, with overseas duty in Germany and Austria 1946-47; and Okinawa and Japan 1973-74. Ne received the Navy Achievement

WILLIAM LITTLE and CHARLENE TAYLOR are:

SUSAN MARIE LITTLE, b. Feb. 12, 1949.

PATRICIA TONE LITTLE, b. July 27, 1951.

WILLIAM FRANK LITTLE, b. April 10, 1954, Syracuse, Hamilton Co., KS.

Generation No. 7

7. SUSAN MARIE' LITTLE (WILLIAM EUGENE, WILLIAM GARFIELD JOHN HOWAR WILLIAM, WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLEV) was born Feb. 12, 1949. She married DONALD E. CUTHBERTSON April 1975

Child of DONALD CUTHBERTSON is

10. i. BRUCE CUTHBERTSON. He married STACY ? Their children: GAGE CUTHBERTSON and AUBREY CUTHBERTSON.

Children of SUSAN MARIE LITTLE and DONALD CUTHBERSTON

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are:

ALYSSA DIANNE CUTHBERTSON, b. June 16, STEPHANIE DAWN CUTHBERTSON, b. 1976. 1971.

8. PATRICIA IONE LITTLE (WILLIAM EUGENE, WILLIAM GARFIEL JOHN HO WAR/TI, WILLIAM, WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLEP) was born July 27, 1951. She married

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CHARLES ROBERT LITTLE, b. March 22, 1958,

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PATRICIA LITTLE and CLAYTON DURO are:

NAOMI MAHEILANI DURO, b. 1976.

VICTOR DURO, b. 1978

1- LEIALOHA DURO, b. 1981.

9. WILLIAM FRANK' LI1TLE (WILLIAM EUGENE, WILLIAM GARFIEL/9, JOHN HOWARO, WILLIAM3, WILLIAM CORNELL PI-IILIPSTOCKLE}") was born April 10, 1954 in Syracuse, Hamilton Co., KS. He married PATRICIA ANN GULL. She was born 1953 in Kaiserslautern, Germany.

Children of WILLIAM LITTLE and PATRICIA GULL are:

I. JUSTIN LAMARR° LITTLE, b. 1982.

ii. JASMINE LEE LITTLE, b. 1984.

Generation No. 8

10. ALYSSA DIANNE CUTHBERTSON (SUSAN MARIE LITTLE, WILLIAM EUGENE, WILLIAM GARFIELLTP, JOHN HOWAR WILLIA!?', WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLEY was born June 16, 1971. She married (1) CARL HAGEMANN. She married (2) COREY HELYER.

Children of ALYSSA CUTHBERTSON and CARL HAGEMANN are:

I. CARL ANDREW HAGEMANN

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MICHAEL HAGEMANN.

Children of

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ALYSSA CUTHBERTSON and COREY HELYER are:

DAMIAN HELYER.

ALEXANDER HELYER.

11. STEPHANIE DAWN CUTHBERTSON (SUSAN MARIE LITTLE, WILLIAM EUGENE, WILLIAM GARFIEL ri , JOHN HOWARLI, WILLIAM WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLEV) was born 1976. She married (1) DONALD SAVEGEAU. She married (2) PAUL JAMES.

Child of STEPHANIE CUTHBERTSON and DONALD SAVEGEAU

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is:

i. ASHLEY SAVEGEAU.

Child of STEPHANIE CUTHBERTSON and PAUL JAMES is:

ii. DAVID JAMES.

12. NAOMI MAHEILANI DURO (PATRICIA IONE LITHE, WILLIAM EUGEN WILLIAM GARFIEL JOHN HOWARD', WILLIAM WILLIAM CORNELL PHILIP STOCKLE) was born 1976. She married SHAE SWANSON.

Children of NAOMI DURO and SHAE SWANSON are:

I. JAYDON SWANSON.

U. NATHAN SWANSON.

Hi. VICTOR SWANSON.

iv. HALLA MARIE SWANSON.

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Wancla Maxine Savage

Dec. 5, 1921-May 4, 2002

Warida Maxine Savage, 80, of Beardstown, IL, died May 4 at Memorial Medical Center in Springfield. She was born Dec. 5, 1921 in Bates City, Mo., daughter of John Tiliman Jackson and Effie May Anthony. She married Clinton Houston Savage on June 7, 1941, in Lexington, Mo. He preceded her in death on Dec. 31, 1977.

Mrs. Savage was descended through John Littell b. 1646-

Anthony-Andrew-Ephraim-Amos-Archibald-Abigail-John Jackson.

Surviving are three sons, Lonnie Edward, Leo Paul and Byron Dale; 10 grandchildren; three sisters, Jerry Osborn, Pearl Savage (LFA #189) and Edna Moss; six nieces and six nephews. She was preceded in death by two brothers, one sister, and two sons, Gary Lee Savage and John Wayne Savage.

Mrs. Savage was a member of the Colonial Daughters of the 17 Century. She loved to quilt, bowl and travel.