

JOHNSTON COLQUHOUN
AND
JANE DONNEHAY
OF
IRELAND
AND
HOOKSTOWN, BEAVER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

WITH SPECIAL FOCUS ON THEIR SON

ROBERT CALHOUN,
HIS WIFE
MARY YOUNG
AND THEIR DESCENDANTS

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I. JOHNSTON COLQUHOUN AND JANE DONNEHAY ¹ of Ireland and Hookstown, Beaver County, Pennsylvania

Introduction—the Published Legend, Part Truth, Part Fantasy

“The progenitor of this family was Gloud or Thaddeus Calhoun, of Ireland, who married a sister of Lord Blaney, at Blaney’s Castle (now called Blarney). His son William married a Miss Sprowl, a daughter of Jane Johnston, who escaped the siege of Derry by hiding in a potato furrow....William had a son Johnston and a daughter Jane. Jane married a distant relation in Ireland, named Samuel Calhoun. They came to America and settled in South Carolina. The great statesman, John C. Calhoun, was their son. Johnston also came to America in 1790, in the Brig ‘Cunningham,’ and landed in Philadelphia. He lived three years in Kennigojig, Pa., then went to Washington County and rented a farm where the Washington County Home now stands. He sold provisions to the government troops commanded by George Washington, when he was sent to quell the whisky insurrection. In 1800 he bought over 300 acres of land at Mill Creek....”²

This legend has been published and quoted in Beaver County, Pennsylvania histories many times. Actual documents supporting Johnston Calhoun’s ancestry, however, are quite sparse.

Surely he came from Ireland—but he was a Scots Irishman. To the native Irish, he was not an Irishman at all.

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Johnston Calhoun/Colquhoun and his wife Jane Donnehay/Donaghy emigrated to America from Ulster in 1790. They had possibly lived in Letterkenny, Donegal County. The legend of their voyage to America states they sailed from Derry (Londonderry County) to Philadelphia aboard a notorious ship called the *Brig Cunningham*.

¹ “Colquhoun” is the Scottish spelling; Colhoune, Cahoon and variants are the Irish and American spellings. A common Irish spelling for “Donnehay” is “Donaghy.”

² *History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania* (Philadelphia: A. Warner & Co., Publishers, 1888), p. 832. See also John Calhoun Ewing, MD, “The Calhoun Family of The South Side of Beaver County, Pennsylvania, Pioneer Settlers and Rivermen,” (Typescript, Pittsburgh, PA, 1969). See also Alan Taliaferro Calhoun: A collection of manuscripts and correspondence provided to him by Calhoun family researchers, microfilmed by the Utah Genealogical Society in 1956. (LDS microfilm # 362375). The cited item appears under item #3 as “Johnston Calhoun 1753-1835, Beaver Co., PA.”

Conditions on the ship were so deplorable that the Captain, Robert Cunningham, was tried, convicted and sentenced by a Philadelphia court for brutality and ill treatment of passengers.³ Although sentenced to prison, Robert Cunningham served only a short time because his friends exercised influence over the court resulting in his early release in 1791.⁴

Family legend suggests that Johnston's year-old daughter, Mary, died on the voyage.⁵ His son, Robert, born in 1790-92, was probably born after the voyage, possibly in Franklin County, PA.⁶

Of the many *Colquhouns* who came from Ireland to Pennsylvania in the 1700's, most used the name "Colhoon," "Colhoune", or "Calhoun." Johnston often used the spelling "Calhound." Johnston's Irish cousins can be traced through a line of the Scottish Clan *Colquhoun* whose ancestral home is located on the west shore of Loch Lomond in Dunbartonshire, Scotland.

Clan Colquhoun--Scotland and Ulster

The Clan had struggled over the centuries fighting neighboring clans and the English Crown to maintain its lands and status in Dunbartonshire. In 1602 they lost heavily to the clan McGregor. The epic poem, "Lady of the Lake," by Sir Walter Scott, tells the story of the bravery of the Colquhoun men, the protest by their women and the loss of their lands. Popular legend suggests that the King took pity on the clan and granted land in Ulster to Alexander XV, Lord Colquhoun. Regardless of the royal motives, the Colquhouns did acquire a plantation across the sea in Ulster.⁷ In his will Alexander left this plantation to his son, **Adam**.⁸

The first Colquhoun to permanently settle in Ulster is thought to be Adam's only son, **Robert**, who occupied **Corkagh Manor** near Letterkenny in County Donegal. (Adam's cousin, **James**, 19th Lord Colquhoun, went to Ulster later. James married into the **Cunningham** family and settled in the lowlands south of Letterkenny.)⁹

Robert Colquhoun had several sons, including a **William** and a **Charles**.

³ The following reference was supplied by Britte Marie Perez, Anthropologist, Albuquerque, NM: J. Franklin Jameson, ed., "Letters of Phineas Bond, British Consul at Philadelphia," *Annual Report of the American Historical Association for the year 1897* (Washington, 1898), pp. 472-473, 482.

⁴ Ironically, Capt. Robert Cunningham may have been Johnston's cousin: the Cunninghams and Colquhouns of Dunbarton in Scotland and Ulster had intermarried for decades, if not centuries. A "Robert Cunningham" was enumerated in the 1790 U.S. Census for Franklin County, PA where Johnston was also enumerated. For discussion of Johnston's sons, see Appendix D.

⁵ Alan Taliferro Calhoun, Item # 3.

⁶ In the 1900 U.S. Census of Jackson Co., MO, Samuel V. Calhoun [son of Robert Calhoun], states that his father (Robert) was born in Ireland. However on the 1880 Census of Columbiana Co., OH, Robert's son, Alexander Y., states his father was born in Pennsylvania. Furthermore the 1790 U.S. Census of Franklin Co., PA and the 1800 Census of Beaver Co., PA, suggest Robert was born after 1790 and therefore in Pennsylvania.

⁷ Ulster included all of current Northern Ireland, plus Cavan, Monaghan and Donegal Counties which are now part of the Irish Republic.

⁸ Details of Colquhoun land holdings in Donegal Co., Ulster, and the will of Alexander XV are given in Appendix A.

⁹ Lewin Dwinnel McPherson, *Calhoun, Hamilton, Baskin and Related Families* (published by the author and Elizabeth Weir McPherson, 1957) page 7, 8, 80.

Many American Calhouns claim to descend from Robert's son, **William Campbell Colhoun**, through his son, *Alexander*. This line produced the American Statesman, **John C. Calhoun**.

Some Americans claim to descend from Robert's son, **Charles** Colquhoun. These claim that Charles was the father of Thomas, James and **Glad/Glout/Claud Thaddeus** Colquhoun. The latter, according to legend, was the father of another **William Colquhoun** —the father of **Johnston Calhoun**.¹⁰ This provides the supposed connection of Johnston Calhoun to John C. Calhoun. (See details in Appendix B.)

Johnston himself is said by one descendant to have been born at the "freehold and manor house of Barnvay" and that Jane Donnehay was the daughter of James Donaghay of Omagh, County Tyrone.¹¹

Many of the Colquhouns emigrated to America from Scotland and Ulster in the eighteenth century. Many Pennsylvania Calhouns descend from the above. (See Appendix C.)

This report will focus on the possible ancestors of Johnston Calhoun. It will also explore selected other immigrants from Ulster to Pennsylvania.

Calhoun Emigration to America—1733

The Englishman, William Penn, offered opportunities to non-English people to emigrate to America. With the burning of the Palatinate in 1689, it became impossible for Protestant dissidents on the Continent to safely express their religious faith. Penn promoted his new colony in Pennsylvania to Swiss and German sects who sought religious freedom. He negotiated peaceful treaties with native "Americans" and offered fertile land to those who would emigrate to his Commonwealth—with the dream of peace and tranquility. Response was not limited to the Swiss and Germans. Penn found many prospective settlers in Ulster

Some Colquhouns who had emigrated to Ulster in the previous century, found conditions deteriorating by 1695.

When the Woolens Act suppressing trade was passed in 1698, the Island of Eire fell into one of its darkest periods. Famine struck Ulster. Furthermore, the grants in Ulster awarded to Scots in Ulster for service to the English King expired in 1720. The Colquhouns, like many Scots, faced usurious renewal rates. Many of these more prosperous Scots chose to go to America.¹²

Among these immigrants to Pennsylvania—called *Scots-Irish*--were the grandsons of William Colquhoun, mentioned above. Unlike the Irish poor of the famine a hundred years later, many of these Scots-Irish of

¹⁰ Orval Calhoun, *Our Calhoun Family*, (Baltimore: Gateway Press, 1976). In Vol 3., pp. 731-737, 740, Vol. 4, p. 749 under "Descendants of Charles Colhoun," Orval Calhoun shows Cloud Thaddeus as one of his sons. This claim must be considered questionable for lack of evidence.

¹¹ Alan Taliaferro Calhoun, LDS microfilm 362675, item #3, correspondence from unidentified descendant of George Calhoun, son of Johnston Calhoun. The "Manor and Freehold of Barnvay has not yet been identified. It might be "Barravey, Longfield West Parish, County Tyrone.

¹² Rev. George P. Hayes, *Presbyterians*, (New York, 1892).

the early 1700s's had the means to emigrate to America without indenturing themselves into servitude. They had sufficient funds to acquire property in America.

Ancestors of John C. Calhoun

Many versions of the ancestry of the Statesman, John C. Calhoun, have been published over the decades. Some sources say *James Patrick Calhoun* sailed from Donegal to Philadelphia in 1733, perhaps with brothers. He brought his four sons and a married daughter and settled at Chestnut Level in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.¹³ James Patrick died there about 1741 and his wife and children then moved on to Augusta County, Virginia.¹⁴

The French and Indian War made life in Augusta County perilous—especially after Braddock's famous defeat in 1755. About 1756 the family fled Virginia for South Carolina where they settled at a place called *Long Cane Creek*.¹⁵ The settlement was raided by Cherokee in 1760 and the wife and eldest son of the immigrant, James Patrick, were killed. The youngest son, Patrick, survived. John C. Calhoun, the statesman, was the son of Patrick. The U.S. Senate biography of John C. Calhoun states that his father, Patrick Calhoun was one of the most prosperous planters, one of the largest slave owners, and a leader in local politics.¹⁶

Descendants of many Pennsylvania Calhoun immigrants claim their ancestors also emigrated in 1733 and of these many claim the same ancestor as John C. Calhoun. (See Appendix C for variations on the Calhoun voyage of 1733.) Pennsylvania records for the descendants of Hugh, Audley and Andrew Calhoun seem to support such connection. (See Appendix C, “Other Calhouns in Western Pennsylvania.”)

Johnston Colquhoun/Calhoun

Although one theory traces Johnston Calhoun to Charles Colquhoun, son of Robert of Corkagh, no proven lineage has been published. Johnston's journey to America on the Brig Cunningham suggests he might be related to the Colquhouns of Cunningham Manor in Donegal.

¹³ McPherson, pp. 8 and 80.

¹⁴ See Appendix B for documentary sources of the Calhoun emigration.

¹⁵ A.S. Sallen Jr., *South Carolina Historical and Genealogical Magazine*, Vol. XXXIX, 1938, p. 50, Vol. LIII, 1952, pp. 51-53 George Norbury MacKenzie, Op. Cit. states that the sons were James, Ezekiel, William and Patrick.

¹⁶ “U.S. Senate History and Art Home: Calhoun's Early Life and Career,” at www.senate.gov/artandhistory/history/common/generic/VP_Calhoun.htm

It is difficult to determine the origin of the myth presented on page 1. It was published in 1888 in a Warner's Beaver County history without giving a source. Elements of the same myth are contained in the correspondence cited previously by Alan Taliaferro Calhoun.¹⁷

The lineage from Charles to Johnston was more recently republished in Orval Calhoun's *Our Calhoun Family*.¹⁸ The source of that lineage was a scrapbook called, "History of the Calhoun Family—Scrapbooks and letters of the 1920 to 1950 era," by Spurgeon R. Calhoun. He may have read the Warner history—or he may have used another source. No one has yet quoted any primary Ulster sources for the birth of "Glad/Glound/Claud Colhoun."

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Johnston *Calhoun*, arrived in America in 1790—60-70 years after the first Calhoun immigrants. If he truly was the grandson of Charles of Letterkenny, then he was preceded by great uncles, Thomas and James who supposedly came to Pennsylvania in 1714. As already mentioned, Johnston and his family endured an infamous voyage to America on the Brig Cunningham. The voyage made history – at least in the courts. The following transcription gives the details.

"In 1788, for example, a Philadelphia court found against an Irish captain "for brutality and ill-treatment of his passengers." Eighteen months later, the Hibernian Society for the Relief of Immigrants from Ireland was founded in the same city. This society lost no time in denouncing **Captain Robert Cunningham** of the brig Cunningham (Derry to Philadelphia, 1790) for his "flagrant violations of the precepts of humanity" and later sponsored his indictment on charges of overcrowding and scarcity of provisions, despite the vessel's advertisement to the contrary. As a result, Cunningham was fined 500 [pounds sterling] and spent several months in prison. He was eventually released in April 1791 after "friends of the master" had petitioned for "relief" and "clemency." However, the appeal was not effective until the Hibernian Society itself was seen to formally support such leniency. (25) This case showed that the complaints of newly arrived Irish immigrants, as coordinated by their immigrant-aid societies, could not be ignored. Moreover, ship owners were again reminded that their passengers were no longer mere ballast for their holds."¹⁹

The ancestry of Johnston Calhoun has been the subject of legends of unknown origin. Local authors of nineteenth century Beaver County histories have perpetuated the myth presented in the Introduction. Johnston's legend was published once by Warner in 1888²⁰ and republished in 1969 by a Pittsburgh Doctor named John Calhoun Ewing.²¹

¹⁷ Alan Taliaferro Calhoun, Item # 3.

¹⁸ *Orval A. Calhoun: Our Calhoun Family*, Vol. 3, p. 732, Vol. 4, p. 769 (Baltimore: Gateway Press, 1976, 1991.)

¹⁹ Maurice J. Bric, "Patterns of Irish emigration to America, 1783-1800," *Eire-Ireland: Journal of Irish Studies*, Spring Summer 2001, citing: FJ, 30 August 1788; *Philadelphia American Daily Advertiser (ADA)*, 4 March 1791. For the Cunningham case, see *Phineas Bond*, 472-73, 482 (Phineas Bond to the duke of Leeds, 3 January, 3 May 1791); *Journal of the First Session of the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Philadelphia, 1790)*, 339; *Journal of the Senate of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (Philadelphia, 1791)*, 253, 255, 257; and Erna Risch, "Immigrant Aid Societies before 1820," *Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography (PMHB)* 60 (1936), 31-32.

²⁰ *History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania*, p. 832..

²¹ John Calhoun Ewing, M.D., op. cit.

Compared to this frivolous story, the facts relating to Johnston's ancestry are rather meager. He was born about 1752/3 according to his death notice.²² The legend, if not totally true, may contain a germ of truth. Parsing the tale produces the following analysis:

Johnston's paternal grandfather, according to the legend, was named "Gloud" or "Thaddeus" Colquhoun, which has not been proved or disproved. He supposedly married the sister of "Lord Blaney/Blarney." The legend claims the couple married at "Blarney Castle," which is improbable—certainly not logical.²³

However, if the name "Blaney" is substituted for "Blarney," the legend makes more sense. The English *Blayneys* acquired estates in County Monaghan in Ulster where they named their estate, *Blaneycastle* or *Castleblaney*. A Calhoun-Blaney marriage makes more sense—but searching the records of the Lords Blaney no such record has yet been found.

No given name of "Gloud" has been found among Irish genealogies, but the name "**Claude**" does appear.²⁴

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In the legend, Johnston's maternal grandmother may be the most colorful figure. She was, reportedly, Jane Johnston (maiden name), a brave soul who escaped the Siege of Derry by hiding in a potato furrow.

That Johnston's grandmother was alive during the Siege fits historical context.

Jane must have married a Mr. Sprowl/Sproul, for in the legend her daughter is referred to as "Miss Sprowl" who later married William Colquhoun (supposed son of Gloud/Claude Thaddeus Colquhoun). William and Miss Sprowl had at least two children in Ulster: Johnston born in 1753 and Jane. None of this has been documented by civil or church records.²⁵

Church records from County Tyrone suggest a possible connection of Johnstons and Sprouls—three men who were ruling elders or commissioners in Laggan Presbytery: one was Robert Sproul of Donagheady, another was Robert Johnston of Omagh, and another John Johnston of Ardstraw.²⁶ In Londonderry County in 1709 a James Johnston of Drummullan, Derry,²⁷ is on a similar list.²⁸ Yet another list, this for Donegal County, shows James Colhoun and Michael Johnston at Innishowen; and John Colhoun at Letterkenny.²⁹

²² Ewing, op. cit., citing Warner, op. cit. p. 832 quoting Arra Jeffries Calhoun that Johnston Calhoun died in 1833 at age 82. This conflicts with the facts given in a newspaper article in 1834: *Argus*, October 17, 1834, Marriage record for Johnston Calhoun, Greene Twp., Beaver County, 82 years of age to Nan Miller, also of Greene Twp, 55 years of age, by Rev. George Scott on October 2, 1834. It is reported that he died the year following this marriage.

²³ Why would an Ulsterman marry the sister of an Irish nobleman at Blarney Castle in Cork—in the Catholic south of Eire? One of the Ulster Colquhouns, William, rode for the English King William to the Siege of Derry. Furthermore Charles Colquhoun of Letterkenny supported the Protestant Ulster cause--the Catholic authorities arrested Charles for High Treason.

²⁴ A few examples of the given name "Claude," have been noted in Ulster records. Among the men serving under 'Mr. Cahoune, Lard of Luce' [sic] in the 1630 Muster Rolls of Raphoe Barony, Donegal County, was a "Claud Doneill." (Adam Colquhoun married the daughter of Lindsay of Bonneill). A distant cousin was named Alexander Claudius Colhoune. Also a Sir Claud Hamilton was the original patentee in 1608 of Killkenny (Hamilton Rent Books, Abercorn Papers, Public Record Office, Northern Ireland.)

²⁵ Baptismal records from Derry, Ireland reveal three baptisms for parents named William and Jean Colhoune: the births were a William in 1726, a Jane in 1730 and an Edward in 1732. It seems possible this William might be Johnston's father-and Jean might be Miss Jean Sprowl daughter of Jane Johnston—William's father, in such case would have been a *William—not Gloud*.

²⁶ Ruling Elders and Commissioners 1620-1700, Tyrone County, Laggan Presbytery, Rev. Alexander G. Lecky, *Days of Laggan Presbytery* (Belfast: Davidson & McCormack, 1908)—as posted at Rootsweb.

²⁷ Drummolen is claimed by some Pennsylvania Calhouns to be the ancestral home of Hugh Calhoun. (See "Other Calhouns in Western Pennsylvania" in Appendix C.)

²⁸ Charles Knowles Bolton: "Home Towns of Ulster Families, 1691-1718, (From Presbyterian Synod records of Londonderry)" *Scotch Irish Pioneers in Ulster and America*, Appendix VI (1910).

²⁹ Ruling Elders and Commissioners, Donegal County 1672-1700 as compiled and transcribed by Len Swindley from *Days of Laggan Presbytery*, op. cit.

The most flagrant claim in the legend is that Johnston's sister, Jane, married a cousin named Samuel Calhoun and they spawned the future statesman, John C. Calhoun of South Carolina. ***Published genealogies for John C. Calhoun and the documents cited therein, prove that Johnston's sister Jane was not the mother of John C. Calhoun, statesman.***

The part of the legend that proves true, is that Johnston came to America on the ***Brig Cunningham*** and lived about three years at ***Conococheague (pronounced Kenni-go-gig)*** in Franklin County, Pennsylvania. This is supported by the appearance of Johnston Calhoun in the 1790 U.S. Census for Franklin County, Pennsylvania.³⁰ In that census he is called "***Johnston Calhound.***" He continued to be referred to as Calhound in local tax records and on an 1834 deed as well. Another Ulster Calhoun, James, had emigrated to Franklin County about 1760 but had moved on to Allegheny County after the Revolution. Johnston's emigration to Franklin County does not seem related to that of James. James may, however, be a very distant cousin. (See James of Letterkenny in Appendix C.)

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Johnston's arrival coincides with the Whiskey Insurrection in southwestern Pennsylvania. Local histories of Beaver County, Pennsylvania, claim that Johnston rented a home in Washington County in 1793. In 1795 he purchased Washington County land that later fell within the bounds of Beaver County when it was created in 1800.³¹ His westward migration may reflect his participation in the insurrection. (See Appendix C.)

Many Scots and Ulster Presbyterians had settled in Franklin County, Pennsylvania. The names of ***Cunningham, Johnston, and Young*** are often found in Franklin County church records. These same names are also frequently found in Presbyterian records of County Londonderry in Ulster. The intermarriages of Johnston's family with the Johnston's, Young's and Cunningham's suggests a possible group migration to Franklin County.

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Johnston and his family settled at the Pennsylvania frontier in troubled times. The land remained vulnerable to Indian raids long after the Revolution ended. The people had to defend their homes with scant government support.

Government resentment was already high, when in 1779 Congress passed a law to prevent distilling of spirits. Production of spirits was such an important part of the local economy that Congress backed off a month later to allow distillation of rye and barley. Nevertheless the government was suffering from the cost of war and desperate to find new revenues. In 1780 Congress levied an excise tax on spirits. The already resentful western people became enraged that they bore the brunt of the new nation's financial woes.

³⁰ U.S. 1790 Census, Franklin Co., PA, "Fannet, Hamilton, Letterkenny, Montgomery and Peters," National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), Microfilm 637, Roll 9, p. 317. (See image at Appendix I-2.)

³¹ Washington County Deed Book K, page 81, November 6, 1795 for land originally a Virginia Patent dated 23 Dec. 1779 (referenced in Beaver Co. Deed Book O, p. 430, 25 Jan 1837).

President Washington dispatched a corps of inspectors and revenue collectors to the countryside to search for Monongahela Rye and collect taxes on all stills. These revenue collectors entered homes and businesses without notice and demanded immediate payment wherever a still was discovered. Of the 2500 known stills in America most were in this area.

In 1791 the mountain people incited what became known as the Whiskey Rebellion. They burned the home of the local collector and robbed outgoing mail to gather intelligence on government operations. President Washington sent troops to quell it. Tar and feathers awaited government agents and sympathizers.³²

Robert Johnston was the first casualty. He was serving as excise collector in Washington and Allegheny Counties when in September of that year a party of armed men attacked him at Pigeon Creek in Washington County. They cut his hair and then tarred and feathered him. Raids on premises of other government agents continued through 1793.

George Washington came to Franklin County in 1794 and visited the home of Dr. Robert Johnston.

"...President George Washington came into the area to quell the opposition to the tax on whiskey that the federal government had levied. This incident in the nations history is known as the Whiskey Rebellion. In October of 1794, the President assembled an army at Carlisle..... On October 11, the military forces, led by Washington and his staff, left Carlisle and reached Chambersburg that evening. The next day, they marched to Greencastle. The President visited his friend, Dr. Robert Johnston, and stayed overnight in the Johnston home....George Washington's visit with Dr. Johnston was due to a friendship that had been established in the Revolution....President Jefferson appointed Dr. Johnston as the United States revenue collector for western Pennsylvania...."³³

This suggests the remote possibility that Johnston Calhoun's contact with Washington came through **Dr. Johnston**. Sometime after his arrival in Washington County, Johnston contracted to sell provisions to the U.S. Government to put down the Whiskey Rebellion. He moved from Franklin to Washington County.³⁴ Robert Johnston had served in the Revolution. His family was one of the first settlers at Antrim in Franklin County about 1730 where John Johnston is shown in the original congregation of the West Conococheague Presbyterian Church.³⁵

Johnston Calhoun, as stated above, provisioned the troops. As a new immigrant he must have alienated his new neighbors. However no evidence suggests he suffered any abuse for his actions. Johnston became a respected member of the community and a distiller himself. He was appointed Supervisor of Hanover Township in 1805 and auditor in 1809.³⁶

The early tax tables for Beaver County show the pervasiveness of distilleries. Curiously, one of the distillers listed in County Taxables of 1802 was Benjamin Cunningham. Lawsuits were filed in Circuit

³² William Findley, *History of the Insurrection in the Four Western Counties of Pennsylvania*, rept (Spartanburg, SC: The Reprint Co. Publishers, 1984) pp. 26-29, 58-59.

³³ *Conococheague, A History of Greencastle and Antrim 1736-1977* (Greencastle-Antrim School Dist.: 1971) pp. 14-15 citing *History of Franklin County, PA*, (Philadelphia: Warner, Beers & Co., 1887).

³⁴ Ewing, op. cit. does not state whether Johnston removed to Washington County before or after contracting with the government.

³⁵ *History of Upper West Conococheague Presbyterian Church* (Mercersburg, July 1975), p. 19.

³⁶ Ewing, op. cit. citing *Warner*, op. cit., pp. 125, 131.

Court against Johnstons and Cunninghams in nearby Shenango Township.³⁷ The 1805 Tax List for New Hanover Township shows Johnston himself as a distiller:

*Johnston Calhound [sic], 225 acres, 2 horses, 3 cows and a distillery*³⁸

James Whitehill, 175 acres, 1 horse, 3 cows, distillery and James Whitehill, single man, 193 acres, 1 horse
[Johnston's granddaughter, Jane, married a James Whitehill – probably a descendant of these men.]

Ewing related an anecdote in which Johnston built a mill in the creek and “put in a set of choppers. By putting the grain in the hopper in the morning when he stated to plow there would be enough ground by noon to feed his horses. On one occasion he accidentally shut his hound in and when he came to get the noon feed the hound had eaten all in the feedbox and was barking up the spout for more.”³⁹

Jane Donnehay/Donaghy Calhoun died in 1833 at age 82. The very next year Johnston remarried at age 82 to Nan Miller who was only 55.⁴⁰ Fourteen months later Johnston himself succumbed at age 83.⁴¹

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The theoretical Pedigree of Johnston Calhoun is shown in Appendix E.

The formal genealogy of the descendants of Johnston Calhoun is given in Appendix F.

³⁷ Rev. Joseph F. Bausman, A.M., *History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania and its Centennial Celebration*, Vol. 1 (The Knickerbocker Press, 1904)

³⁸ Posted at the usgenweb archives, Beaver Co., PA citing Beaver County Genealogical Society, *Gleanings*, Vol. XII, #3, Mar 1988. Notice the spelling “Calhound” is the same as on the 1790 census for Franklin County (See photocopy in Appendix).

³⁹ Ewing, op. cit. citing “Historical Events of the South Side of Beaver County,” p. 36.

⁴⁰ *Argus*, 17 Oct 1834, Rev. George Scott married Mrs. Nan Miller, 55, of Greene Township and Jonston Calhoun, 82, also of Greene Township on October 2, 1834.

⁴¹ Ewing, op. cit.

Family Group Sheet--Johnston Calhoun & Jane Donnehay

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] follow at page 19)

Husband: Johnston Calhoun^[G1,G2]

b. abt 1753, Ireland^[C12, C1-C4]

m. bef. 1774, Ireland

d. 10 Dec 1835, Mill Creek (Hookstown), PA^[B-1, F1, F2]

Wife: Jane Donnehay^[G1,G2]

b. abt. 1755, Ireland

d. abt. 1833, Mill Creek (Hookstown), PA

Husband's Father: William Calhoun^[G1]

Husband's Mother: ___ Sprowl/Sprou^[G1]

Wife's Father: James Donahagh

Wife's Mother: unknown

Children:^[G1, C1-C3]

1. Anne

b. 30 Sept 1785^[H1, H5]

m.

d. 27 Apr 1862^[H1], 31 Oct 1862^[H2]

sp. James Littell^[H1] (b. 1788, d. 1826)

2. William^{[G1, C1-C3, C6] 42}

b. abt. 1786,^{(G1, C1, C2]}

m.

d.^[E1]

3. Joseph^[C1-C2, C6, F2]

b. abt. 1787^[G1, H5]

m.

sp. Jane Littell, (dau. of William Littell) b. abt 1792, d. 21 Nov 1863^[H1, C8b]

4. Mary^[H2]

b. 1789, Ireland

d. in infancy at sea, 1790^[H2]

4. Robert^{[G1, C1-C3] 43}

b. 1790 [Pennsylvania]^[C1-C3, E1]

m. 12 Mar 1818, Columbiana Co. OH^[B2]

d. 21 July 1836^[F1-F3, E1]

sp. Mary Young^[B2]

5. George^[G1]

b. 1794

m.

d. aft 1841

sp. Lacye/Tracy Miller^[B4]

⁴² The source in H5 says William born in 1783.

⁴³ The source in H5 says Robert born in 1792.

II. ROBERT CALHOUN AND MARY YOUNG of Beaver County, Pennsylvania

Robert Calhoun, son of Johnston and Jane Donnehay Calhoun grew up with several brothers and sisters on his parents 300-acre farm on Mill Creek in Beaver County during the opening days of the Ohio frontier.⁴⁴

By the time Robert Calhoun was thirty the steam boat had transformed Ohio River travel into a luxurious and exciting excursion. Some of the Calhouns were rivermen—perhaps Robert’s brother, George. River life was hazardous. Steamboat captains saw each departure as a race. Boats often capsized or exploded. Stacks of cordwood replaced sycamore trees along the shore of the Ohio. Soon the wood piles were replaced with mounds of Pittsburgh coal. The rich coal seams drew more and more immigrants.

Robert married a woman named Mary Young whose family had been on the western frontier since the earliest days. She appears to have had a brother, Alexander and a sister, Martha.⁴⁵ The name Young appears frequently in Franklin County histories also. Some have suggested that Alexander was a descendant of an Alexander Young from County Tyrone who emigrated to Cumberland County, Pennsylvania and later lived in Westmoreland County. Tracing and proving such ancestry is beyond the scope of this report.

The couple raised three daughters and three sons in Hookstown on Mill Creek. Robert died at age 46 in 1836 leaving his widow, Mary, to raise their young family. One of the children was her new-born infant son, named Samuel V., born a year before his father’s death.

Many of the children of Robert’s nephew, Johnston (son of Joseph and Jane Littell Calhoun) migrated to Colorado. Robert’s descendants through his son, Samuel V. would also eventually go to Colorado and then California.



Fig. 1 *Grave of Robert and Mary Calhoun,
Mill Creek, Beaver County, Pennsylvania
photo by Andrew Bolton 2004*

⁴⁴ John Calhoun Ewing, *op. cit.*

⁴⁵ The 1850 U.S. Census in which Mary (Young) Calhoun is head of household, also contains a woman named Martha listed as “insane”. According to family researcher, Dorothy Tafani, Martha may have been what was then called feeble minded. Alexander Young, was a prosperous and generous man who gave financial aid to various members of the family. (See Sources, Robert Calhoun^(F1))

Family Group Sheet:--Robert Calhoun & Mary Young
(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] follow at page 19)

Husband: Robert Calhoun^[G1, C1-C3]

- b. 1790 Ireland or PA^{46 [C1-C3, E1]}
- m. 12 March 1818, Columbiana County, Ohio ^[B2]
- d. 21 July 1836, Hookstown, Beaver Co., PA ^[E1, F2, F3]
- bur. Old Mill Creek burial ground^[E1]

Wife: Mary Young ^[G1, C7]

- b. abt. 1799^[E1]
- d. 1 Sept 1858, Hookstown, Beaver Co. PA^[E1]
- bur. Old Mill Creek burial ground^[E1, E2]

Children:

1. John Y. ^[B3, F4, C6, C9b, C10d]
 - b. 9 Jan 1820 ^[D12]
 - m. [15 Feb 1860] Hollidays Cove, Brooke Co. [W]VA^[G5, B3]
 - d. 26 Jan 1893, Bloomington, McLean Co. IL. ^{[D12] 47}
 - sp. Charlotte E. Merriman^[F4] b. 23 Feb 1825 ^[H4], Berkshire, MA ^[C14, C15]
 - Children:
 - i. Frank A., i. Edward P.; iii. Mary J. (m. George N. Hamilton)
2. Jane ^[F4]
 - b.
 - m.
 - sp. James Whitehill ^[C9c, C10c, F4]
3. Alexander Y. ^[F3, C7, C8a, C0d, C10c]
 - b. abt. 1825, Hookstown, PA^[C7, C8]
 - m. 14 April 1856, Hancock County, [W]VA^[B6]
 - d. aft 9 Jan 1893 ^{[D12] 48}
 - sp. Caroline Cochrane/Corcoran^[B6]
4. Elizabeth Ann (Betsy)^[F4, C7]
 - b. abt 1828, Hookstown, Beaver Co. PA^[C7]
 - m.
 - d. Jan 1856, Hookstown, Beaver Co. PA^[E1]
 - sp. Rev. David Robinson (b. abt. 1810, d. Hookstown, 11 Feb 1861)^[E1, F4]
5. Mary Caroline ^[F4, C7]
 - b. abt. 1830 ^[C7]
 - m.
 - d. Dec 1855 ^[E1]
 - sp. [not married?]
6. Samuel V. ^[A1, C6, C9a] (continued next page)
 - b. 22 April 1835, Hookstown, Beaver Co., PA

Husband's Father: Johnston Calhoun ^[F1]

Husband's Mother: Jane Donnelly^[F1]

Wife's Father: unknown

Wife's Mother: unknown

⁴⁶ See Appendix D for discussion of Robert's birth

⁴⁷ Rev. John Y. Calhoun performed the marriage of John Griffith and a "Charlotte Merryman" at Holliday Cove, Brooke Co. VA in 1860;

⁴⁸ Alexander Y. Calhoun lived in Brooke Co. VA in 1860. He was mentioned in his brother's 1893 obituary as living in Wellsville, OH. ^[C8]

Samuel V. Calhoun (continued from previous page)

m.10 June 1869, Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH

d. 22 April 1906, Rich Hill, Bates Co., MO

sp. Verlinda Dawson

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III. SAMUEL V. CALHOUN AND VERLINDA DAWSON of Calcutta, Ohio and El Paso, Illinois

Samuel and Verlinda (Dawson) Calhoun lived in Calcutta, OH from their marriage in 1859 until the birth of their daughters Mary Caroline in 1861 and daughter, Ella in 1862. They migrated then to El Paso, Illinois near Bloomington where their daughter Eva Jane was born in 1865. Verlinda bore two children in El Paso--both died before the end of 1870.

Therefore, the genealogical record of the male Calhoun line from Samuel V. Calhoun seems to end with Samuel. There is no known record of any sons.

It appears that they migrated to Illinois with Samuel's older brother, ev. John Y. Calhoun who settled at Bloomington. Verlinda's brother, William Adelma Dawson also went to El Paso. (See Family Group Sheet: William Adelma Dawson & Armina Calvin.)^[C3] John Y. Calhoun became a wealthy farmer with \$100,000 in assets according to his obituary. He died in Bloomington in 1893 and is buried at Evergreen Cemetery.

Verlinda and Samuel stayed in Illinois into the 1870's and then migrated south. Verlinda died in Wichita in 1879.^[A1] There is no record that they actually lived in Wichita. Possibly Verlinda died in transit to their new home. After Verlinda's death, Samuel settled in Rich Hill, Missouri, while daughter's Ella and Mary lived in Wellington, Kansas where Ella taught school.^[A2] Ella may have taught school in Rich Hill as well).^[A2] It is not clear where Ella and her sisters met their respective husbands.

Samuel Calhoun lived in Rich Hill, Bates County, Missouri, through the 1890s. Rich Hill was in the coal mining of southwestern Missouri.

Sometime in the 1890s his daughter Mary Caroline, wife of Henry Holder, died.^[B10] Samuel's daughter Ella, who had moved to Colorado and Texas in the late 1890's, returned to visit Samuel in Rich Hill in 1898--perhaps on the event of her sister Caroline's death. Unfortunately, Ella's youngest daughter also died during the visit. After that, Samuel went to live with his son-in-law, Henry Holder and children, in Kansas City for a brief time in 1900. His daughter, Ella, her husband Charles West and their children also returned to Kansas City. Ella and Charles last son, Alfred, was born there in 1901.



Fig. 2 Verlinda Dawson Calhoun
tintype
gift of
Wayne Dawson, Tucson, Arizona

Johnston Colquhoun/Calhoun

Samuel apparently returned to his home in Rich Hill where his daughter, Eva Jane, wife of Bud Neptune still lived. Probably other kin had settled there as well. He spent his few remaining years with children and grandchildren and kin. He died in Rich Hill in 1906.^[A9]



Fig. 3 Grave of Samuel V. Calhoun

Rich Hill, Missouri (photo by author, 2005)

Family Group Sheet: Samuel V. Calhoun & Verlinda Dawson

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] follow at page 19)

Husband: Samuel V. Calhoun

b. 22 April 1835, Hookstown, Beaver Co., PA ^[A1,C7,C9,C12,D2]

m. 10 June 1859, Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH ^(A1)

d. 22 April 1906, Rich Hill, Bates Co., MO ^[A1,D2,D5,D8,B12],G7]

bur. Greenlawn Cem, Rich Hill, Bates Co. MO ^[B10]

Wife: Verlinda Dawson ^[C9]

b. 26 August 1831, Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH ^(A1)

d. 11 November 1879, Wichita, KS ^{(A1)⁴⁹}

bur. Unknown

Children:⁵⁰

1. Mary Caroline⁵¹

b. abt. 1861, OH ^[A2, C9, C10b]

m.

d. bef. 1900 ^{[D9,E6]⁵²}

sp. Henry T. Holder

2. Ella Beaver

b. 18 October 1862, Calcutta, Columbiana County, OH ^[A1, A2, C9, C10b,D1]

m. 8 October 1889, Kansas City, MO ^[A1,B5]

d. 1 December 1912, Kansas City, MO ^[A1,D1,]

bur. Mt Washington Cemetery, Kansas City ^[E3]

sp. Charles West ^[B4]

3. Eva Jane ^[G6,D10]

b. 15 April 1865, Bloomington, IL

m. 24 December 1883, Bates Co. MO

d. 5 July 1927, Nevada, Vernon Co., MO

bur. Greenlawn Cemetery, Rich Hill, Bates Co. MO

sp. James Beauregard (Bud) Neptune ^[G6,D10]

4. Infant son

b.

d. 25 Nov 1869, El Paso, IL ^[E4]

5. Dula May

b. abt 1868, El Paso, IL ^[C9]

d. 12 December 1870, El Paso, IL ^[E4]

Husband's Father: Robert Calhoun

Husband's Mother: Mary Young

Wife's Father: George Dawson

Wife's Mother: Narcissa Beaver Dawson

⁴⁹ The Calhouns' records in Wichita have not been investigated. Ella's autograph books [A2] indicate the family moved to Wellington shortly after Verlinda's death. They lived in El Paso, IL until at least 1870. See [H] under resources for discussion of Thomas Calhoun.

⁵⁰ There may be other children born to Samuel and Verlinda. The listed children are derived from census data and death records.

⁵¹ Mary Caroline is shown as Mary in the 1870 census and as Caroline in the 1880 census. She is probably the one referred to as 'sister Carrie' in Ella's autograph album.

⁵² Caroline (Calhoun) Holder may have died in the 1890s. The 1900 Census shows her father, Samuel, living with her widowed husband, Henry Holder, in Kansas City [C5]

Ella Beaver Calhoun and Charles O. West

Charles West and Ella Calhoun probably met in Rich Hill, Bates Co., MO. Ella had been teaching school in southern Kansas at Wellington. Her widower father lived in Rich Hill. Ella had cousins on her mother's side (Dawson) living in Stanley, Johnson County, Kansas near Kansas City. In the 1880's Charles and his siblings had lived in Kansas City--possibly near cousins on his mother's side (Griffith) and father's side (West).



Fig. 4 a Ella Calhoun West

*Original framed portrait in possession of
Marilou West Ficklin, Colfax, CA*

After their marriage Charles and Ella went west to Colorado with Charles' father and siblings. (Some of Ella's Dawson cousins also moved to Colorado.) Three of the West children were born in Colorado. Charles' father and siblings proceeded on to California, but the Dawsons remained in Colorado. Charles and Ella went to Texas briefly. Ella returned to Missouri to visit her father but during her visit her child, Cora Verlinda, died. Ella summoned Charles back to Missouri. The couple did not return to Texas but remained in Kansas City, MO the rest of their lives. The question remains: did Charles and Ella have kin in Texas? If so whose kin?

Ella died of kidney failure in 1912. Her son, Fred, married Lena Leota Harris in 1913, and her daughter, Marjorie married Walter Kruse in 1915.

Charles West remarried in 1917. About that time the youngest son, Alfred--still a teenager--left home, possibly in anger at his father (according to his own account).



Fig 4b

***Graves of Ella and
Charles West***

Independence, MO

Alfred had lived with his sister, Marjorie, until 1916. He left Kansas City at age 16 to follow the wheat harvest to Saskatchewan, Canada and then to Cumberland House where he worked for T. Eaton's selling traps and rifles to trading posts. He then made his way across Canada as a fur trapper until 1920 when he went to the southwest working on the railroad and as a ranch hand in Texas and New Mexico. In 1921 he settled briefly in Hollywood for a short career in silent film. In 1922 he went to San Francisco to work for Southern Pacific Railroad Company.

Charles West remained in Kansas City and stayed in contact with Ella's Dawson cousins in Stanley, Kansas. Charles died in 1932.

Daughter, Marge and her husband, Walter Kruse, had three children one of whom, Richard, served in WWII at the invasion of Normandy. Walter and Marjorie lived at various times in Kansas City and Cleveland. Walter worked for the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad.

Son, Fred and his wife Lena Leota Harris, had one daughter, Dorothy Jean. Dorothy Jean married 1936 in Los Angeles to Tommy Burke and had two children. Fred passed away in 1963 on a trip to see his family in Kansas City.



Fig. 4c. Children of Charles and Ella West:

Frederick V., Marjory, Alfred circa 1960

Family Group Sheet: Ella Beaver Calhoun & Charles O. West
(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] follow at page 19)

Husband: Charles O. West

b. 29 Sep 1862, Quincy, IL ^[A1]

m. 8 Oct 1889, Kansas City, MO ^[A1,B5] ⁵³

d. 16 June 1932, Kansas City, MO ^[D11]

bur. 17 June 1932, Mount Washington Cem., Independence, MO ^[E7]

Husband's Father: Orson Chiles West

Husband's Mother: Catherine Griffith

Wife: Ella Beaver Calhoun

b. 18 Oct 1862, Calcutta, OH ^[A1, A2, C9, C10, D1]

d. 1 Dec 1912, Kansas City, Jackson County, MO ^[A1, D1]

bur. 2 Dec 1912, Mount Washington Cem, Independence, MO ^[E3]

Wife's Father: Samuel V. Calhoun ^[A1]

Wife's Mother: Verlinda Dawson ^[A1]

Children: ^[A1]

1. Frederick Vincent ^[A1]

b. 29 Nov 1890, Denver, Arapahoe County, CO ^[A1]

m. 14 Oct 1913, Kansas City, MO ^[A1]

d. 4 Nov 1963, Kansas City, MO ^[A1]

sp. Lena Leota Harris ^[E1]

children: private

2. Cora Verlinda

b. 21 Nov 1892, Edgewater, Jefferson County, CO ^[A1]

m. Unmarried

d. 12 Jan 1898, Rich Hill, Bates Co., MO ^[A1]

bur.

3. Marjorie

b. 6 May 1896, Boulder, Boulder County, CO ^[A1]

m. 3 Nov 1915, Kansas City, MO ^[A1]

d.

bur.

sp. Walter Kruse ^[A1]

children: private)

4. Alfred Lynn

b. 30 Sep 1901, Kansas City, MO ^[A1]

m. 26 Dec 1926, San Francisco, CA ^[A1]

d. 20 Mar 1993, Seattle, WA ^[F1]

bur. Alta Mesa Cem. Palo Alto, Santa Clara, Co. CA

sp. Jewel Kathryn Herr ^[A1]

children: living

⁵³ Married second to Charlie Mae Garrett 21 March 1917, Kansas City, MO

Family Group Sheet: Mary Caroline Calhoun & Henry Holder

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] follow at page 19)

Husband: Henry T. Holder

b. 23 Apr 1860, Paola, KS^[C11]

m. (Also married 2: Nannie _____)

d. 31 Dec 1941, Pleasant Hill, Johnson Co. MO^[D6]

bur. Brooking Cemetery, Raytown, MO^[E6]

Husband's Father: Joseph Holder^[D6]

Husband's Mother:

Wife: Mary Caroline Calhoun ^[A2, C9, C10]

b. abt. 1861, OH^[D9, E6]

m. _____

d. bef. 1900 ⁵⁴

Wife's Father: Samuel V. Calhoun

Wife's Mother: Verlinda Dawson

Children: ⁷

1. Myron Lynn Holder^[E6]

b. 3 Dec 1895,

d. 1 Dec 1896,

2. Richard D. Holder^[D6]

b. 29 Aug 1888, MO

d. 6 Dec 1968

served in WW I

3. William C. Holder^[D7, D9]

b. 10 June 1894

d. 8 Feb 1932

served in WW I

⁵⁴ Caroline (Calhoun) Holder may have died in the 1890s. The 1900 Census shows her father, Samuel, living with her widowed husband, Henry, in Kansas City ^[C5]

Family Group Sheet: Eva Jane Calhoun & John Beauregard Neptune

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] follow at page 19)

Husband: James Beauregard (Bud) Neptune

b. 15 June 1861, Monongalia, West Virginia^[G6,D10]

d. 27 July 1943

Husband's Father: Absalom Neptune^[G6]

Husband's Mother: Ann S. Brand

Wife: Eva Jane Calhoun

b. 15 April 1865, Bloomington, IL^[D10]

m. 24 December 1883, Bates Co. MO^[D10]

d. 5 July 1927, Nevada, Vernon Co., MO^[D10]

bur. at Greenlawn Cemetery, Rich Hill, Bates Co. MO

Wife's Father: Samuel V. Calhoun

Wife's Mother: Verlinda Dawson

Children:^[G6, D10]

Homer C.

b. 13 Oct 1884, Carbon Ctr, Vernon Co., MO

m. Myrtle Dodson

d. 16 Apr 1959 Rich Hill,^[D2]

Earl Absolam

b. 17 Dec 1886 Carbon Ctr

m.

d.

Guy Orlando

b. 4 Apr 1889, Carbon Ctr

m.

d.

Leo Vincent

b. 5 Nov 1891, Carbon Ctr

m.

d.

Basil Byron

b. 23 Nov 1895 Carbon Center

m.

d.

Sidney Carter

d. 7 Jan 1925, Rich Hill, Bates Co.^[D3]

James Myron

b. 30 Jan 1901 Bates Co.^[D4]

d. 16 May 1957

Paul Herschell

b. 8 Mar 1906, Bates Co.

SOURCE CITATIONS FOR FAMILY GROUP SHEETS

A. Private Family Records

1. Bible: *1886 Pictorial Family Bible*, Parallel Column Edition, King James and Revised Edition [with concordance, illustrated histories, aids to study] compiled from writings of Dr. William Smith, Dean Milman, Rev. John Kitto D.D., Drs. Von Ewald and Michelson.

Presented to Ella Calhoun West from Charles O. West, Dec. 25, 1890, Denver Colorado. Contains handwritten birth, death and marriage records as follows; transcriptions in one hand, 1835 to 1901, entries in various hands, 1912 to 1963. Final entry by Marilou West Ficklin, for death of Alfred Lynn West 1993.

2. Autograph Albums of Ella Calhoun:

[Album 1, starts Christmas 1879, last entry 19 Feb 1882. Lists various schools, possibly where Ella Calhoun taught]: Elkart School, Sumner, Sumner Co. KS , 1880-1881; Independence School, Wellington (Sumner Co. KS), 1881; North Muddy School, Rich Hill (Bates Co., MO), 1881-1882; Willow Branch School, Arthur, Vernon Co. MO, 1884. Also family entries: "cousin" Ollie Robinson Rich Hill, MO 19 March 1880; T.T. Robinson, Wellington, KS; "sister" Carrie, Wellington, KS, 4 April 1880; mention of travel on the "LL&G" ["Leavenworth, Lawrence and Galveston Railroad"]]

[Album 2, earliest entry 6 July 1880 Wellington KS, last entry 1896. Many entries "at home", Rich Hill, MO 1881-1884; cluster of entries 1888-9, Wellington, KS.] Key family entries: "sister"[in-law] Opal R. West, Sugarloaf, CO, 22 June 1896; "Charles" [future husband?] Rich Hill, MO, 25 February 1886; "sister" Mary, 4 Sept. 1881; "sister" Rosebud at "Brodie's" Rich Hill 18 Feb. 1882; at home 19 March 1881; "S.V.", [father] 12 Sept 1881; James Beauregard Neptune [future husband of sister Eva Jane Calhoun]. Reference to family migration: 1871 classmate, (Burgess) El Paso [IL] and 1887 Wellington, KS

3. Charles O. West Estate File Jackson County, MO, Probate Court case 37373. Widow's affidavit filed 21 July 1932 and Order Refusing Administration for Insufficiency of Property. Widow May West (2d wife) states value of items in estate: Books and Family Bible, \$10; Household goods, \$50; provisions, \$10 and one Essex Coupe, 1928 model, \$35.

B. Marriage Records and Announcements

1. Marriage notice, in *Argus*, 17 Oct 1834 (Abstract provided by Dorothy Tafini, 14 Nov 1986.): Johnston Calhoun, aged 82, Greene Township, to Nan Miller, aged 55, Greene Township, by Rev. George Scott on 2 Oct 1834.

2. *Colombiana County, Ohio Marriages 1800-1870*, comp. Carol Willsey Bell, CG, (Youngstown, OH: Bell Books, 1990): Robert Calhoun and Mary Young, 12 March 1818 by John Smith, JP, p. 213

3. Marriages of Brooke Co. VA/WV: John A. Griffith, son of A.W. and Nancy Griffith, m. 15 Feb 1860, [Charlotte Merryman]. marriage performed by John Y. Calhoun.

4. Illinois Marriages 1790-1860, Jordan Dodd, comp. Ancestry.com, 2004, marriage of George Calhoun to Lacye Miller.

5. Marriage License Charles O. West and Ella B. Calhoun, 7 Oct 1889, Kansas city, Jackson County, MO, # 2636; includes certification of marriage 8 Oct 1889 by George P. Wilson, Minister.

6. Marriage of Alexander Y. Calhoun to Caroline Cochrane, 14 April 1856, Marriage Register, Hancock County, WVA U.S. GenWeb Archives, usgwarchives.net/wv/hancock/marriage/marr001.txt.

Johnston Colquhoun/Calhoun

C. Census (See selected images in Appendix I)

1. 1790 U.S. Census, Franklin Co., PA, op. cit. Fannet, Hamilton, Letterkenny, Montgomery and Peters Townships.: Johnston Coulhoun: 2 males < 16, 1, male > 16 and 2 females. (See image at Appendix I – 2)
2. 1800 U.S. Census, Beaver Co. PA, Green Twp., NARA Microfilm M32, Roll 36, p. 189: Johnston Calhoun, 2 males <10, 1male 10-15, 1 male 16-25, 1 male >45, 1 female 10-15, 1 female > 45. (This image is too faint to print)
3. 1810 U.S. Census, Beaver Co. PA, Hanover Twp., NARA Microfilm M252, Roll, 45 , p. 420: Johnson Coldhoon, 1 male 10-16, 1 male 16-25, 1 male >45, 1 female 16-25, 1 female >45; William 1 male <10, 1 male 26-45, 1 female < 10, 1 female 26-45. (See image at Appendix I – 3)
4. 1820 U.S. Census, Beaver Co., PA, Greene Twp., NARA Microfilm M33, Roll, 96 , p. 110, Johnston Calhoun, 1 male <10, 1 male 16-25, 1 male 25-45, 1 male >45, 1 female 10-15, 1 female 16-25, 2 females > 45. (See image at Appendix I – 5)
- 5a. 1830 U.S. Census, Beaver Co., PA, Greene Twp, NARA Microfilm M19, Roll 165, p. 258 , Robert Calhoon, 2 males 5-10, 1 male 30-40, 1 female 5-10, 1 female 10-15, 1 female 30-40. (See image at Appendix I – 6)
- 5b. 1830 U.S. Census, Beaver Co., PA, Greene Twp, NARA Microfilm M19, Roll 165, p. 259, Johnston Calhoon, 1 male 70-80, 1 female 10-15, 1 female 70-80; and Joseph Calhoon 1 male <5, 1 male 15-20, 1 male 40-50, 2 females 5-10, 2 females 10-15, 1 female 40-50; and William Calhoon 3 males 5-10, 3 males 10-15, 2 males 15-20, 1 male 40-50, 1 female <5, ? female 30-40, 1 female 40-50. (See image at Appendix I – 7)
6. 1840 U.S. Census, Beaver County PA, Greene Twp., NARA Microfilm M704, Roll 444 p. 204 :Rev. John Y. Calhoun head of household [eldest son of the widow Mary Calhoun], and 1 male <5, 1 male 5-10,. 1 male 20-30, 2 females 10-15, 2 females 15-20, 1 female 40-50. Also Johnston 1 male 10-15, 1 male 20-30, 1female < 5, 1 female 20-30. Also Joseph Calhoun 1 male 10-15, 1 male 30-40, 2 females 5-10, 1 female 10-15, 2 females 15-20, 1 female 20-30. (See Appendix I-8)
- 7a. 1850 U.S. Census, Beaver County, PA, Greene Twp., NARA Microfilm M432, Roll 750, p. 257a: Mary Calhoun 51, b. PA: and children all b. PA: Elizabeth 22, Caroline 19, Alexander 17, Samuel 15, Martha Young insane, 53, William Obony laborer. (See image at Appendix I – 9)
- 7b. 1850 U.S. Census, Beaver County, PA, Greene Twp., NARA Microfilm M432, Roll 750, p. 257a Jane Calhoun [widow of Joseph] 60: and Agnes 15, Lavinia 18, George W. Bryan 24, Alice M. Bryan 24 (p. 275A)
- 7 c. 1850 U.S. Census, Beaver County, PA, Greene Twp., NARA Microfilm M432, Roll 750, p. 273b, David Robinson 40, O.S.P. Clergyman, b. PA; Letitia 40, b. OHb. PA; Lodavica 8, b. PA; Ivanova 6, b. PA; Ann, 4, b. PA; Nancy Randolph, 64, b.PA; Isabella Henry 18, b. OH; David Ramage, 16, b. OH. (See image at Appendix I – 10)
- 8a. 1860 U.S. Census, Brooke Co., Virginia, Dist 4, Holliday's Cove, NARA Microfilm M653, Roll 1337, Alex^r Y. Calhoun, 25, b. PA; Caroline Calhoun, 45, b. VA. (See image at Appendix I-13)
- 8b. 1860 U.S. Census, Beaver Co., Pennsylvania, Greene Twp, NARA Microfilm M653, Roll 1071, Jane Calhoun [widow of Joseph], 70, b.PA, in household of [son] Johnston Calhoun 47 b. PA, with [wife] Isabel 45-b. PA, children b. PA: Joseph 16, Eliza 14, Henry 12, John 10, Johnston 8, George 6, Emma 4, Samuel 1. (See image at Appendix I – 11)
- 8c. 1860 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co. OH, Liverpool, NARA Microfilm M653, Roll 948, p. 163. Alexander Young 72, b. 1788, PA (pers prop \$6,450, real estate \$35,000, wife Susan, 70. Next door "Samuel B. Calanan" and wife Belinda. This is undoubtedly Samuel V. Calhoun and Verlinda.(See image at Appendix I – 12)
- 8d. 1860 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co. OH, Middleton, NARA Microfilm M653, Roll 948, p. 212, James Whitehill 33, b. PA, farmer, Real Estate \$5000, Pers. Prop. \$700, Jane 37, b. PA, Mary L. 11, b. PA, John C. 9, b. PA, Robert W. 2, b. OH, Martha Young 63 b. PA. (See image at Appendix I – 14)
- 9a. 1870 U.S. Census, Woodford Co. IL, Ward 1, El Paso, NARA Microfilm M593, Roll 295, p. 284, line 33, household 83, Samuel Calhoun 38, b. PA, Real Estate \$2000, Pers. Prop. \$500, Miranda [sic] (Verlinda) 39 b. OH, Mary 9, b. OH, Ella 8, b. OH, Jane 5, b. IL, May 2, b. IL, Theo Robinson 15 b. PA. (See image at Appendix I – 17)

9b. 1870 U.S. Census, McLean Co. IL, NARA Microfilm M593, Roll 295, p.40A. John Y. Calhoun 51, Minister, Real Estate \$35000, Pers Prop. \$15000,- b. PA, Charlotte 43-b.MA, Frank A. 15- b. PA, Edward P. 14- b. PA, Mary J. b. IL, Anna 24, b.PA, Robert R. Morrow 25-Stationary Engineer, b. VA. (See image at Appendix I – 18)

9c. 1870 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co. OH, Middleton Twp., NARA Microfilm M593, Roll 1183, p. 237B. E. James Whitehill 43 farmer, b. PA, Real Estate \$29000, Pers. Prop. \$7200, Jane 46 b.PA, C. John 19, b. PA, W. Robert 12, b. OH, M. Laura 10,b. OH, O. James 1, b. OH. (See image at Appendix I – 16)

9d. 1870 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co. OH, Wellsville, Twp., NARA Microfilm M593, Roll 1184, p. 474A, Alexander Y. Calhoun, 37 tanner,-Pers. Prop. \$2280, b. PA, Caroline 35- b. WVA, and unrelated Maryetta "Woer" 30, housekeeper. b. PA. (See image at Appendix I – 15)

10a. 1880 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co. OH, Wellsville, Twp., NARA Microfilm T9, Roll 1002, ED. 64, p. 741B, :A. Y. Calhoun, 47, Carpenter, b. PA, Caroline 45, b. VA, Curtis [Corcaran] (brother) 56, b. VA, Mary [Corcaran] 84, b. VA, "Kiles," Hannah 21, b. OH, servant. (See image at Appendix I – 19)

10b. 1880 U.S. Census, Sumner Co. KS, City of Wellington, Ward 2, Supr. Dist 2, ED 212, NARA Microfilm T9, Roll 398, p. 8/9, household 44.

10c. 1880 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co. OH, Middleton Twp., NARA Microfilm T9, Roll _____, ED 54, p. 26: James Whitehill, 54, farmer, Jane 57 wife, John 28 son, daughter Mary 23, daughter Maud 3, Robert W.,22, James 11.(See image at Appendix I- 20)

10d. 1880 U.S. Census, McLean Co., IL, Bloomington, NARA Microfilm T9k Roll 230, ED 162, Image 012, Ancestry.com: J.Y. Calhoun 60, farmer b. PA (parents b. PA); C.E. Calhoun 54 b. MA (parents b. MA);, Frank Calhoun 24, RR brakeman, b. PA; Edward Calhoun, 22, RR Brakeman b. IL; Mary Calhoun 12, b. IL; Anna Robinson 30, single, b. PA (parents b. PA)

11. 1865 Kansas State Census, Douglas Co., Sarcoxie, Household 816/963

12. 1900 U.S. Census, Jackson Co., MO, West Port, ED 185, NARA Microfilm T623, Roll 865, sheet 12, line 81. Samuel V. Calhoun states that his father was born in Ireland and his mother was born in Pennsylvania. (See image at Appendix I – 21)

13. 1930 U.S. Census, Jackson County, MO, Kansas City Ward 15, Block 158, Charles West, age 67, Real Estate Salesman, b. IL, father b. VT [sic], mother b. OH, May West, age 51 b. MO, father b. Eng, Mother b. MO

14. 1900 U.S. Census, Jackson County, MO, Kansas City, NARA Microfilm T624, Roll 788, p. 94, ED 143, Ward 11, Charles O. West

15. 1910 U.S. Census, Los Angeles County, CA, NARA Microfilm T624, Roll 87, p. 11a, ED 327, household of George N. Hamilton showing Charlotte Calhoun age 85, mother-in-law.

16. 1920 U.S. Census, Los Angeles County, CA, NARA Microfilm T625, Roll 118, p. 13a, household of George N. Hamilton showing Charlotte Calhoun age 95, mother-in-law. (See image at Appendix I – 22)

D. Death Records and Obituaries

1. Ella B. Calhoun West death certificate, Missouri State Death Certificate, Register 3691, file 39183, 1 December 1912, Jackson Co., Kansas City. Age at death, 50; cause of death chronic interstitial nephritis. Residence 3201 E. 26th St. Burial at Mt. Washington.

2. Samuel V. Calhoun death record, Bates County, MO, Clerk: 71 yr. carpenter, died 4/23/1906 of old age, spouse name, Verlinda, burial 4/23/1906 at Greenlawn Cemetery

3.Homer Neptune death record, Bates County, MO, Clerk; d 16 Apr 1959 - 64 yr;

Johnston Colquhoun/Calhoun

4. Sidney Neptune death record, Bates County, MO, Clerk; son of J. B. & E. J. Neptune & Husb of M. Carter Neptune d 7 Jan 1925 - 27 yr.

5 James Neptune death record, Bates County, MO, d 16 May 1957.

6. Henry Thomas Holder b. 23 Apr 1860, Paola KS, d. 31 Dec 1941, Pleasant Hill, Johnson Co. MO at 81 y 8 m 8 d. of mitral regurgitation, hypertension. Informant Richard Holder (son who. D. 1968). Cert # 42277. Online Death Records 1910-1958. Father Joseph Holder b. NC, mother unknown

7. William Calhoun Holder b. 10 June 1894, MO, d. 8 Feb 1932, Kingsville, Johnson Co. MO. At 37 y 7 m 28 d by accidental death by tractor. Informant Henry T. Holder (father). Father Henry T. Holder b. KS; mother Mary C. Calhoun b. OH.

8 [S.V. Calhoun] "Died on his birthday", Mining Review, Rich Hill, MO, 26 April 1906, p. 5, c. 6: "S.V. Calhoun died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J.B. Neptune in the northwest part of the city at twenty-five minutes past one o'clock Sunday morning aged 71 years to the day. Deceased had been in feeble health for some time and his death was not unexpected. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Neptune of this city and Mrs. C.O. West who resides elsewhere. The funeral took place Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from the home. Rev. W.B. Chancellor of the First Presbyterian Church conducting the services. Burial was made in Greenlawn Cemetery.

9. William Holder obituary--son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Holder: loose clipping (abt. 1932) in Family Bible (A. above) showing William, aged 38, a WWI vet living with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Holder. [1900 U.S. Census shows William, age six, living with his brother, Richard, his father, Henry, and grandfather Samuel V. Calhoun. Therefore his mother, Mary/Caroline Calhoun Holder, was presumed deceased before that time.

10. Eva Calhoun Neptune obituary: loose clipping in Family Bible (A. above) "Mrs. J.B. Neptune passes away at Nevada Hospital." It further states that she died of pernicious anemia and gives birth as 15 April 1865, Bloomington, IL; marriage as 24 Dec 1883 to J.B. Neptune. States she came to Bates County in 1881 with her parents [but her mother had died in 1879 according to family Bible.] It lists her children and their residences. It also gives funeral details. The Bates County Death Index lists her death as "Mrs. Eva J. Neptune, dau. of S. V. Calhoun & _____ Duncan [sic] & wife of J. B. Neptune died 5 July 1927 at 62 years."

11. Missouri State Death Certificate, Charles "Arson" West, Jackson Co., MO, Register # 2412.

12. Obituary of J.Y. Calhoun, *Bloomington* _____, 26 Jan 1893, p. 5.. Also McLean Co. Death Register. Burial at Evergreen Cemetery. [No surviving stone]. The location of the cemetery is not known—but it may possibly be the Evergreen Cemetery in El Paso, IL where the infants of Samuel V. Calhoun are buried. (See E4 below)

E. Cemetery Inscriptions

1. "Old Mill Creek Church Cemetery Record," typescript, Harvey E. Faulk, compiler, General Anthony Wayne Chapter Sons of the American Revolution, 5 Dec 1962 [many transcription errors].

Joseph Calhoun, d. 6-30-1845, age 58 years

Jane Calhoun w/o Joseph, d. 11-21-1863, age [71] years, 9 months, 20 days

William Calhoun, (War of 1812) d. 27 Dec. 1838 at 52 years [Thought to be son of William Calhoun of Shippingport--not son of Johnston]

Robert Calhoun d. 21 July 1836 (The transcription reads: "Robert #36 d. 7-22-1836 at age 15.") However the tombstone photo appears to read: "Robert Calhoun, July 21, 1836 in the 46th year..."

Mary Calhoun, d. 1 Sep 1858 at age 60 [Robert's wife--on same tombstone with Robert]

Elizabeth N. Robinson, [wife of] Rev. D. Robinson died Jan [?] 1856 in the 28th year..."

Mary C. Calhoun d. Dec. [?] 185[?] in the 25t year....[On same stone as her sister Elizabeth]

Robinson: Rev. David d. 22 Feb 1861, age 51 (Minister at Mill Creek 1842-1854)

Whitehill, James d. 10 Feb 1858 age 53 y 9 mo 27 day [probably the father of James Whitehill b. 1827, who m. Jane Calhoun]

Whitehill, Martha Ewing d. 10 Jul 1889, b. 27 Sept 1804 {probably wife of James Whitehill, above}

2. Photographs of gravestone at Old Mill Creek provided by Andrew Bolton, Pittsburgh, PA.
3. Ella Calhoun West buried at Mt. Washington Cemetery, Winner Road at Brookside, Independence, MO, Bridger Gardens 1, Bl. 4, Lot 686, interments 3347 and 14336. Inscription: "Mother Ella B. West, 1862-1912, Father Chas. O. West, 1862-1932." Gravestone photographed and burial record inspected on site May 2002. (See Orson West Family Group Sheet for burial details.)
4. Calhoun infant, son of S.V. and V Calhoun d. 25 Nov 1869; dau. Dula May, buried 2 Dec 1870, *Evergreen Cemetery, El Paso, IL* Published in El Paso, Illinois, Evergreen Cemetery ,(Peoria: Peoria Co. Genealogical Society, 1993).
5. S.V. Calhoun, Greenlawn Cemetery, Rich Hill, MO, North Potter section, Row A. Inscription: S. V. husb of Perlinda [sic] Calhoun d 23 Apr 1906.
6. *Brooking Cemetery Burials 1842-1988*, Raytown, MO, by Roberta Bonnewitz & Nancy Ferguson, 1988 : [Holder, H.T. 28 Aug 1860 - 15 Dec 1899] This is probably a transcription error in the book; Holder, Mary Calhoun wife; Holder, Myron Lynn, 1 Dec 1896 age 11 m 28 d
7. Tombstone of Charles West, Mt. Washington Cemetery, Independence, MO, Bridger Gardens 1, Bl. 4, Lot 686

F. Land Records (See images and transcripts in Appendix I)

1. Beaver Co. PA, Recorder, Deed, Robert Calhoun from Johnston and Jane Calhoun, 29 August 1833, Deed Bk. L, p. 476, 67 acres, Hookstown, part of Rutherford Patent from State of Virginia, 1779. (Image at Appendix I-30)
2. Beaver Co., PA Recorder, Agreement, 1 Dec 1840 between Mary Calhoun, Administrator of Estate of Robert Calhoun, dec. vs. Alexander Young, Joseph McCready and Joseph Calhoun, Administrator of Estate of Johnston Calhoun, dropping lawsuit pending in Court of Common Pleas in consideration of promissory note from Joseph Calhoun. (See image at Appendix I-31)
3. Beaver Co., PA Recorder, Deed to same 67-acre parcel granted by Samuel V. Calhoun, Alexander Y. Calhoun and Mary Calhoun to William Crawford 13 Nov 1856, Deed Book 38, p. 376-7.
4. Beaver Co., PA Recorder, Quitclaim, 29 June 1855, heirs of Robert Calhoun (David and Betsy Ann [Calhoun] Robinson, James and Jane [Calhoun] Whitehill, John Y. and Charlotte E. Calhoun) to Samuel V. and Mary Caroline Calhoun, Deed Bk. 38, p. 377-8, for 67-acre parcel on which Mary, widow of Robert Calhoun lives. (See image at Appendix I-32, I-33) Also Deed to same 67-acre parcel granted by Samuel V. Calhoun, Alexander Y. Calhoun and Mary Calhoun to William Crawford 13 Nov 1856, Deed Book 38, p. 376-7.
5. Deed to Samuel V. Calhoun from Alexander and Susan Young, 1 April 1860, Columbiana Co. OH, Deed to SE 1/4 Sec 35 Twp 6 R1, Bk. 64, p. 425.
6. Samuel Calhoun, federal public land purchase, 31 May 1870, 80 acres, \$800, north 1/2 SE 1/4 Sec. 20, Twp 27 R 3E, 3rd Mer., Livingston Co., Book 793, p. 278, Illinois Public Domain Land Tract Sales Database, online.
7. U.S. Land Patent to Samuel Calhoun, Fulton Co., IL, ne 1/4 Sec. 36, Twp. 3N, R1E, 4th Meridian (See also patent to John Young).

G. Published Histories

1. John Calhoun Ewing, MD, "The Johnston Calhoun Family of Greene Township, Beaver Co., PA," typescript, Pittsburgh, PA, 1969, no page number.
2. The History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania (Philadelphia and Chicago: A Warner & Co. Publishers, 1888), p. 832

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3. Jameson, J. Franklin, "Letters of Phineas Bond, British Consul at Philadelphia," Annual Report of the American Historical Association for the year 1897 (Washington: 1898), pp. 454-5,464-5,472-3,480-3.
4. Risch, Erna, "Immigrant Aid Societies before 1820," Pennsylvania Magazine of History and Biography, 60, 1936, pp. 31-2.
- 5 Orval Calhoun, Our Calhoun Family History, Vol. 3, p. 766
- 6 "Absolam Neptune" in The Town that Coal Built, Rich Hill Missouri 1880-1980, Centennial History Book Project, Rich Hill Lion's Club.
7. Rich Hill, 1883 Directory, Glenn & Cox, Lincoln, NE, p. 83:

H. Unpublished Sources and Correspondence

1. Correspondence with descendant of Anne Calhoun Littell: Dorothy Robinson Tafini, Lisbon, OH 14 Nov 1986
2. Correspondence with descendant of Anne Calhoun Littell: Andrew Bolton, Pittsburgh, PA, Sep-Nov 2004.
3. Correspondence with Britte Marie Perez, Albuquerque, NM, May 2008.
4. Rootsweb posting for birth of Charlotte Eugenia Merriman, christened 10 Apr 1826 at Dalton Congregational church, Berkshire, MA.
5. Correspondence from a descendant of George Calhoun to Alan Taliaferro Calhoun on LDS microfilm 362675, item #3, "Johnston Calhoun."

APPENDIX A COLQUHOUN--SCOTLAND AND IRELAND

Scotland, 1100 to 1600

The history of the Colquhoun Clan at Dunbarton mirrors the history of Scotland itself. Scotland had defended its boundary against England since the Roman occupation in the First Century AD. It was then known as *Caledonia*. Immigration from *Hibernia (Eire, Ireland)* across the Irish Sea—had intermixed the Scots and Irish people for centuries.

The Firth of Clyde, the land of "Conochon," remained in the family of exiled King Connacht for 400 years. As the language and people changed some say the name became 'Colquhoun'. Others say that the name Colquhoun stood for the Latin name, *Calcagus*, the ancient Caledonian hero who faced the Roman General, Agricola, in 84 AD. The Scots losses were severe but they remained a stubborn, fiercely independent, people for centuries. These mythical sources of the name *Colquhoun* are not supported by historical fact.

The documentary history of Clan Colquhoun dates to the reign of Alexander II, King of Scotland in 1214. Moved to action by the invasions of King John of England, Alexander relied on his clans to assist him.

Umphurius from Kilpatrick (1190-1260) at the Firth of the Clyde responded to the call to arms. Umphurius served well and obtained the charter to the lands of Colquhoun in Dunbartonshire from the Third Earl of Lennox. Sir Umphurius passed his new title and land to his son, Robert, who in turn passed it to his son Ingleramus and so on.⁵⁵

The Colquhouns of Luss

Three branches of the Clan Colquhoun emerged in Scotland: those of Luss, Tilliquhoun and Camstradden. This report focuses only on the **Clan Colquhoun of Luss**.⁵⁶

During the life of *Umpredes de Colquhoun* (1308-1330), King Edward II of England sought to recapture territory in Scotland. **King Robert Bruce of Scotland** was determined to prevent it and led his loyal clans to victory at the Battle of Bannockburn. The defeated English king returned to England where he was dethroned and murdered in 1327. Robert Bruce bestowed rewards on those who fought with him. ***Umpredes de Colquhoun***, was confirmed as '*dominus de eadem*' (*chief of the clan*).⁵⁷

⁵⁵ This genealogy relies in large part on excerpts from several sources, the principal of which are: (1) Sir William Fraser, *The Chiefs of Colquhoun and their Country*, (Edinburgh, 1869) as transcribed and annotated at the website, "The Ancestors of Charles Colquhoun of Six-Mile Cross (Use browser to search "Charles Colquhoun, Six-Mile-Cross")", and (2) the work of Lewin Dwinell McPherson, *Calhoun, Hamilton, Baskin and Related Families*, published by the Lewin Dwinell and Elizabeth Weir McPherson, 1957, pp. 7-10, 79-80.

⁵⁶ McPherson, op. cit., p. 5, 6 citing Charter of Malcomb, 3rd Earl of Lennox and other official documents.

⁵⁷ McPherson, p. 6 citing charter from King Robert Bruce.

Within the earldom of Lennox, Luss was a desirable valley located on the west shore of Loch Lomond. The Laird de Luss had only one heir, a daughter. **Sir Robert de Colquhoun**, son of Umpredes, managed to marry her. As husband of the sole heiress of the Laird of Luss, Robert acquired the lands along Loch Lomond in 1368. He became the first to bear the title **Sir Robert de Colquhoun and of Luss**.⁵⁸



Fig. 5 Arms:
Alexander Colquhoun XV

A legend—unconfirmed—states that a Colquhoun chief (perhaps Humphrey, son of Robert), was ordered by his King (perhaps **King David Bruce**, Son of Robert Bruce) to take Dunbarton Castle. Situated on steep towering cliffs, it was nearly insurmountable. The Chief, facing this significant challenge, made this historic (but understated) reply to his King: “*Si jui puis*”—“*If I can.*” The words became the clan motto. The chief then concocted a crafty scheme. He sponsored a great hunt for his neighbors as a ruse to draw them away from their castle. While they were away at his hunt, he simply moved his forces in and took possession.



Fig. 6 Colquhoun Tartan

The Scottish King rewarded the Colquhoun Chief for this success and made him an Earl, bestowing the Stag’s Head emblem on the Clan. The Clan Colquhoun memorialized this chief’s words as its motto along with the war cry “*Gnock Elachan.*”

John (1408-1439), son of Humphrey, lived during the time when Scottish King James I was imprisoned in England. John’s son, Malcomb, was one of the hostages held for the ransom of the King. When the King returned to Scotland he took revenge on the Earl of Lennox who had been disloyal. Sir John de Colquhoun sought the King’s favor by taking Castle Dunbarton from Lennox in 1424. Sir John became Governor of Dunbarton Caste but the reward was short, for he was murdered in a raid in 1439.

John’s grandson (and Malcomb’s son), also named John (1439-1478) was favored during the reign of King James II of Scotland. He acquired a charter to extensive lands and forests within Luss and was part of an embassy to King Edward IV of England. John was killed by a cannonball during the siege of Dunbarton Castle in 1478.⁵⁹

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When King Henry VIII of England renounced Rome in 1531 and declared himself to be the head of the Church of England, he began to take land in Ireland for the English Crown and his friends. During the reign of Henry’s daughter, Elizabeth I, the O’Neill rebellion in Ulster (the north of Ireland) was put down.

⁵⁸ McPherson, pp. 5, 6

⁵⁹ Sir William Fraser, op. cit.

To punish the Irish, more Catholic-owned estates were taken by the Crown and doled out to loyal Protestants. The Anglican Church was made the official church of Eire.

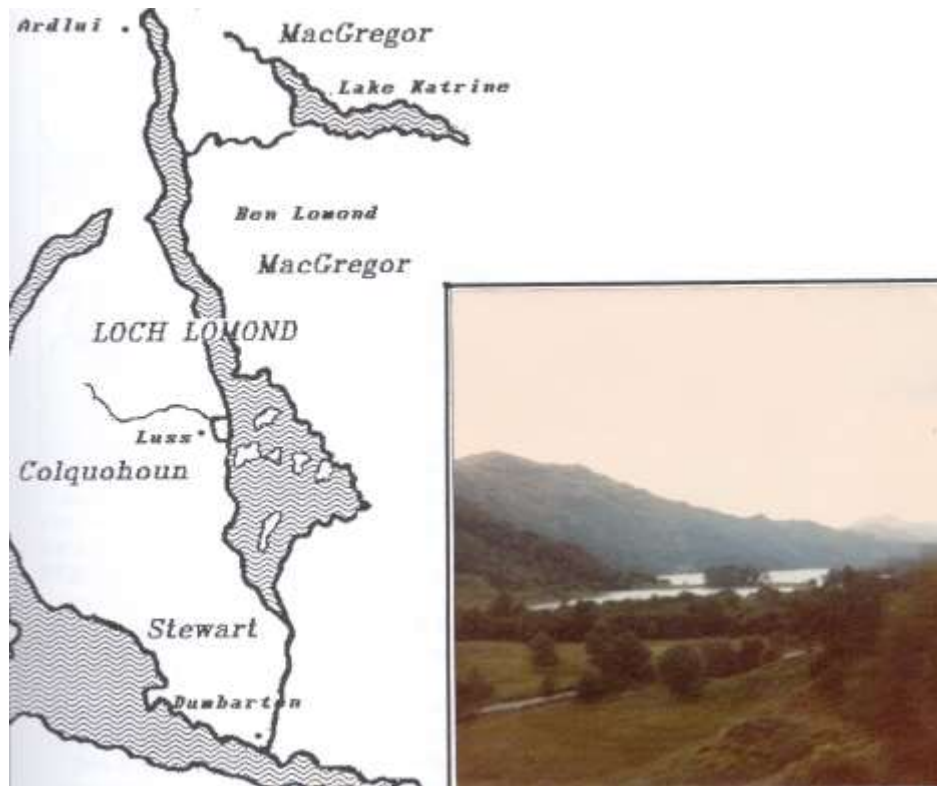


Fig. 7 Loch Lomond (1982)

Humphrey, the first-born son of **John, 13th Laird of Colquhoun**, went to battle to defend the lands of Luss against the hated MacGregors of Loch Katrine in 1592. The MacGregors began to devastate his harvest and steal his stock. **Humphrey, 14th Laird**, enlisted his neighbors to resist the invasions of his land but had to retreat to the Castle at Bannachra where one of his servants—a distant Colquhoun relation—betrayed him. Humphrey was shot to death in the castle. Humphrey's brother, the next in line as chief, accused of murdering him, was beheaded at Edinburgh Castle.⁶⁰

In that way **Alexander**, who was only the third male in line, inherited the title and became the **15th [XV] Laird of Colquhoun, (17th of Luss)**.

⁶⁰ Fraser, Vol. I, p. 159 citing "Diary of Robert Birrell, Burgess of Edinburgh Nov. 30 [1592] John Colquhoun was accused of murdering his brother. This is confusing: was it a servant or Humphrey's brother, John, who set up the murder?"

Alexander XV Laird of Colquhoun and Luss

In early December 1602 **Alexander XV** fought the final battle for the lands of **Luss** against Alastair MacGregor. The first battle was fought at Glenfinlas near Rhossdu in Luss. Two hundred Colquhouns were killed in the massacre. Following his loss Alexander went to Stirling to seek the King's support. The women of the Colquhoun warriors accompanied him carrying the bloody shirts of the wounded and killed. The King was persuaded to support Alexander XV, investing him with "the powers to repress crimes...and to apprehend perpetrators."⁶¹

The act of the King aroused the MacGregors to more aggression against the Colquhouns and they brought a large armed force to Glenfruin in February 1603. The MacGregor strategy trapped the Colquhouns and massacred 140 men, women and children⁶².

The King felt compassion for the Colquhoun survivors and hatred for the MacGregors. He officially crushed the whole Clan of MacGregor, "exterminated them, confiscated their lands and hunted them down like animals, allowing them the use of only simple blunted knives to defend themselves."⁶³ This conflict was immortalized in Sir Walter Scott's, "Lady of the Lake." The Colquhoun's Scottish lands along the lake at the village of Rhosdhu remained secure.

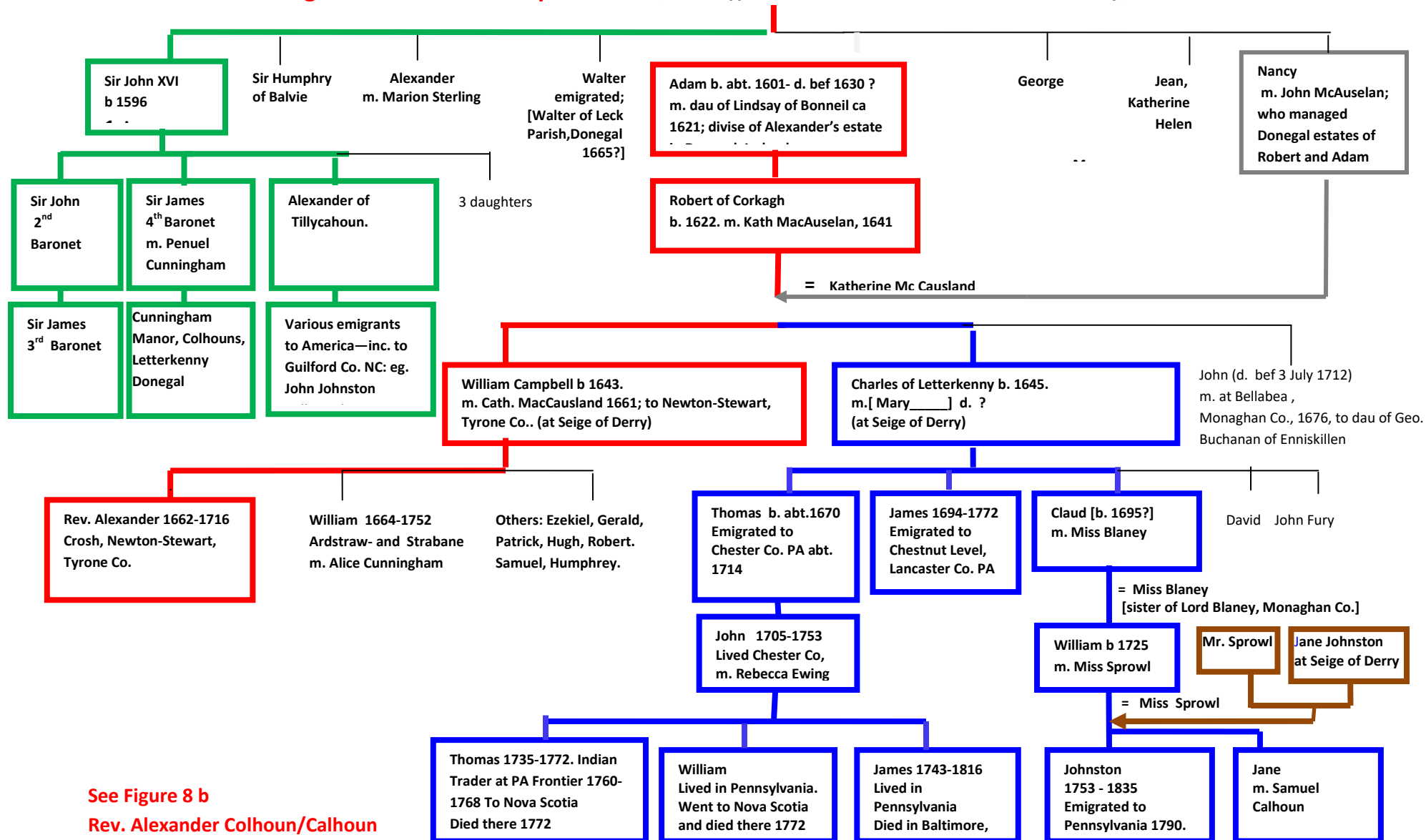
Many North American Colquhoun genealogies begin with **Alexander XV**.

⁶¹ Fraser, p. 189.

⁶² Fraser, pp. 193-196 gives a detailed description of the battle.

⁶³ James Scarlett, *Tartans of Scotland*, Littleworth Press, London, 1972. See also Fraser, p. 188-189.

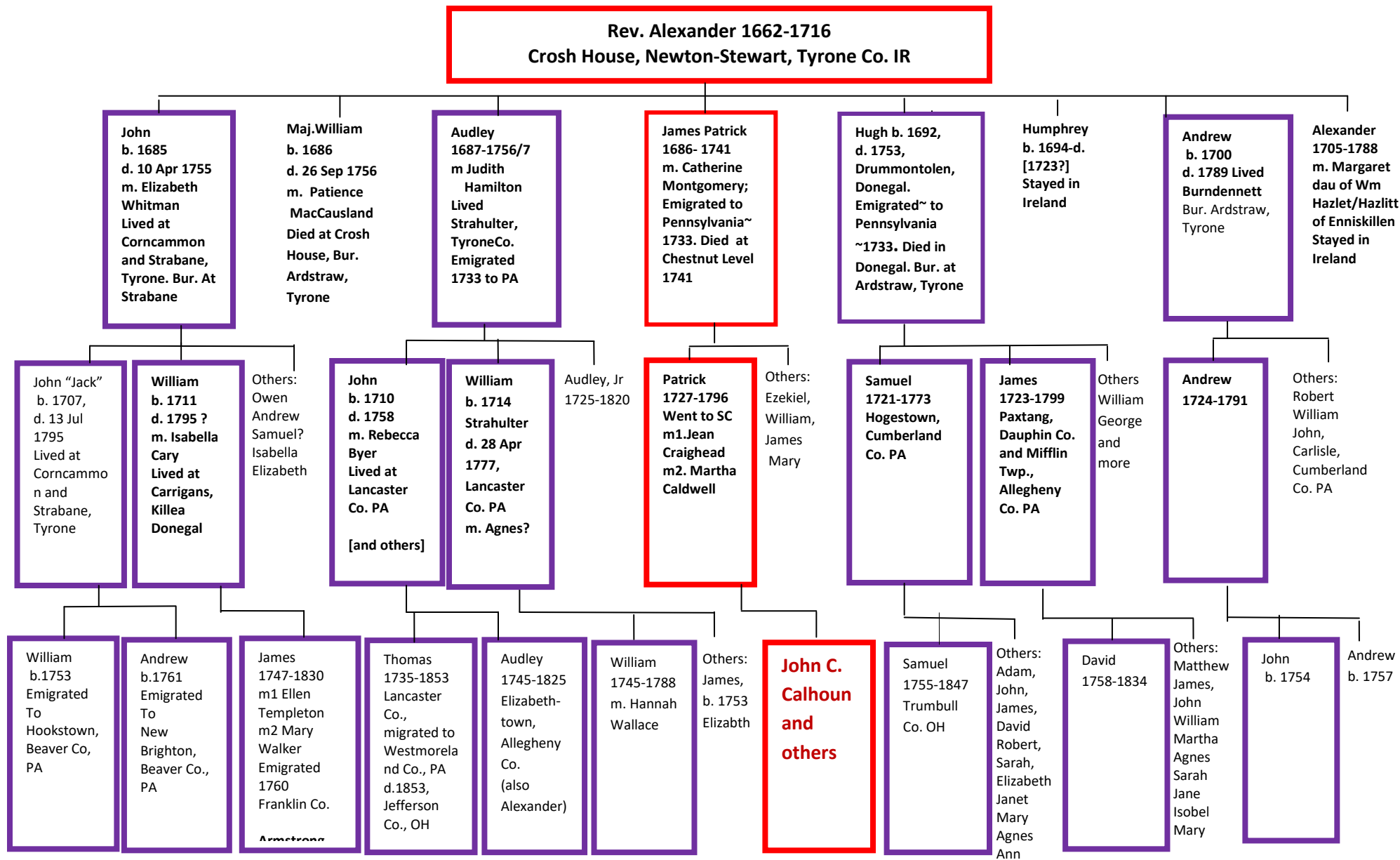
Fig. 8 a. Alexander Colquhoun XV (some hypothetical descendants—for discussion only)



See Figure 8 b
 Rev. Alexander Colhoun/Calhoun

Appendix A

Fig. 8 b. Rev. Alexander Colquhoun (1662-1716)—sons who went to America (Draft)



Appendix A

The Emigration to Donegal—1618

James Stuart (James VI of Scotland) became King James I of England upon the death of Queen Elizabeth I in 1603. As a Protestant and King he began to hand out land in Ulster (northern Eire/Ireland) to many Scottish clans. The King mandated that only Protestants could buy land or govern in Eire. Catholics on Eire began to suffer greatly under his rule. A legend suggests King James, took pity on the Colquhouns and gave them tracts of land in Ulster.⁶⁴

Alexander XV of Luss had many sons, some of whom emigrated to Ulster. Alexander was granted 1000 acres in Donegal County by the King in 1616. The patent to the Donegal land came with conditions. Alexander had to pay taxes on each 60 acres and post a performance bond of £2000. Within two years he had to build a barn in which to store an arsenal of arms. Furthermore he had to send enough settlers to defend the property. He himself—or his deputy—had to settle for five years. Alexander sent his son-in-law, John MacAuselan, husband of his daughter, Nancy, to manage the estate in Donegal called *Corkagh*. Alexander made a will in 1616 leaving the Ulster land to his fifth son, Adam. He also made his eldest son (John) responsible for the welfare of the other sons and daughters. Alexander XV died in 1617.⁶⁵

Adam, fifth son of Alexander XV, born about 1601, was a merchant in Dumbarton. He chose not to go to Ulster. He married a daughter of Lindsay of Donneill in 1621. Their only son, **Robert**, was born about 1622/23. John MacAuselan continued to manage the Corkagh estate. The census conducted by Pynnar in 1618-19 showed two free-holders at Corkagh: 1 with 200 acres and one with 300.⁶⁶ The property contained a barn and thatched house. Adam's wife died in 1629 after which Adam sent his son, **Robert**, to Corkagh to possess and manage the estate.⁶⁷

Adam's son, Robert **Colquhoun**, in 1641, married his first cousin, Katherine MacAuselan, daughter of John and Nancy MacAuselan. Other cousins of Robert are believed to have followed Robert to

⁶⁴ Land Grants in the Precinct of Portlough, Barony of Raphoe and County of Donegal, 1608 AD. Grantees: 1. Duke of Lennox (ie. Ludovic Stuart, 2nd Duke of Lennox); 2. Sir Walter Stewart, Laird of Minto;... 16. The Laird of Luss (Sir John Colquhoun), 1,000 acres called Cargagh.

See also Civil Survey 1654 Donegal, Barony of Raphoe, "Sir John Colchoun holdes the above pporcon of Corky as wee are informed by Patent first granted to Sr. Walt'r Stewart of Minto and afterwards purchased by present proprietors Grandfather Sr. Alexr. Colchoun to him and his sucesors forever." (UlsterAncestry.com, Ulster Historical Foundation.)"

See also The Muster Roll of the County of "Donnagall, 1630, as printed in *The Donegal Annau*, p. 1": The Barony of Rapho, The Lord Duke of Lynox, undertaker of 4000 acres, his men and armes:... James 'Calquahan,' 'Humphrey Colquhon,' 'Adam Quahone (sword and Calleuer)',... 'Mr. Cahoune Lard of Luce, undertaker of 1,000 acres, his men and armes', " 'Sir John Colchoun, British, Corky, protestant,' 'Capt. John Stewart, besieger of Derry').

⁶⁵ Will of Alexander Colquhoun dated 16 May 1617 cited at "Charles Colquhoun of Six Mile Cross."

⁶⁶ Pynnar's Survey of 1618: The Precinct of Porlough, appointed to Scottish Undertakers. (1. Duke of Lennox, chief undertaker of 2,000 acres, Sir Aulant, Knight, his resident agent. 2. Sir Walter Stewart, Knight, Laird of Minto, 1,000 acres... 16. The Laird of Luss (Sir John Colquhoun), 1,000 acres called Cargagh.) "The Laird of Lusse at one thousand acres, called Corgagh. Upon this proportion there is a Bawne of Clay and Stone sixty Feet square, ten Feet high, with two flankers, and a poor House within it, which is thatched." This raises the question about the actual ownership. The 'Laird of Lusse' would ordinarily refer to 'Sir John,' not Adam. Since some sources state that Sir John had a grant of 1000 acres, perhaps it is a technical detail: the 1000 acres owned by John and managed by Adam might be the same 1000 acres.

⁶⁷ Sir William Fraser, citing "Calendar of Patent and Close rolls, 1630, Letters Patent of Denization to Robert Colquhoun."

Appendix A

Donegal.⁶⁸ Many researchers believe that Robert is the ancestor of John C. Calhoun, American statesman.⁶⁹

Robert's son, William, removed from Corkagh to Newton-Stewart in County Tyrone sometime before the birth of his first son, Alexander in 1662.

Robert's son, Charles, apparently lived in Letterkenny in Donegal County a few miles from Corkagh.⁷⁰

Meanwhile, Alexander XV's eldest son, Sir John, inherited the title *Laird of Colquhoun XVI*, Lord of Luss, as well as the Loch Lomond estates in Dunbartonshire, Scotland. He was also granted the title 1st Baron of Nova Scotia in 1625.⁷¹ One legend says he ran off with his wife's sister in 1632—having used witchcraft and sorcery to seduce her.⁷² That same year he apparently acquired land in Ulster.⁷³ John's son, James, became the 4th Baronet and married Penuel Cunningham. Their descendants later settled at Rye twelve miles southwest of Letterkenny, County Donegal and established *Manor Cunningham*. Some of these Colquhouns and Cunninghams went in the late 1700's to America.⁷⁴ This suggests a connection to Johnston Calhoun and his emigration aboard the *Brig Cunningham*.⁷⁵

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Naturally the predominantly Catholic Irish resented the Protestant Scots intrusion. The Catholic Irish rebelled again and again in the 1600s. This was a time when Scottish immigrants to the north of Ireland found themselves opposed to Irish Catholics in the south.

The following synopsis may put the legend of Johnston Calhoun in the context of Ulster history. Johnston's forebears supposedly participated, one way or another, in the *Siege of Derry*.

⁶⁸ Corkagh is officially defined as: Corkagh, precinct of Portlough, Barony of Raphoe, County Donegal, Province of Ulster. The 1665 Hearth Money Roll of Raphoe shows Adam Colhoun, Sr. enumerated in "Corry" as well as James, John, John Jr. and David. Andrew Colhoun is listed in Taughboyne Parish at "Monein" and Patrick at Taghboyne. Leck Parish shows two men named Walter Colhoun. Many of the name Coningham, Johnston and Young are shown in Donaghmore Parish at Castlefin. (See the Rolls at the Donegal site at Rootsweb: www.freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~donegal).

⁶⁹ It is beyond the scope of this report to analyze or validate published claims on the ancestry of John C. Calhoun. Several sources are frequently cited in support of these claims. The first is Sir William Fraser (footnote 57). The second is McPherson (footnote 9) citing among others the Ancestry of Hon. John Caldwell Calhoun, in *The Life of John Caldwell Calhoun*, (publication details not shown). The third is a microfilmed manuscript collection labeled the "Colquhouns of Scotland, Ireland and America," by Alan Taliferro Calhoun, 1955. This manuscript claims to trace Calhoun genealogy from Alexander 5th Lord of Luss to Robert, to William, to Rev. Alexander, Curate of Clogharny [Records of Armagh Diocese--Rev Alexander published in 1690: "A True Relation of the actions of the Enniskillen Men."] These references imply participation in, and location of, Colhounes during Siege of Derry, 1689. These genealogies suggest the children of Rev. Alexander, born in Newton-Stewart, Tyrone Co., to be William (1786-1756), Alexander, Audley (Strathalter), and James Patrick.

⁷⁰ Orval Calhoun, op. cit. ("Descendants of Charles Colhoun," in *Our Calhoun Family History*, 1976, pp. 731-737). This source claims Charles Colquhoun was the ancestor of Johnston Colquhoun--but his claim is undocumented and therefore unproven.

⁷¹ McPherson, p. 79. James' son renounced his Loch Lomond estates and titles which subsequently passed to the Grant family.

⁷² Undocumented statement at ScotWeb

⁷³ McPherson, p. 79. States that Sir John came to Corkagh, Donegal in 1632 and had a patent for 1000 acres. No source is cited. McPherson further states that Sir John acquired 2100 acres from Sir Walter Stewart before 1620. His descendants are believed to have later (1700's) settled at Rossbracken and Rye west of Letterkenny at Manor Cunningham.

⁷⁴ McPherson, p. 79.

⁷⁵ English Land grants to Scots in Donegal show that Cunninghams, Hamiltons and Stewarts were major grantees. Various Irish and Scottish records show Colquhoun marriages into the Hamilton and Cunningham families.

Consider the situation of various families supposedly related to the “Colhounes” just prior to the Siege. In the Barony of Raphoe some of the land was in the control of the Church of England. Associated with the Church are the names of Johnston, Young and Sproul. This suggests a possible family connection between these surnames.⁷⁶



***Fig. 9 Typical Cottage in Rural Donegal County, Irish Republic
Photo by author, 1982⁷⁷***

⁷⁶ See Appendix E and G for discussion of later Ulster records.

⁷⁷ In 1982 the phone book for the Irish Republic (including Donegal County) listed less than a dozen “Colquhouns/Colhouns.” The Colhouns listed on the coast of Donegal appeared to be living in great austerity. At the same time, listings of “Calhouns” in the phone directories and censuses of every state in America suggested that the “Colhouns” had been prolific (and many prosperous and prominent) in America.

Meanwhile, as an outgrowth of the Protestant Reformation, Puritans in England revolted against the Crown and civil war erupted in England in 1642. Oliver Cromwell established what was called the “Protectorate” and ordered the beheading of the heir of James I, King Charles I. Under Cromwell’s policies, the Catholic Irish continued to suffer. The Protectorate lasted until 1660 when the English Monarchy was restored under King Charles II.

In 1665 the Irish Rebellion was rekindled. And a Hearthroll was taken in Donegal County and recorded these names: in Corcagh (Corky), Raymogh Parish, Raphoe Barony: Adam Colhoune, Sr, David, James and John Colhoune.

In 1685 Charles II had a stroke and died. James II of England succeeded Charles II to the throne.

James II was 51 years old and a Catholic. He began his rule by granting commissions to Catholics and promoting the causes of his religion. Catholics in Ireland were given important army commands. In fact the Commander-in-Chief of all Ireland and the Channel Fleet was given to a Catholic. Even in Scotland the position of Lord Deputy was given to a Catholic. This enraged the staunch fundamentalist Protestant Scots



Fig. 10 Ulster in the Rebellion

Great numbers of Scots protesting the decrees of the new King, left Scotland to exercise their previous grants in Ulster. Among them were the Colquhouns many of whom now went to Letterkenny in Donegal to protect the estates of **Adam Colquhoun** who acquired his plantation at the beginning of the century.

The native Irish Catholics were outraged at the intrusion of these Scottish Protestants. The critical religious differences overcame any common ancestral ties.

The Siege of Derry

Protestant England forced the abdication of James II in 1688. The English invited the Protestants William of Orange and his wife, Mary, to assume the throne of England. They came to England at the invitation of Parliament in what history has named the “Glorious Revolution.”

Meanwhile, James II escaped to France and gathered an invasion force of French troops and went to Ireland to save the island for Catholicism. He arrived March 12, 1689. His forces blockaded the city of Derry (called by the Ulster people ‘*Londonderry*’). James held all of Ireland. He referred to William, not as King of England, but as “Prince of Orange.” He called a parliament in Dublin on May 7, 1689. It formally denounced the supporters of William--“those persons who appeared in the Corporation Minutes ... of the Derry Siege Diaries as participators in the defence of Derry”. It further stated that “whereas a most horrid invasion was made by your Majesty’s unnatural enemy the Prince of Orange, invited thereunto and assisted by many of your Majesty’s rebellious and traitorous subjects...be it enacted that the persons hereinafter named....”⁷⁸

Among the accused traitors the Irish Parliament named: William Stewart, Viscount Mountjoy, Henry Lord Blaney of Monaghan and Chas. Calhoone of Letterkenny of the County of Donegal and Londonderry. This establishes that there was a political connection between Charles Calhoone and a Lord Blaney at the time of the Siege.

The Irish Parliament of James II also named members of the clergy who stayed in Londonderry during the Siege. Among these was a non-conformist (eg. Presbyterian), named “Mr. Johnston.”

Londonderry was still under siege when Protestant King William’s forces landed at Cork, in the South of Ireland. William then moved north and arrived at Derry on July 28, 1689.

Charles Colquhoun, son of Robert Colquhoun of Corkagh, was arrested, tried and convicted of high treason for his part in the rebellion against James II.⁷⁹ “Charles Colquhoun assisted with some horse from Letterkenny, and they join’d our force. Those and some thousands more came to the plain.”⁸⁰

William Colquhoun, also a son of Robert of Corkagh, led a troop of horseman to the Siege to fight the troops of James II.⁸¹

After the Siege was lifted in 1689, a petition signed by those who defended Derry was presented to King William. Among those who signed was *Thomas Johnstone*.⁸²

⁷⁸ www.UlsterAncestry.com

⁷⁹ "History of the Siege of Derry, 1689," City of Londonderry, 1951, p.91. “This gentleman was the ancestor of a respectable family, which is still resident at Letterkenny. He was attainted by King James Parliament with time given him to the 10th of Aug 1689 to surrender himself.”

⁸⁰ Armagh, MSS, Lib i, sec 17. See also "Walker's Diary of the Siege of Londonderry, 1689."

⁸¹ McPherson, op. cit, p. 80

⁸² Citizens and Defenders of The City of Londonderry, petition to William III, 1789, cited at UlsterAncestry.com

Jane Johnston, the alleged maternal grandmother of Johnston Calhoun, was a young girl during the Siege of Derry. According to myth, she hid in a potato furrow to save her own life. (See legend of Johnston Colquhoun in the *Introduction*, p. 1.)⁸³ Evidence that this girl existed or was somehow related to the Johnstons of Donegal or Derry has not yet been found.

William III of England and 14,000 English Protestant troops met James II at the Battle of Boyne in 1690 at Carrickfergus. William was victorious. James II fled. A treaty at Limerick finally ended the conflict in 1691.

Following the Battle of Boyne many of the Scots in Ulster were given thirty-one-year leases to plantations. These grants lapsed in 1720. Apparently Gentleman **Charles Colquhoun**, who had fought at the Siege of Derry in 1689,⁸⁴ was a victim of this change in economic circumstances. One source mentions that his claim was reduced to fifty acres and a "poor bawn."⁸⁵

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William Colquhoun's son, **Alexander**, known as "**Reverend Alexander**," married **Judith Hamilton**.⁸⁶ It is commonly accepted by Calhoun researchers that Rev. Alexander is the father of **James Patrick Calhoun** who emigrated to America in 1733. James Patrick is the grandfather of John C. Calhoun. It must be emphasized that other sons and many grandsons of Rev. Alexander Colquhoun also emigrated to America about that time, eg. Audley, Hugh and sons of Andrew left descendants in Pennsylvania and Virginia. William Colquhoun's brother John, born in 1650, may also have had descendants that emigrated to Pennsylvania.⁸⁷ (See Appendix C regarding Calhouns in Pennsylvania.)

⁸³ There is no proof that Jane was the ancestor of Johnston Calhoun.

⁸⁴ "History of the Siege of Derry, 1689," op. cit. p.91. See also "Walker's Diary of the Siege of Londonderry, 1689", in *Early Settlers of West End Derry, Pennsylvania, 1759*.

⁸⁵ Civil Survey of Donegal County, Ireland [op cit.?)

⁸⁶ McPherson, p. 8. The genealogy of 'Hamilton' may shed more light on the emigration of related families at this time.

⁸⁷ McPherson suggests John was the ancestor of John Calhoun of Paxton PA, George Calhoun of Mecklenburg Co., NC, and Adam Calhoun of Cub Creek, VA and possibly the ancestor of Alice Calhoun and her brothers.

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CALHOUN IMMIGRATION TO AMERICA

Faced with loss of land and widespread famine in Ulster in the 1720's and 1730's, many Colquhouns emigrated to North America, some to Canada, many to Pennsylvania, Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina.

Scotland unified with England in 1703 creating *Great Britain*. Restrictive economic policies strangled all of Ireland. Life for the Irish and Scots-Irish alike became unbearable.

Meanwhile, William Penn had acquired land for the new colony he called *Pennsylvania* and recruited oppressed Europeans desperate to escape intolerable religious, economic and political persecution.

The plight of the Ulster Scots and the availability of land in Pennsylvania made families like the Colquhouns able and ready to emigrate.

James Patrick Calhoun: Donegal to Pennsylvania, 1733

Rev. Alexander Colquhoun, son of a William Colquhoun of Corkagh, is generally believed to be the father of **James Patrick** Calhoun who was the grandfather of John C. Calhoun, U.S. Statesman.

Much speculation surrounds the supposed emigration of 1733. It has been studied by American Calhoun descendants for centuries. What American Calhoun descendant has not tried to establish a relationship to the famous politician?

It appears that many Colquhouns took the name *Colhoun* when they went to Ulster as reflected in official documents. (On the other hand, the names *Calhoun*, *Colhoun*, *Calhoon*, *Colhoon* and *Cahoon* were commonly used in America.)

John C. (Caldwell) Calhoun

James Patrick Calhoun is said to have left County Donegal in Ulster in 1733 in the company of several brothers.⁸⁸ He brought his four sons, **James, Ezekiel, William and Patrick**. Also in the party was his

⁸⁸ The names of the brothers of James Patrick are not often shown in the published histories of John C. Calhoun. But many manuscripts and postings on the World Wide Web, based on oral history, suggest that the brothers who accompanied James Patrick Calhoun to Pennsylvania included Hugh, Audley and perhaps Andrew. These settled in Pennsylvania and left descendants.

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daughter, Mary, her husband, John Noble, their son James and their infant son Patrick “*born aboard sail ship in Atlantic Ocean, 1733.*”⁸⁹ According to legend, they debarked at Providence, Rhode Island.⁹⁰ Although no documentation of the actual voyage has been found, the birth of Patrick Noble may establish the date. One Calhoun descendant states—without documentation-- that a large group of 142 Calhouns and relatives sailed to Providence Rhode Island in 1733 and then came to Pennsylvania. The claim specifically mentions the birth of the Noble infant on the voyage.⁹¹ In addition to brothers, Hugh, Audley and Andrew, the party may have included related families of Pickens, Montgomery, Noble, Hamilton and Crockett.

Since no ship’s document has been published, much of the speculation about the voyage comes from family legends and undisclosed family mementos—perhaps diaries, Bibles and correspondence. For instance, Rev. Joseph Patrick Calhoun of Florida related statements by his grandfather, Judge John Calhoun, that “eight brothers came to America,” and that “James [Patrick] Calhoun’s father did not come to America but died in Ireland and was buried there.”⁹²

Lewin Dwinell MacPherson cites two records to establish the emigration of James Patrick Calhoun: the obituary of John C. Calhoun and a “book published in 1917.”⁹³

James Patrick Calhoun and children settled in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania, at a place called “Chestnut Level” in southwestern Pennsylvania on the Susquehanna River.⁹⁴ There they met the *Caldwell* party. (This connection may link the Pennsylvania Calhouns to John C. Calhoun.)⁹⁵

In 1741 James Patrick Calhoun died just as the Shenandoah Valley of Virginia opened up for settlement.⁹⁶ In 1746 the widow of James Patrick Calhoun, with her sons and daughter, left for Staunton in Augusta County, Virginia.⁹⁷

⁸⁹ McPherson, p. 11 gives the names of the children of John and Mary Calhoun Noble: James born 1731 in Donegal; Alexander born “aboard sail ship in Atlantic Ocean, 1733;” Patrick born near Chestnut Level, Lancaster Co., PA; Jean born Augusta Co., VA; Ezekiel born 1751/2. The language of these notations suggest they might be from a family bible.

⁹⁰ McPherson, p. 9.

⁹¹ Orval Calhoun, Vol. 2, p. 353. He states the party may have first settled at “Northumberland County where George Calhoun (son of Hugh) already lived. It must be noted that the area that later became Northumberland County in 1772 was still unsettled country in 1733 and became part of Lancaster County.

⁹² Alan Taliaferro Calhoun collected and compiled unpublished accounts of this emigration from various descendants. One account came from Calvin Wells III of Mississippi who sent a transcript of an old manuscript (ca. 1830-1860) compiled by Cornelius Marion Hutton the grandson of Gen. Joseph Hutton and Nancy Calhoun who was the daughter of William Calhoun (uncle of John Caldwell Calhoun). The collection includes research performed at the Customs House, Dublin, Ireland, at the request of Mrs. D.F. Cahoon of Los Angeles in 1947. In response, Sir William Betham researched all Colquhoun Irish records at the Genealogy Office, Dublin Castle. The report was microfilmed in 1964.

⁹³ McPherson, p. 8, cites: (1) the obituary of John C. Calhoun, published in Washington DC in 1850 which states that his father was “Patrick Calhoun, Jr., of Bushfield, Londonderry Co., Ireland “probably from Portlough, Donegal who came to America in 1733.”(2) a “book published in 1917” that states, “There is a record of the ... residence of Patrick [Calhoun] and children Mary, James, Ezekiel, William and Patrick, J. removing from County Donegal to Lancaster, PA in 1733.” McPherson further cites Calhoun grave inscriptions at Monreagh Presbyterian Church and Cemetery as researched by Andrew Larence Calhoun in Belfast [date not stated].

⁹⁴ McPherson, p.9, Administration of Estate of Patrick Calhoun of Chestnut Level, Court Records, Lancaster County, PA: Adm. Rept. 4 May 1743; Settlement 4 May 1744. Documents civil and estate documents of Patrick Calhoun in Lancaster Co., PA. 1741-1744. Also McPherson, p. 10, Letter of Hon. John Caldwell Calhoun refers to records of the children of Patrick and Catherine Calhoun stating that Patrick Calhoun, Jr. was born in County Donegal 11 Jan 1727. This implies a family Bible record existed at that time.

⁹⁵ Some say Hugh Calhoun’s daughter, Martha Calhoun (1719-1802), married John Caldwell about 1739. Their daughter, Martha Caldwell, married her cousin, the widower, Patrick Calhoun. Their son was John C. Calhoun. Others dispute this. See Footnotes 99 and 100 below.

⁹⁶ McPherson, p. 9 citing the administration of the estate of James Patrick Calhoun in Lancaster Co., PA filed 4 May 1744.

⁹⁷ McPherson, p. 9 citing Augusta Co., VA records 1746-1755.

The French and Indian War soon broke out and settlers were subject to frequent French inspired raids by natives. The war did not go well for the English and the settlers. After General Braddock's famous—and humiliating defeat in Pennsylvania in 1755, the situation worsened. The Calhouns in Staunton fled to Long Cane Creek in the “Abbeville District” of South Carolina in 1756. Four years later, on February 1, 1760, Overhill Cherokee attacked Long Cane Creek. James Patrick Calhoun's widow and eldest son, James, were killed.

The youngest son, Patrick, married Jean Craighead who died in childbirth. He married again in 1770, to **Martha Caldwell**. Martha had been born in the Caldwell/Calhoun **Cub Creek** settlement in Charlotte County, Virginia. Their son, John C. Calhoun, was born at Long Cane Creek in 1782. It is well-documented that this John Caldwell Calhoun is the noted statesman and future Secretary of State and Vice-President.

The genealogy of Martha Caldwell, however, is less clear. The Caldwells had known the Calhoun's as early as in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania in 1727. Martha's father, John Caldwell, had then gone to Cub Creek in Charlotte County where he became an elder in the Presbyterian Church.⁹⁸ (He lived near Adam Calhoun, the son of William Cohoune, brother of Rev. Alexander Colhoune).

The identity of John Caldwell's wife is disputed. Some sources say that in 1639 John Caldwell married Martha Calhoun the daughter of Hugh Calhoun (brother of James Patrick).⁹⁹ In that case their daughter, Martha Caldwell, married her second cousin. An alternate genealogy claims John Caldwell married in Ireland and his son William was the father of Martha Caldwell.¹⁰⁰

Myth of Jane and Samuel Calhoun

Recall that the legend presented in the Introduction to this report, states that Johnston's sister Jane married her cousin Samuel Calhoun and they were the parents of John C. Calhoun. It is clear that the myth is false. There appears to be no connection at all between Johnston Calhoun and John C. Calhoun, the statesman. One possibility however suggests that the couple may have lived in South Carolina and might have named a son, *John C. Calhoun*.

The lives of Jane and Samuel were not researched for this report. Names like *Jane* and *Samuel* Calhoun are found in the Carolinas. There is a hint of a Calhoun-Johnston connection in North Carolina but no obvious connection to Johnston's sister, Jane, and brother-in-law, Samuel. The North Carolina records suggest that Calhouns and Johnstons may have migrated to North Carolina in the 1700's. A 1743 patent

⁹⁸ McPherson, pp. 80 and 90; also *Charlotte County, Rich Indeed*, compiled by T.S. Ailsworth, A.P. Keller, L.B. Nichols and B.R. Walker, Charlotte County Board of Supervisors, Charlotte County, VA, 1979

⁹⁹ Orval Calhoun, Vol. 2, p. 353. He cites the will (1778) of George Calhoun, son of Hugh and brother of Martha which mentions sister “Martha Calhoun, wife of John Caldwell” See also “U.S. Senate History and Art Home: Calhoun's Early Life and Career,” at www.senate.gov/artandhistory/history/common/generic/VP_Calhoun.htm. This source notes the confusion over Martha Caldwell and suggests that Martha Calhoun married a different John Caldwell.

¹⁰⁰ McPherson, page 65, states that John Caldwell of Ulster married Margaret Phillips in Ireland. Their son, William Caldwell, married Rebecca Parks and had daughter Martha Caldwell born 1750.

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to North Carolina land was issued to **William Calhoun** and **William Johnston**.¹⁰¹ An **Alexander Calhoun** died in 1775 in what was then Orange County, NC. His will names sons **James, John, Samuel and Alexander** and daughters, Jean, Easter and Isabel. James Irvin Calhoun's 1795 will in Guilford County names wife *Jennet* and sons **John Johnston** and **Samuel Calhoun** among others. The Guilford County will of **Jean (Jannette) Johnston Calhoun** (widow of James) was filed in May Court, Guilford Co., 1805.

These documents suggest an ancestry that includes families named *Johnston* and *Calhoun*, but no obvious connection to the Johnston Calhoun of this report has yet been found.

From the work of Orval Calhoun, this North Carolina line descends from a William of Tellerchewin, Scotland (1633-1675) son of Alexander Colquhoun the third son of Alexander XV. Members of this line emigrated to Massachusetts before going to Virginia and North Carolina. Therefore the connection to the Calhouns of this report is quite distant.¹⁰²

¹⁰¹ Patent 2568,2569, Edgecomb Co., NC, Bk. 5, p. 1, at Jumping Run as cited in Margaret M. Hofman, Abstracts of Land Patents, Col. Of NC 1735-1764, (Wilder, NC: Roanoke News, 1982) p.161.

¹⁰² One possible connection is intriguing. Andrew Calhoun, younger brother of James Patrick, had many children who emigrated to America—one settling at Carlisle, Pennsylvania, others in Wythe, Virginia. Andrew's youngest son, Samuel, went to Guilford County, North Carolina. Samuel was born about 1740 in Ulster. According to Orval Calhoun the name of his wife is not known—but they had a son named John born 20 Oct 1764. Samuel died in Guilford County. He would be the nephew of James Patrick and second cousin to John C. Calhoun. Owing to conflicting sources, the identity of Samuel's wife remains open.

APPENDIX C

CALHOUNS IN WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

Ships brought emigrants from Ireland and the Palatinate into ports on Delaware Bay like Philadelphia and New Castle in the early 1700's. Following dreams of land and a better life they soon flooded into the interior.

Three initial counties were created in Penn's Pennsylvania Colony: Bucks, Chester and Philadelphia, the staging area for settlers headed for the frontier. German settlers penetrated inland to the Susquehanna River in the first decade of the 1700s and the English set up a trading post there for the fur trade in 1720. As mentioned in Appendix A, James Patrick Calhoun may have been accompanied by two brothers when he arrived in America in 1733. Descendants of some Calhouns who settled in Lancaster and Cumberland Counties claim to descend from Audley, Hugh and Andrew—all brothers of James Patrick Calhoun.

Early Pennsylvania

Lancaster and Cumberland Counties

Lancaster County was created out of the unsettled frontier in 1729.

Cumberland County was created from Lancaster in 1750. It contained all of the southwestern territory of the Commonwealth west of the Susquehanna to the frontier. Many Calhouns settled in this region.

Frontier

Sawkunk— and the western frontier

As Europeans overran the eastern shore in the 1600's and 1700's the Delaware people were driven from their coastal villages and moved inland across the Allegheny mountains into the hunting land along Beaver Creek.

They were soon joined by the Shawnee driven from the Susquehanna. They called their village, Sawkunk, meaning the confluence of two rivers. It sat atop the western slope of the Alleghenies on the banks of the Beaver River where it empties into the Ohio River gorge.

"The region had always been hunting ground; its forests had abundant wild game, deer, bear, beavers and turkeys. Its streams yielded fish of enormous size: pike, catfish, sturgeon and other species extinct before ever named by

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white men. Sawkunk was located at a convergence of many major native trails and saw much of history ride across its center."¹⁰³

Scots Irish traders followed them over the mountains to set up a trading post. Among these were George Croghan and the trader, Thomas Calhoun from the Conestoga trade.

In 1748 representatives of the Delaware and Shawnee proposed to hold a council fire with the British Provincial Council. It would be held near Sawkunk. The councils of Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia attended. In the resulting treaty the Delaware and Shawnee agreed to respect the interests of the colonial government in return for the British promise to respect the tribal lands and hunting grounds.

Within two years the King of England broke the agreement and gave 500,000 acres of wilderness land south of the Ohio River to a group of Virginia investors called the "Ohio Company".

The village of Sawkunk endured the resulting French and Indian War.

Trader Thomas Calhoun and the Pontiac Rebellion

In 1763 a new leader rose up among the Six Nations. His name was *Pontiac*. He rallied many tribes to his cause and incited rebellion. Incidents of robbery and murder began to occur around Sawkunk. **Trader, Thomas Calhoun** who had been a prisoner at Shawnee Lower Town in Ohio Territory, came in from the Indian village at Tuscarawas on the Muskingum and reported on the hostilities. He stated that "Detroit was taken, the Post at Sandusky was burnt, and all the Garrison was put to death except the Officer who they made prisoner."¹⁰⁴

The Delaware Chiefs *Shingass* and *Beaver* anticipating the danger coming to Sawkunk, warned **Thomas Calhoun** that he should take his men and flee to the Ohio River. In spite of the warning Calhoun was ambushed and lost eleven of his thirteen men. He managed himself to escape to safety at Croghan's fort where he is shown in the census of 1761 as "Thomas Calhoun, lot 18, one house, one inhabitant. He was also shown on George Croghan's list of traders in 1763.¹⁰⁵ (The ancestry of Trader Thomas Calhoun is discussed at a companion report, "Calhouns of Western Pennsylvania 1758-1820.")

The Pontiac Rebellion was put down in 1763. By the resulting treaty Pennsylvania acquired a huge swath of land in 1768. It was known as the *New Purchase* and opened a wave of western settlement.

The village of Sawkunk became the town of **Beaver**. Several Calhoun families settled on both sides of the Ohio River after the Revolution. Their origins are shrouded by contradiction and myth.

¹⁰³ W. Sutherland Campbell, *Indian Days in Beaver County*, Beaver Area Heritage Foundation, Beaver, PA, 1975.

¹⁰⁴ "William Trent's Journal at Fort Pitt," ed. A.T. Volwiler, p. 394. See also C. Hale Sypes, *Indian Wars of Pennsylvania*, (np,nd), p. 420.

¹⁰⁵ Census list for Fort Pitt, 1761 and George Croghan's list of traders, 1763.

Revolutionary Period

Dunmore's War and Border Dispute with Virginia

It is said that even before the Pontiac Rebellion, 20,000 whites lived illegally in the Pennsylvania-[West] Virginia border region. Under the terms of the Treaty of Fort Stanwix settlement became legal and wealthy Virginia farmers began to flood into the wild and beautiful mountains of the Monongahela River to get a share of the land. At the same time Irish and German immigrants filed in from eastern Pennsylvania with the same intent. Both Pennsylvanians and Virginians claimed the land.

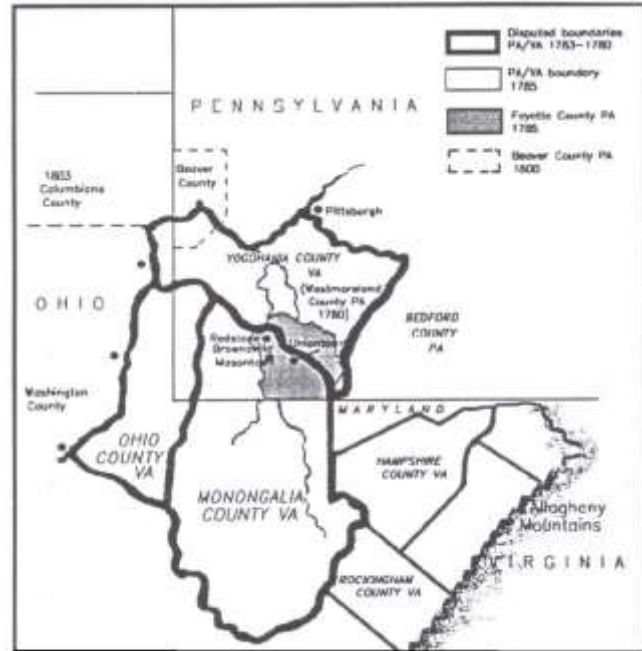


Fig. 11 The Pennsylvania - Virginia Border Dispute

Virginia formed three counties: Monongalia, Yoghania and Ohio.¹⁰⁶ Pennsylvania had established Westmoreland County by 1773 which it then divided into the counties of Washington, Fayette and Allegheny. Settlers considered themselves either Pennsylvanians or Virginians. Separate courts were maintained by Virginia and Pennsylvania meaning that land transactions were recorded in whichever jurisdiction the parties chose.¹⁰⁷

In 1774 a frontier militia formed which included the adventuresome George Rogers Clarke and the infamous Simon Girty. Then Virginia Governor, Lord Dunmore, seized the opportunity to take possession of the forbidden lands in Kentucky along the Ohio River.

In addition to his war against the Indians, the Governor also waged a campaign against the Pennsylvanians for possession of the disputed border land. For the land in Ohio the Governor hired Daniel Boone to reconnoiter 800 miles of wild forest land all the way to the Falls of the Ohio (now Louisville) in the spring of 1775. On his return the Governor gave Boone command of three garrisons. He then marched 1000 Virginians toward Pittsburgh.

When the Governor received news that rebels in Massachusetts had risen up against King George, Dunmore and his forces declared their allegiance to the British King.

¹⁰⁶ For more description of frontier conflicts during Dunmore's War see www.westerly-journeys.com/colonial/colopenn.html

¹⁰⁷ For instance, a large tract on Mill Creek in then Westmoreland Co. was first granted to a Thomas Rutherford by the Commonwealth of Virginia dated 23 December 1779. It became known as "new Town". In 1794 it was sold to John Hook at which time it became known as "Hookstown" Eventually parcels were sold off to individuals in Beaver Co. (formed in 1800). Two separate Calhoun families purchased lots.

Virginians on the Monongahela however took the side of the Patriots. By the time the British surrendered at Yorktown, the boundary controversy between Virginia and Pennsylvania had been resolved in favor of Pennsylvania.¹⁰⁸

Western Pennsylvania in the Revolution: Fort McIntosh

Fort McIntosh was located on the Ohio River just below the Beaver River. It was built by Americans in 1778 and abandoned in 1788. One of the soldiers stationed with the Eighth Pennsylvania Regiment at the Fort was **James Littell**, the brother of **William Littell**. William is the father of **Jane Littell** who married **Joseph Calhoun**, son of Johnston Calhoun. He is also the father of **James Littell** who married Johnston's daughter, **Anne**.¹⁰⁹

James wrote a letter to William while he was stationed at the Fort. That letter was published in 1960 in the *Western Pennsylvania Historical Magazine*,” (Vol. 43, No. 2, June 1960)¹¹⁰ The following is an excerpt from the letter.

“Fort McIntosh January 29th 1779

Dr William:

I take this opportunity to Acquaint you how Afares Stands here....

Duty is ___Hard & ___is Very Particular for if a man Dus anything Amiss Into the gard house with him * he Must Either List (Dur)ing the War or Receive thirty Hine on his back....Last night there was Two Indians Come in with an Express from fort Noncence [Ft. Laurens] which informed us that Capt. Clark of our Reg^t and the Men that was Left there was Comeing Home to Join there Reg^t was attacked on the Road within Two Miles of Tuskeyraways & had two Killed on the spot And four wounded & one Missing....gave my Love to the family * Inquireing friends & well wishers But in Particular to the prity Girls.

Adieu----

James Littell”

¹⁰⁸ To this day the dual records make historical and genealogical research challenging. A set of books by Toothman entitled *Monongolia Court Records*, can be of great help.

¹⁰⁹ William Littell was born in Belfast, Ireland 1 Feb 1746. He died in Beaver County July 1825. He married (1) 1781 Mary McDole (mother of James Littell) and (2) 1790 Elizabeth Walker (mother of Jane Littell).

¹¹⁰ Reproduced and annotated in Daniel Agnew, ” Fort McIntosh, Its Times and Men” (Beaver Area Heritage Foundation, 1971), Vol 5, p. 7.

Whiskey Insurrection

Following the Revolution the new government was desperate to finance its debts. It enacted an excise tax on spirits which incited insurrection among the western farmers and distillers. (This is discussed earlier in Part I, Johnston Calhoun.)

Calhoun Emigrants to Beaver County 1758-1820

These Calhouns are discussed in more detail in a separate report at:

<http://www.westerly-journeys.com/genealogy/CalhounWPA.pdf> (available March 2014)

Trader Thomas Calhoun. This frontier trader was mentioned earlier in this appendix. His ancestry is discussed in the separate report shown above.

<http://www.westerly-journeys.com/genealogy/CalhounWPA.pdf>

William Calhoun of Beaver. About 1786 just after the Revolution, the family of William Calhoun appears to have settled on the south side of the Ohio River in what later became Beaver County. William was thought to have been born in Ireland in the 1750s. John Calhoun Ewing compiled a history of this family based in part on local Beaver County history and in part on the civil records of Beaver County.¹¹¹

William's family settled at the present site of Shippingport. (Excerpts from Ewing's manuscript are transcribed in my supplemental report, "Calhouns of Western Pennsylvania 1758-1820.") In addition, unproven oral history suggests that William might be the descendant of John Calhoun of Strabane, Tyrone County, Ireland. This theory is also discussed in the above supplemental report.

<http://www.westerly-journeys.com/genealogy/CalhounWPA.pdf>

Two James Calhouns: About 1783-4 two separate Calhoun families moved into (or purchased land patents in) the westernmost county of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania: Westmoreland County. Both of these families were headed by a man named "James Calhoun." They occupied land both north and south of the Ohio River in what would become Allegheny County (1788) and Armstrong Counties (1800). They were: James Calhoun of Mifflin, Allegheny Co. and James Calhoun of Armstrong and Indiana Counties: Land, tax and census records between 1790 and 1799 often help to confuse the members of these families with Calhouns of Beaver County. These two "James Calhouns" are discussed in my supplemental report. <http://www.westerly-journeys.com/genealogy/CalhounWPA.pdf>

Andrew Calhoun: Just before 1800, an Andrew Calhoun settled north of the Ohio River in New Brighton. He is said to have come directly from Ireland and was the brother of William Calhoun of Shippingport. This is based on oral history and is discussed in the supplemental report.

<http://www.westerly-journeys.com/genealogy/CalhounWPA.pdf>

¹¹¹ Ewing, op. cit.

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Two David Calhoons: About 1802 two David Calhouns are said to have come to Beaver County. One David Calhoon is identified in land records and is probably the brother of a William Calhoon of South Beaver—they both lived north of the Ohio in South Beaver Township (later known as Ohio Township). The other David is said to be the son of Samuel Calhoon of Cumberland County, Pennsylvania. This David's identity is based mainly on oral history. The identity of each "David" is addressed in the supplemental report mentioned above.

Two Sarah Calhoons: About 1802 one Sarah Calhoun patented a tract of land in South Beaver Township. She was identified in her will (filed 1811) as "Sary Calhoun," widow. She named her children in her will including the married names of her daughters. Her ancestry remains a mystery. One theory is that she was the sister of David and William Calhoun of South Beaver, above. Another theory is that she was the daughter or daughter-in-law of Samuel Calhoon of Cumberland County. In either case, it would require that she had married a Calhoon cousin—in other words, that both her married and maiden surname was "Calhoun." The clouded ancestry of "Sarah" is discussed in the supplemental report.

<http://www.westerly-journeys.com/genealogy/CalhounWPA.pdf>

APPENDIX D

SONS OF JOHNSTON CALHOUN: CONTROVERSY

Discussion of hypothetical sons, "Samuel and William Calhoun"

One author¹¹² claims Johnston Calhoun had five sons, including Samuel, born in 1781 who died in 1867, and son, William, born in 1783, whose death date is not known.¹¹³

Best evidence suggests that Johnston Calhoun had only four sons—two born in Ireland before 1790: William born in 1783 and Joseph born in 1787. There is no proof of a "Samuel born in 1781 and died 1867." His youngest sons were born in Pennsylvania:

Johnston's son *Robert* seems to have been born around 1790—after the 1790 census.

Johnston's youngest son, George, was born between 1790 and 1794.

John Calhoun Ewing in his work on the Calhoun's of the South Side of Beaver County, shows that Johnston had four sons: William, Joseph, Robert and George. Descendants of the youngest son, George, claim that Robert was born in 1792 and George in 1794.¹¹⁴

The existence of two of the sons is supported by burials at Mill Creek Cemetery in Beaver Co.: (1) Joseph who died 30 June 1845 at age 58 and who is shown in other documents to be Johnston's son (see below), (2) Robert who died 21 July 1836 at age 46 and who is shown in other documents to be Johnston's son (see below).

Furthermore, neither the U.S. Census of 1790 or 1800 support the existence of an additional son born between 1774 and 1790 (under age 16 at the time of the 1790 census). The 1790 Census for Franklin Co. PA, shows Johnston Calhoun with two males under age 16 (b. after 1774 [William and Joseph]). The 1800 Census, Beaver Co., PA shows Johnston with two sons under age 10 (b. between 1790 and 1800 [Robert and George]), one under age 16 (b. after 1784 [Joseph]), and one under 26 (b. before 1784 [William]).

As a separate issue, one author disputes that Robert, described in this report, was the son of Johnston.¹¹⁵ Clear evidence that this Robert Calhoun is the true son of Johnston is presented on the next page.

¹¹² Orval Calhoun, Vol. 3, p. 757.

¹¹³ Andrew Bolton, Pittsburg, PA, manuscript, "Descendents of Charles Colhoun;" Orval Calhoun, *Our Calhoun Family History*, (Baltimore: Gateway Press, 1976), Vol 4, , pp. 731-737

¹¹⁴ Alan Taliferro Calhoun, Item # 3.

Documentary Evidence of Robert Calhoun, Son of Johnston Calhoun:

Johnston and Jane Calhoun deeded a 67-acre portion of their land in 1834 to son Robert. (See image at Appendix I – 30) Subsequent documents show that the heirs of both Johnston and Robert had a dispute over the respective estates. Documents show that whatever the differences, both sides agreed to settle the lawsuit.

An agreement was drawn up between Johnston's estate administered by his son Joseph and Robert's estate administered by his wife, Mary in 1840. The agreement was bonded by their neighbor Joseph McCready and Alexander Young (probably Mary's brother). (See image at Appendix I – 31)

Robert's heirs: Alexander Y., Samuel V. and Mary Caroline Calhoun sold the 67 acres to a Crawford in 1855. In 1858, Robert's other heirs, John Y., Betsy Ann and Jane (with respective husbands) filed quitclaims to Samuel V. and Mary Caroline probably to clear title in that previous transaction. (See image at Appendix I – 32, I – 33)

Records of Mill Creek Cemetery further substantiate that Robert was the son of Johnston Calhoun. Robert who died in 1836 is buried with his wife, Mary (Young) Calhoun as shown here: *(Photograph by Andrew Bolton, Pittsburgh, descendant of Anne Littell and Joseph Calhoun circa 2008.)*

Conclusion: Robert (1790 +-1836) was the son of Johnston Calhoun (1753-1835). He married Mary [probably Young]



Grave of Robert and Mary Calhoun, Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County, Pennsylvania

(Photograph by Andrew Bolton, Pittsburgh, descendant of Anne Littell and Joseph Calhoun circa 2008.)

¹¹⁵ Correspondence with Britte Marie Perez, Albuquerque, NM, May 2008.

APPENDIX E
FORMAL GENEALOGY REPORT

DESCENDANTS OF
JOHNSTON CALHOUN
&
JANE DONNEHAY

(Superscripts refer to endnotes found at the end of this Appendix)

First Generation

1. **Johnston Calhoun** was born in Ireland. He died on 10 Dec 1835 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA. He was buried in Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County PA.^{1, 2, 3, 4, 5}

Johnston married **Jane Donnehey**. Jane was born in 1755 in Ireland. She died about 1833 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA. She was buried in Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County PA.^{1, 2, 3, 4, 5}

They had the following children:⁶

- + 2 F i. **Anne Calhoun** was born on 30 Sep 1785 in Ireland. She died on 31 Oct 1862.⁷
- 3 F ii. **William Calhoun** was born about 1783-1786 in Ireland.
- + 4 F iii. **Joseph Calhoun** was born on 10 Mar 1787 in Ireland. He died on 20 Jun 1845.
- iv. **Mary Calhoun** was born in 1789 in Ireland. She died in 1790 at sea on Brig Cunningham.⁷
- + 5 M v. **Robert Calhoun** was born about 1790. He died on 21 Jul 1836.
- + 6 M vi. **George Calhoun** was born in 1794 in Pennsylvania. He died after 1841.
George married **Tracy Miller** 21 Dec 1818, York, Crawford Co. IL³⁹

Second Generation

2. **Anne Calhoun** (Johnston) was born 30 Sep 1785 in Ireland. She died on 31 Oct 1862, in St. Claire Twp., Columbiana County, OH.

Anne married **James Littell**. James was born 5 Dec 1788. He died on 12 Dec 1876 in Pittsburgh, PA

They had the following children:

i. **Johnston Littell**, b. 1811, St. Claire Twp., d. 12 Sept 1876.

ii. **Elizabeth Littell**, b. 22 Nov 1813, PA, d. 27 Apr 1894, Columbiana Co., OH

iii. **Ann Littell**, b. 1818, St. Claire Twp., Columbiana Co., OH, d. 1892

Ann married **Alexander Black**. Alexander b. 1818, d. 25 Jan 1891.

iv. **Jane Littell**, b. 1822, St. Claire Twp, Columbiana Co., OH, d. 1852, Beaver Co., PA.

v. **James Littell**, b. 21 Dec 1824, PA, d. 15 Feb 1893.

4. **Joseph Calhoun** (Johnston) was born on 10 Mar 1787 in Ireland. He died on 20 Jun 1845 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA. He was buried in Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County PA.^{8, 5}

Joseph married Jane Littell. Jane was born about 1790.⁴¹ She died on 21 Nov 1863. She was buried in Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County PA.⁵

They had the following children:

- + 7 M i. **Johnston Calhoun**, b. 1812,⁴² PA, d. 1891
- ii. **Elizabeth Calhoun** b. 1814, PA, d. 1814
- iii. **Ann Calhoun**, b. 1819, PA, d. 1901
- iv. **Eliza Jane Calhoun** b 1821, PA, d. 1897
- v. **Alice Moffitt Calhoun**, b. 1825,⁴¹ PA, d. 1900. Alice married George W. Bryan
- vi. **Joseph Calhoun**, b. 1828, PA, d. 1846
- vii. **Lavina Calhoun**, b. 1832, PA⁴¹
- viii. **Agnes I., Calhoun**, b. 1835, PA⁴¹

5 **Robert Calhoun** (Johnston) was born about 1791 in [Franklin County] Pennsylvania. He died on 21 Jul 1836 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA.^{9, 10} He was buried in Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County PA.¹¹

Robert married Mary Young on 12 Mar 1818 in Columbiana Co., OH.¹² Mary was born about 1799 in PA. She died on 1 Sep 1858 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA. She was buried in Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County PA.

They had the following children:¹³

- 8 M i. **John Y. Calhoun** was born 9 Jan 1820. He died on 25 Jan 1893 in Bloomington, McLean County IL.
- 9 M ii. **Alexander Y. Calhoun** was born about 1825 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA. He married Caroline Cochrane 14 Apr 1856 in Hancock Co. [W]VA. He resided in Brooke Co. [W]VA and Wellsville, OH. He died aftr 9 Jan 1893.
- + 10 M iii. **Jane Calhoun** was born about 1824 in Beaver County, PA. Jane married **James Whitehill**
- iv **Mary C. Calhoun** [b. 1820-1830] d. Dec ? 185? In 25th year...
- + 11 F iii. **Elizabeth Ann Calhoun** was born about 1828 in Hookstown, Beaver Co., PA. She died in Jan 1856 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA.⁴ Elizabeth married **David Robinson** a widower formerly married to Letitia Ramage 16 Aug 1839 , Belmont Co. OH.
- + 12 M iv. **Samuel V. Calhoun** was born on 22 Apr 1835. He died on 22 Apr 1906. Samuel V. married **Verlinda Dawson**.

6 **George Calhoun** (Johnston) was born about 1794 in [Washington County] Pennsylvania. He He was educated for the inistry at Cannonsburg College. He married Tracy Miller in York, IL and then moved to Vincennes, Knox Co., IN. He taught first term of school in Seminary. He was also the first county surveyor. His daughter, Mary Louise married James Johnston of Warren County, IN.⁵⁴

Third Generation

7. **Johnston Calhoun** (Joseph, Johnston) was born 1813⁴². He died 22 Nov 1891.⁵⁴

He m.1. Isobel Davis a descendant of William Davis (1756-1834, who was on the Revolutionary Pension Rolls of Beaver County for 5 years service).⁵⁴

They had the following children:^{42, 54}

- + i. **Jane Calhoun** was born 9 Dec 1837; m. Isaac Libbey, Col..Columbiana County?
- + ii. **Mary Calhoun** was born 29 Mar 1839; m. John Gallaspie.
- + iii. **Isabella Ann Calhoun** was born 3 Dec 1841; m. ___Fleck.
- + iv. **Joseph Calhoun** was born 27 Nov 1842; m. Emma Priscilla Spear.
- + v. **Eliza Calhoun** was born 15 May 1845; m. Rev. Carleton.
- + vi. **Henry Davis Calhoun** was born 13 April 1847.
- + vii. **John Calhoun** was born 12 Feb 1849
- + viii. **Rev. Johnston Calhoun** was born 2 April 1851, New York
- + ix. **George Norwell Calhoun** was born 27 Juy 1853.
- + x. **Emma Hayes Calhoun** was born 2 August 1856; m. Andrew Hunter..
- + xi. **Samuel Scott Calhoun** was born 26 Jan 1859; died young

He m.2 Sarah Shirts.

They had the following children:^{42, 54}

Alice m. Frank Pillinger

He m.3 Margaret Calhoun, daughter of Samuel Calhoun of Bellalire, OH.⁵⁴

Johnston's family was enumerated in the 1860 census of Greene Twp, Beaver County. Joseph's mother, Jane Littell Calhoun, age 70, widow of Joseph Calhoun, was living in this household.

8 **John Y. Calhoun** (Robert, Johnston) was born 9 Jan 1820. He died on 25 Jan 1893 in Bloomington, McLean County IL. 51, 53

John married **Charlotte Merriman** who was born in 23 Feb 1825 in Berkshire, MA⁴³ He graduated from Washington College in 1845 and Western Theological Seminary, 1850.

He was ordained 2 October 1850. He preached at Three Springs Church 10 April 1854 to 9 October 1861. He married Charlotte at [Holliday] Cove Church 21 April 1858.

They had the following children

- i. Frank A. Calhoun b. abt 1855
- ii Edward P., Calhoun b. abt 1856, PA
- iii Mary J. Calhoun, b. 22 Jul 1868, Bloomington, IL. She married George N. Hamilton

9. **Alexander Y. Calhoun (Robert, Johnston)** was born about 1825 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA. He died after 9 Jan 1893 when he was with his brother John Y. Calhoun at the time of his death.

Alexander married Caroline Cochrane on 14 Apr 1856 in Hancock Co. [W]VA.⁵² She was b. abt 1835 in [West] VA. He was a farrier (veterinary) by trade.⁴⁴ They were enumerated in the 1870 U.S. Census of Columbiana County, Ohio at Wellsville. They had an eleven-year-old housekeeper named Margetta/Marvetta "Woer" in the household.

Their children, if any, were not found.

10. **Jane Calhoun** (Robert, Johnston) was born about 1824 in Beaver County, PA

Jane married **James Whitehill** who was born abt 1827

They had the following children (plus others unknown).⁴⁷

- i. C. John Whitehill, b. abt. 1851, PA
- ii. W. Robert Whitehill b. abt 1858, OH, m. Hattie_____ (children Mary (b. 30 Mar 1892), Frank, Harley, Erma, Mable, Olive⁴⁶
- iii M. Laura Whitehill b. abt. 1860, OH
- iv James Whitehill b 10 Feb 1869 Middleton Twp, Col. Co., d. 4 Mar 1832.⁴⁵

11. **Elizabeth Ann Calhoun** (Robert, Johnston) was born about 1828 in Hookstown, Beaver Co., PA. She died in Jan 1856 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA. She was buried Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County PA.¹⁴

Elizabeth married Rev. **David Robinson** 25 Oct 1853. They had one son, G. Theodore Robinson, b. 1855 in [West] Virginia.⁴⁹ Betsy died shortly after the birth of Theodore. It appears that Theodore then joined his uncle Samuel V. Calhoun and migrated to Illinois by 1870 for he is enumerated in their household in the 1870 census.^{50, 15}

David Robinson (born 10 Mar 1810 at Cross Creek, Washington County, PA.) died on 11 Feb 1861 in Hookstown, Beaver County PA. He was buried in Mill Creek Cemetery, Beaver County PA.¹⁵

Rev. David Robinson had married first to Letitia Ramage/Ramar 16 Aug 1839 in Belmont County OH.⁴⁸ They had the following children: Lodovico, b. 1841; Ivinovna b. 1844; Anna Mary b. 1846. Letitia died abt. 1851.⁴⁹ Letitia is said by some descendants to be the daughter of William Ramage, born in Limerick, Ireland and Mary Cunningham born in 1766 at Chestnut Level, PA. (See Appendix G for discussion of Colquhoun-Cunningham connections.)

12. **Samuel V. Calhoun** (Robert, Johnston) was born on 22 Apr 1835 in Hookstown, Beaver Co., PA. He died on 22 Apr 1906 in Rich Hill, Bates Co., MO. The cause of death was Old Age. He was buried in Green Lawn Cemetery, Rich Hill, MO.^{16, 17}

Samuel married **Verlinda Dawson** daughter of George Dawson and Narcissa Beaver Dawson on 6 Oct 1859 in Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH. Verlinda was born on 26 Aug 1831 in Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH. She died on 11 Nov 1879 in Wichita, Sedgwick Co., KS.^{18, 19}

They had the following children:

- + 14 F i. **Mary Caroline Calhoun** was born in 1861. She died in 1900.
- + 15 F ii. **Ella Beaver Calhoun** was born on 18 Oct 1862. She died on 1 Dec 1912.
- + 16 F iii. **Eva Jane Calhoun** was born on 15 Apr 1865. She died on 5 Jul 1927.
- iv. **infant Calhoun** died on 25 Nov 1869 in El Paso, Woodford Co., IL. He was buried Evergreen Cemetery, El Paso, IL..²²
- v. **Dula May Calhoun** was born about 1868 in El Paso, Woodford Co., IL. She died on 12 Dec 1870 in El Paso, Woodford Co., IL. She was buried on 12 Dec 1870 in Evergreen Cemetery, El Paso.²²

Fourth Generation

- 13 **Rev. Joseph Calhoun** (Johnston, Joseph, Johnston) was born on 27 Nov 1842. He died on 6 August 1912.

He married Emma Priscilla Spear on 11 August 1874.

They had the following children:⁵⁴

- i. **Lulu Belle Calhoun** who was born on 4 Sept 1875. She married Paul Jones .
- ii. **Frank Warren Calhoun, MD** who was born 13 Jan 1877. He married Anna Elizabeth Jeffries.
- iii. **Rev. Johnston Calhoun** who was born on 3 July 1878. He married Marie Douglas Hunter.
- iv. **Edith Eliza Calhoun** who was born on 12 Aug 1880. She married ___ Schimerer
- v. **Dr. Joseph A. Calhoun** who was born on 27 Nov 1881.
- vi. **Dwight L. Calhoun** who was born on 1 Aug 1882.
- vii. **Rev. Paul Calhoun** who was born on 7 March 1884. He married Nettie Morton Pratt.
- viii. **Emma Verona Calhoun** who was born on 6 Aug 1890. She married Harry Leigh Johnston .
- ix. **Hannah Verne Calhoun** who was born on 18 March 1893. She married ___ Coldwell

14. **Mary Caroline Calhoun** (Samuel V., Robert, Johnston) was born in 1861 in Calcutta, Columbiana County OH. She died in 1900. She was buried in Brooking Cemetery, Raytown, MO.²³

Mary married **Henry Holder** son of Joseph Holder and Jane Unknown. Henry was born on 23 Apr 1860 in Paola, Kansas . He died on 31 Dec 1941 in Pleasant Hill, Johnson Co., Missouri. He was buried in Brooking Cemetery, Raytown, MO.²⁴

They had the following children:

- i. **Richard D. Holder** was born on 29 Aug 1888 in Missouri. He died on 6 Dec 1968 in Raytown, Missouri. He was buried in Brooking Cemetery, Raytown, MO. ²⁵

ii. **William Calhoun Holder** was born on 10 Jun 1893 in MO. He died on 8 Feb 1932 in Kingsville, Johnson Co., MO. He was buried in Brooking Cemetery, Raytown, MO.^{26, 27, 28}

iii. **Myron Lynn Holder** was born on 10 Jun 1895. He died on 1 Dec 1896. He was buried in Brooking Cemetery, Raytown, MO.²⁹

15. **Ella Beaver Calhoun** (Samuel V., Robert, Johnston) was born on 18 Oct 1862 in Calcutta, Columbiana County OH. She died on 1 Dec 1912 in Kansas City, Jackson Co., MO.³⁰ The cause of death was Chronic Interstitial Nephritis. She was buried in Mt. Washington Cem., Independence, MO.^{31, 32}

Ella married **Charles Orson West** son of Orson C. West and Catharine Griffith on 8 Oct 1889 in Kansas City, MO. Charles was born on 29 Sep 1862 in Quincy, Adams County IL. He died on 16 Jun 1932 in Kansas City, Jackson County MO. He was buried in Mt. Washington Cem., Independence, MO.^{33, 34}

i. **Frederick V. West** was born on ---4 in -CO. He died on 1 in , MO.³³

ii. **Marjorie West** was born on -- in CO.

iii. **Cora West** was born on - in CO She died on --- in ---MO.

iv. **Alfred Lynn West** was born on 30 Sept 1901 in Kansas City, Jackson Co. MO.. He died Feb 1993 in Seattle, WA

16. **Eva Jane Calhoun** (Samuel V., Robert, Johnston) was born on 15 Apr 1865 in Bloomington, McLean County, IL. She died on 5 Jul 1927 in Nevada, Vernon Co., MO. The cause of death was Pernicious Anemia. She was buried in Greenlawn Cemetery, Rich Hill, Bates Co. MO.³⁵

Eva married **James Beauregard Neptune** "Bud" on 24 Dec 1883 in Bates Co., MO. James was born on 15 Jun 1861 in Monongalia Co., West Virginia. He died on 27 Jul 1943 in Rich Hill, Bates Co., MO.³⁶

They had the following children:³⁷

i. **Homer C. Neptune** was born on 13 Oct 1884 in Carbon Center, Vernon Co. MO. He died on 16 Apr 1959 in Rich Hill, Bates Co., MO.³⁸

ii. **Earl Absolam Neptune** was born on 17 Dec 1886 in Carbon Center, Vernon Co. MO.

iii. **Guy Orlando Neptune** was born on 4 Apr 1889 in Carbon Center, Vernon Co. MO.

iv. **Leo Vincent Neptune** was born on 5 Nov 1891 in Carbon Center, Vernon Co. MO.

v. **Basil Byron Neptune** was born on 23 Nov 1895 in Carbon Center, Vernon Co. MO.

vi. **Sidney Neptune** was born about 1898. He died on 7 Jan 1925 in Rich Hill, Bates Co., MO.

vii. **Paul Herschell Neptune** was born on 8 Mar 1906.

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[Does not show wife, Mary Caroline]
Richard G. son, 11, b. Aug 1888, MO, father b. KS, mother b. OH
William C. 6, son, b. June 1893
Samuel V. Calhoun, father-in-law, 65, b. Apr 1835, father b. Ireland, mother b. PA
Elwell, servant
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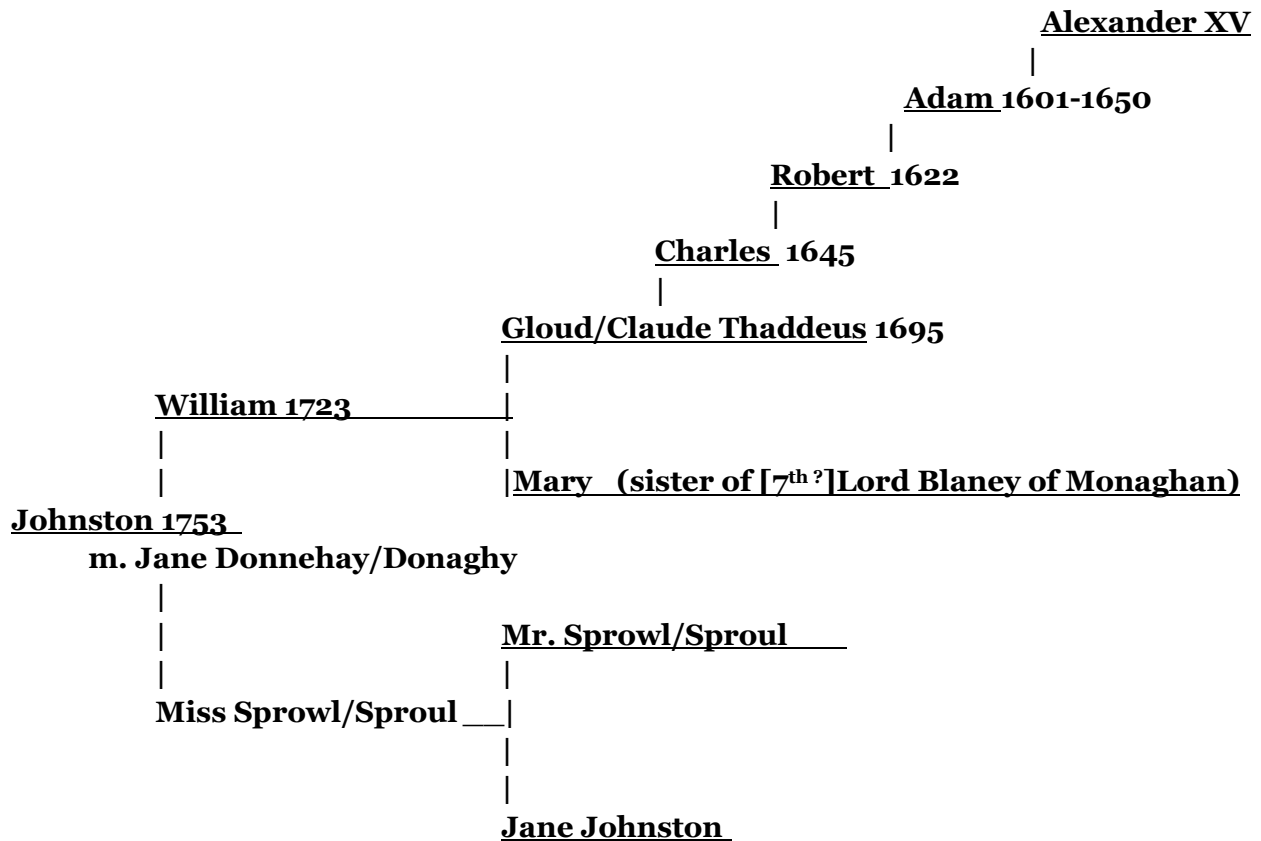
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33. West, Family Bible, (Ref 16); see also Missouri State Death Certificate, Charles "Arson" West, Jackson Co., MO, Register # 2412.
34. Tombstone of Charles West, Mt. Washington Cemetery, Independence, MO, Bridger Gardens 1, Bl. 4, Lot 686 op cit (Ref. 32) (See Fig. 4b)
35. Calhoun, Eva obituary: "Mrs. J.B. Neptune Passes..." .Clipping found in Ella Calhoun West Family Bible
36. Rich Hill Lion's Club, Centennial History Book Project, *The Town that Coal Built, Rich Hill, Missouri 1880-1980* , Rich Hill Public Library, Rich Hill, MO.
37. Bates Co., MO Clerk, Death/Burial Records, Green Lawn/Greenlawn Cemetery, Rich Hill .
38. Rich Hill Lion's Club, op cit. (Ref. 36)
39. Illinois Marriages 1790-1860, comp. By Jordan Dodd, Liahona Research, at Ancestry.com.
40. "My Crazy Family Tree," undocumented genealogy for Joseph Calhoun at Ancestry.com
41. 1850 U.S. Census Beaver County, Pennsylvania, Greene Twp. NARA Microfilm M432, p. 275A family of Jane Calhoun. (See image at Appendix I-9)
42. 1860 U.S. Census, Beaver County, Pennsylvania, Greene Twp. NARA Microfilm M653, Roll 1071, p.269, family of Johnston Calhoun. (See image at Appendix I-11)
43. 1870 U.S. Census, McLean County, Illinois, John Y. Calhoun, NARA Microfilm M 593, Roll 258, p.40a, (See image at Appendix I-17)
44. 1870 U.S. Census, Columbiana County, Ohio, Wellsville, NARA Microfilm M593, Roll 1184, p. 474a: Alexander Y. Calhoun, 37 tanner,-Pers. Prop. \$2280, b. PA, Caroline 35- b. WVA, and unrelated Maryetta "Woer" 30, housekeeper. b. PA. (See image at Appendix I – 15)
45. East Liverpool Review, East Liverpool, OH, 5 Mar, 1932, p.3], obituary of James Whitehill, son of James and Jane Calhoun Whitehill. "...died at his home on Frederickstown-West NegleyRoad, East Liverpool, OH.

46. Undated photocopy of newspaper obituary of Mary Wilson, daughter of Robert and Hattie Whitehill.
47. 1870 U.S. Census, Columbiana County, Ohio, Middleton, NARA Microfilm M593, Roll 1183, p. 237B
(See image at Appendix I-16)
48. 1850 U.S. Census Beaver County, Pennsylvania, Greene Twp. NARA Microfilm M432, p. 273b, family of David Robinson. (See image at Appendix I-10). See Appendix G regarding the mother of Letitia Ramage and her Irish Cunningham ancestry. "Lodovico" may refer to an ancient Scots-Irish ancestor, Ludovico Stuart, Second Duke of Lennox, the original 1608 grantee to the lands of Raphoe in Donegal Co., Ulster where the Cunningham/Coninghams had large grants.
49. Family Tree of David Robinson, Ancestry.com
50. 1870 U.S. Census, Woodford County, Illinois, El Paso, W1 NARA Microfilm M593, p.295/284, household of Samuel Calhoun. (See image at Appendix I-18)
51. 1870 U.S. Census, McLean County, Illinois, Bloomington, NARA Microfilm M593, p. 258/40 household of John Y. Calhoun (See image at Appendix I-17); see also. obituary of J.Y. Calhoun, *Bloomington*_____, 6 Jan 1893, p. 5.. Also McLean Co. Death Register. Burial at Evergreen Cemetery. [No surviving stone].
52. Marriage of Alexander Y. Calhoun to Caroline Cochrane, 14 April 1856, Marriage Register, Hancock County, WVA U.S. GenWeb Archives, usgwarchives.net/wv/hancock/marriage/marr001.txt.
53. 1880 U.S. Census, McLean Co., IL, Bloomington, NARA Microfilm T9k Roll 230, ED 162, Image 012, Ancestry.com: J.Y. Calhoun 60, farmer b. PA (parents b. PA); C.E. Calhoun 54 b. MA (parents b. MA);, Frank Calhoun 24, RR brakeman, b. PA; Edward Calhoun, 22, RR Brakeman b. IL; Mary Calhoun 12, b. IL; Anna Robinson 30, single, b. PA (parents b. PA)
54. Alan Taliaferro Calhoun, LDS microfilm 362675, item #3, correspondence from the granddaughter of James Johnston who married Mary Louise Calhoun, the daughter of George and Tracy Miller Calhoun of Indiana.

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APPENDIX F
THEORETICAL PEDIGREE OF JOHNSTON CALHOUN



The above pedigree is a product of the myth about Johnston Calhoun. It is without proof.¹¹⁶

Discussion of the myth presented on page 1 of the Introduction.

¹¹⁶ Orval Calhoun did not show Cloud/Thaddeus Calhoun as a son of Charles in his Vol. 1, p. 731. He asserts that he has found no evidence to support the later sons. But in Vol 3., pp. 733-731, and Vol. 4. p. 769 he includes Cloud/Thaddeus among Charles later sons -- with insufficient justification. The following baptismal record might provide one of many possible "William Colhouns" who could have been the father of Johnston. William and "Jean" [Jane?] Colhoun had children: Edward, 1732, Jean, b. 17 30, William b. 1726. [Church baptismal records of _____, found in volume at LDS Family History Library, Salt Lake City, UT, 2002. [Volume Title and publishing details TBD.]

The earliest parts of the legend are the product of myth—oral traditions passed down and perhaps exaggerated. The later parts are most likely true: Johnston Calhoun was born about 1753 according to his own gravestone. His father was undoubtedly named "William." The legend was originally published in 1888 by a local historian in Pennsylvania—perhaps from an interview with one of Johnston’s children.¹¹⁷ They may have had a family bible. We can presume that Johnston’s children knew their grandmother and grandfather’s names.

I. Parsing the legend of Johnston Calhoun:

1. “The progenitor...was Gloud or Thaddeus Calhoun of Ireland.” [See II A below]
2. [Gloud] married the sister of Lord Blaney at Blaney’s Castle (now Blarney)
3. [Gloud’s son] William married Miss Sprowl/Sproul/Spreull
4. [Miss Sprowl] was the daughter of Jane Johnston [who married Mr. Sprowl]
5. [Jane Johnston] “escaped [survived?] the Siege of Derry by hiding in a potato furrow”
6. William [and Miss Sprowl] had children named Johnston and Jane Calhoun
7. Recent claim: Gloud was a son of Charles Colquhoun of Letterkenny [not in the legend]

II. Rearranging the above events chronologically:

- A. (1 above) “The progenitor...was Gloud ... Calhoun of Ireland.”
- B. (2 above) [Gloud] married the sister of Lord Blaney at Blaney’s Castle (now Blarney)
- C. (5 above) [Jane Johnston] escaped the Siege of Derry hiding in a potato furrow
- D. (4 above) [Miss Sprowl] was daughter of Jane Johnston [who married Mr. Sprowl]
- E. (3 above) [Gloud’s son] William married Miss Sprowl/Sproul/Spreull
- F. (6 above) William [and Miss Sprowl] had children named Johnston and Jane Calhoun
- G. (7 above) [Gloud is claimed to be a son of Charles Colquhoun of Letterkenny]

III. Discussing each event:

A. (1) “The progenitor...was Gloud or Thaddeus Calhoun of Ireland.”

The identity of “Gloud Thaddeus” Calhoun is not proved. The legend mentions this man but does not give his ancestry. The connection of Gloud to Charles of Letterkenny appears to have come from a correspondent who contacted the author, Orval Calhoun in the 1950s. (See G below) The given or ‘Christian’ names “Gloud” or “Thaddeus” do not commonly appear among the Scots Colquhouns or Irish Colhounes. The name, “Claude,” however does appear in several families associated with the Colhounes of Ulster. Therefore this analysis will assume the name “Claude” to be synonymous with “Gloud.”

B. (2) [Gloud] married the sister of Lord Blaney at Blaney’s Castle (now Blarney)

The military service by the family “Blaney” of Monaghan County is well documented during the Siege of Derry. It is quite feasible that the Colquhoun men of Letterkenny, Tyrone and Derry as well as the Blaney men of Monaghan County met and supported each other in their efforts to secure English and Scottish land rights in Ulster. Records show the service of both families.¹¹⁸

No records however, have yet been found to support a marriage between Gloud or Claude Colhoune and a woman named “Blaney” in Monaghan County or any other Ulster county. But the service of Lord Blayne and Charles Colhoune/Colhoune during the Siege suggests the feasibility of marriage between the two families.

¹¹⁷ History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania, p. 832.

¹¹⁸ *The Siege and History of Londonderry*, ed. J. Hempton, Londonderry City, 1861; History of the Irish Parliament, Vol. II, pp. 8-89; see also W.R. Young; *Fighters of Derry* (London, 1932, p. 35); Journal of the House of Commons, Vol. 12, June 1698; Derry Corporation Minutes; Derry Siege Diaries.

Henry, Fifth Lord Blaney, of Monaghan, was named among the “attainted” by the May 1689 Irish Parliament called by James II in Dublin. The attainted were the Protestants “engaged in the Defence of Derry.” Also named in that list was Charles Calhoun of Letterkenny.

Henry Blaney died without male issue in August 1689. His brother, William, became the Sixth Lord Blaney. William’s son, Cadwallader, born in 1693, became Seventh Lord Blaney. William may have also had a daughter – the supposed ‘Lady Blaney’ who married ‘Gloud/Claude Colhoun.’ No record of such marriage has been found.

Colhounes, Blaneys and related families served in various conflicts between the rulers of England and Ulster landholders dating back to the 1630’s and especially in the days of the “Protectorate” under Oliver Cromwell.

Records of the “49 Officers”: “Inrolments of Adjudications in favor of the 1649 officers, Records of Ireland”¹¹⁹

p. 375	Edward Blaney, Henry, Lord Blaney, Capt. Richard Blaney
p. 379	Lord Baron Richard Colloony [unknown county]
p. 382	Connor Donnagh , Lt. Walter Calhone
p. 393	Alexander Johnston , Humphrey, John, Cornet John, Lt. John, Widow Mary, Qr Mr Robert, Thomas, Cornet Thomas [See next, C, Jane Johnston]

C. (5) [Jane Johnston] escaped Siege of Derry hiding in potato furrow

Although no documentation of such incident has been found, it is a bit of oral history that might well be accepted at face value given the timeline for the ancestry of Johnston Calhoun. His grandmother, Jane Johnston, may have been a child small enough to “hide in a potato furrow” during the Siege of Derry. Historical records show families named “Johnston” in the counties of Donegal, Tyrone and Derry where the Colhounes also lived. She was probably the child of one of the ‘Defenders of Derry’, her father an insurgent against James II.

A few men with the surname, “Johnston” have been found among the records of the insurgents. Many men named Johnston from County Monaghan were on James II’s list of the “attainted” of 1689. A Mr. Johnston was listed among the non-conformist clergy who stayed in Derry in 1689. Thomas Johnstone was among those who signed a petition to King William III after the lifting of the Siege of Derry in 1689. James Johnston of Drummullan, Derry was a Presbyterian Ruling elder (or Commissioner) of Londonderry in 1709.¹²⁰ Henry and West Johnston of Derry were also listed in the “Names of the Men & Armes of the Libertyes of Londonderry, 1630.” Robert Johnston was listed in the 1630 Muster Rolls for the Barony of Raphoe, Donegal County. There were far too many Johnstons in Donegal, Tyrone and Derry to connect any one family to Jane. Richard Johnston of Tyrone County was a Member of Parliament from Clogher from 1695-1699.¹²¹

D. (4) [Miss Sproul] was daughter of Jane Johnston [who married Mr. Sproul]

If Jane Johnston was a child during the Siege in 1689, her supposed marriage to Mr. Sproul and the birth of their daughter, “Miss Sproul” occurred well into the early 1700s. Therefore the marriage of Jane Johnston and Mr. Sproul probably took place in the second or third decade of the 1700s. No such record has yet been found.

The places in Ulster where Johnstons and Sprouls/Sprouls/Spruells resided may reveal possible connections.

The “Laggan” Presbytery was the name of the district associated with Scots’ Presbyterian immigrants. It included parts of Donegal, Derry and Tyrone Counties. Records of Ruling Elders in the Laggan Presbytery 1672-1700 show:¹²²

Donegal: James Colhoun, Michael Johnston and John Colhoun of Letterkenny

Tyrone: John Johnston in Ardstraw, Robert Sproul of Donagheady, Robert Johnston at Omagh. (Jane Donnehay’s father is said to have lived in Omagh.)

¹¹⁹ *The Irish Landed Gentry...: Open Library: The Irish Landed Gentry when Cromwell....*, at www.archive.com.

¹²⁰ *Presbyterian Records, Derry, 1704, 1709*. Note that “Drummollen” is claimed by some to be the ancestral home of Hugh Colhoun, 4th son of Rev. Alexander Colhoun.

¹²¹ *History of the Irish Parliament*, vol. II, pp. 8-89.

¹²² Alexander Lecky, *Days of Laggan Presbytery*, (Davidson & McCormick, 1908) Compiled and transcribed by Len Swindley at freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~donegal

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John Johnston was on the 1665 Hearth Money Rolls at Castlefin. A Charles Johnston was on the Hearth Money Rolls of 1766 at Newton Stewart in County Tyrone where William Colhoun migrated in 1651. The 1659 Census of Donegal, showed an Archibald and John Spruell at Stranorloghan in Raphoe Parish.¹²³ From the Church land in the Barony of Raphoe Mr. Archibald Sproule held Stranelachan in Boggach purchased from his brother, Robert Sproul and Alexander Innes for 60 years from 14 July 1634. The 1796 Flax Growers Roll show both Johnstons and Sprouls in Urney, Donegal. The Sproul genealogy web page lists Urney as the ancestral home of many Sprouls.¹²⁴

There are far too many Sprowls/Sprouls/Spreulls to connect any one family to the Johnstons and Colhounes. All three families were found in Donegal, Tyrone and Derry counties. The Siege of Derry and Presbyterian connections seem the most plausible.

E. (3) [Gloud's son] William married Miss Sproul/Sprowl [daughter of Jane Johnston and Mr. Sprowl]

Following the above timeline, Miss Sprowl would have probably been about the age of her future husband, William Colhoun who was born about 1723 according to the legend. They were probably married before 1750 in Donegal, Tyrone or Derry County. Their son Johnston was born about 1753. No marriage between a Sprowl/Sproul/Spruell and a Colhoun has been found for that time period. Note also that the previous footnote citing baptismal records for Edward, William, and Jane Colhoun coincide with this time line.¹²⁵

F. (6) William [and Miss Sprowl] had children Johnston and Jane Calhoun

No records have been found for the births of Johnston and his sister Jane.

Location: From military and estate records for Ulster we know the Colquhoun's of Scotland settled first in northern Donegal principally in the geographic region of Letterkenny. In terms of civil divisions, the name Colquhoun/Calhoun/Colhoun is found associated with the estate at Corkagh and the District of Raphoe. Raphoe is further broken into parishes such as Taughboyne and Raymogh where Calhouns are found in the 1665 Hearth Money Rolls. Adam Colhoun Sr. is found in Raymogh at Corkagh/Corky.

Time: It is possible that Jane Johnston and "Mr. Sprowl" were related to these two church officers. The name Colhoun is also found in the records of Laggan Presbytery some time up to about 1725.

G. (7).[Orval Calhoun states Gloud was son of Charles Colquhoun of Letterkenny]

This is not part of the legend published in Beaver County histories.

Orval Calhoun included Gloud as a son of Charles of Letterkenny in his later volumes (1982) apparently based on input from contributors. It is not clear if he attempted to verify the information. He does not document the source of the claim.¹²⁶

Orval's book states in Volume 3, page 732:

"...Charles Colhoun & His Personal Army, & equipment, & even his eldest son, Thomas Colhoun, was involved in the Siege of Derry, 1688-89 & also in the Battle of Boyne; Charles Colhoun was seized & attainted for Treason, where he was convicted & to be put to Death for his involvement; He lost all of His Military Equipment, But when William of Orange was victorious in the 2 battles, William Granted Charles Colhoun His Freedom, so he could return home to Letterkenny, Co. Donegal. In time, He & his wife had more children, & they are the younger group from 1693 forward..."The Charles Colquhoun family group is also presented at Ancestry.com:

¹²³ Seamus Pender: A Census of Ireland circa 1659, DSO, 1939.

¹²⁴ The parishes of Urney in Donegal and Tyrone are adjacent to each other.

¹²⁵ Citation pending. Records found in published book in the British Collection, LDS Family History Library, Salt Lake City, UT. (The records were copied but the publication details were lost. Currently trying to locate the book.)

¹²⁶ Orval Calhoun, Vol. 3, p. 740,

The Charles Colquhoun family group as published by Orval Calhoun Vol. 3, p. 733:

Charles Colhoun Sr. (b. 1645, d. 1718, m. Mary?)
 Children born to Charles and Mary ?:
 Thomas b. ca ;1670, Letterkenny (lived at PA, USA) *wife unknown*
 Margaret b. Letterkenny (lived Spotsylvania, VA, USA, m. Dr. William Lynn)
 Charles, Jr., b. Letterkenny (lived Letterkenny, d. 1761 m. Susanna Leslie)
 Rebecca, b. abt 1685, Letterkenny (lived Letterkenny, d. aft. 1753)
 James, b. abt 1694, Letterkenny (lived Chesnut Level, PA, d. 1772, m. Elizabeth¹²⁷)
 Cloud Thaddeus, b. abt 1695, Letterkenny (lived in Co. Derry, m. Lady Blaney abt 1720)
 Elizabeth, b. Letterkenny (d. 31 Jan 1701)
 David, b. Letterkenny (d. abt. 1735)
 Mary, b. Letterkenny (m. William Gallagher)

IV. Locating Additional Ulster sources

Below are some of the Ulster sources found for the name Colhoune, Johnston and Sproul in Donegal, Derry and Tyrone Counties in Ulster:

The Siege and History of Londonderry, ed. J. Hempton (Londonderry City. 1861)

Gent Charles Calhoane of Letterkenny

Irish Marriages 1771-1812, Henry Farrar

(*index to marriages, Walker's Hibernian Magazine 1771-1782.*)
 p. 91

James Calhoun, County Tyrone to Miss Coghlan, Capel /St,
 Apr 1779, p. 25

Index to Prerogative Wills, 1536-1810, ed. Sir Arthur Vicars (Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co.1997) p. 95
 Calhoun/Colhoun

William Colhoun, Strabane, Co. Tyrone, 1757.

John Colhoune, Strabane, Co. Tyrone, 1755

Elizabeth, Coulhoun, 1712

Johnston Sproul/Sprowle

William Johnston, Armagh City,. Co. Armagh, 1792

(*Diocese of Armagh included Tyrone and Derry Counties.*)

William Johnston, **Castlefin**. Co. Donegal, 1780

Andrew Sproule, Curragh, Milkin, Co. Tyrone 1799

John Johnston, Gov. of Charlemont, Armagh, 1770.

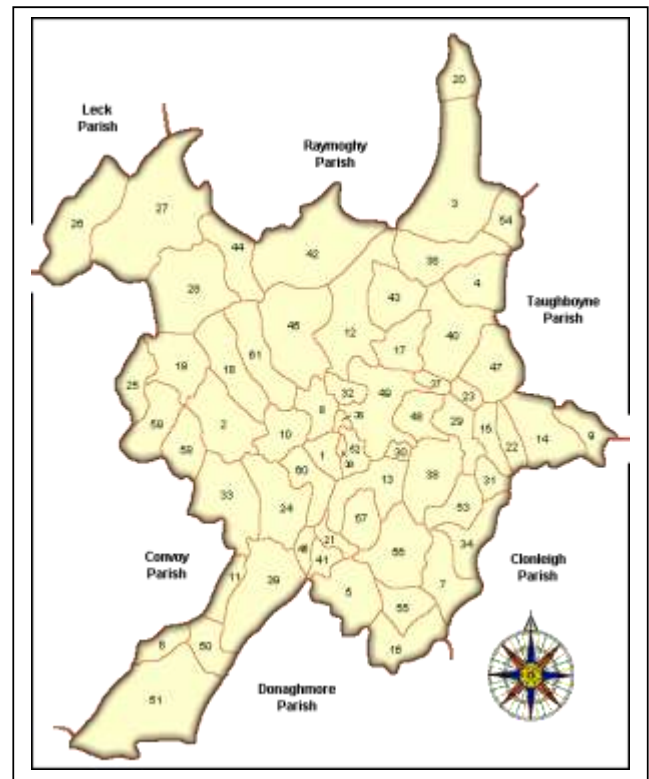


Fig. 12 Maps of Raphoe District (Donegal County)

(from Donegal County at Rootsweb)

Above: Raphoe Parish and surrounding parishes

Left: Raphoe Parish in red within Raphoe District in yellow

¹²⁷—Chestnut Level is associated with the 1733 emigration of James Patrick Calhoun and brothers.

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Donegal County rootsweb:

freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~donegal

Marriage Andrew Colhoun of Taughboyne
to Susannah Cunningham of Leck, 29 Jan 1778

Hearth Money rolls, Raphoe, 1665

Parish Taughboyne

Colhoun, Andrew, Monein 1
Colhoun, Patrick, Taghboyne, 1
Johnston, James, Taghboyne, 1.
Johnston, James, Ardie, 1.

Parish Raymoghly

Balleghan:

Colhoun, Adam, Balleghan, 1

Corcy/Corcagh:

Colhoun, Adam,, Sr., Corcy, 1
Colhoun, David, Corcy, 1
Colhoun, James, Corcy, 2
Colhoun, Adam,, Sr., Corcy, 1
Colhoun, John, Corcy, 1
Colhoun, John, Jr., Corcy, 1

Cullylea

Colhoun, Patrick, Cullylea, 1

Parish Leck

Calhoun, Walter, 1
Calhoun, Walter, 1

Parish Donaghmore

Johnston, David, Killineur Estate, 1
Johnston, John, Castlefin, 1

Tyrone County

freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~tyrone

Hearth Money Rolls, 1666

Lisnamen (Newton Stewart)

Peter Colhoun
Charles Johnston

Rathkelly

William Colhoun

Magheracoltan

James Johnston

Ardstraw: Abstracts from Hist. Surv. of a Parish 1600-1900, John H. Gebbie
(Strule Press, Omagh, 1968)

Aughelore

John Colhoun

Leckpatrick

Colhoun, Robert, Loer Park

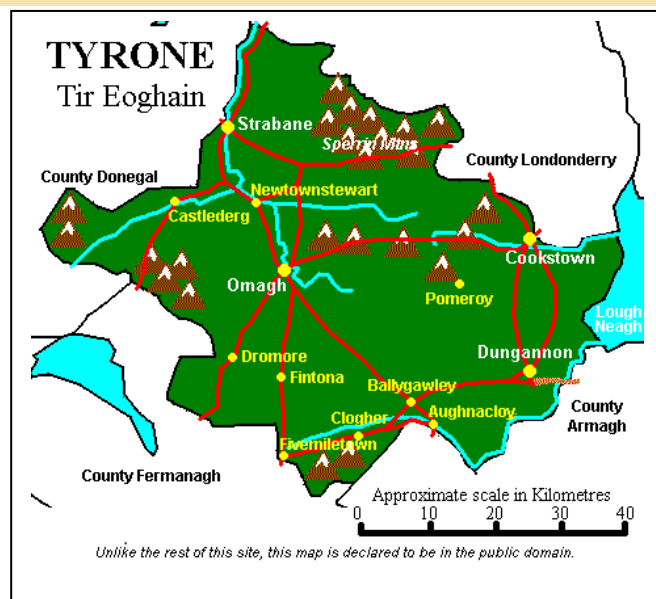
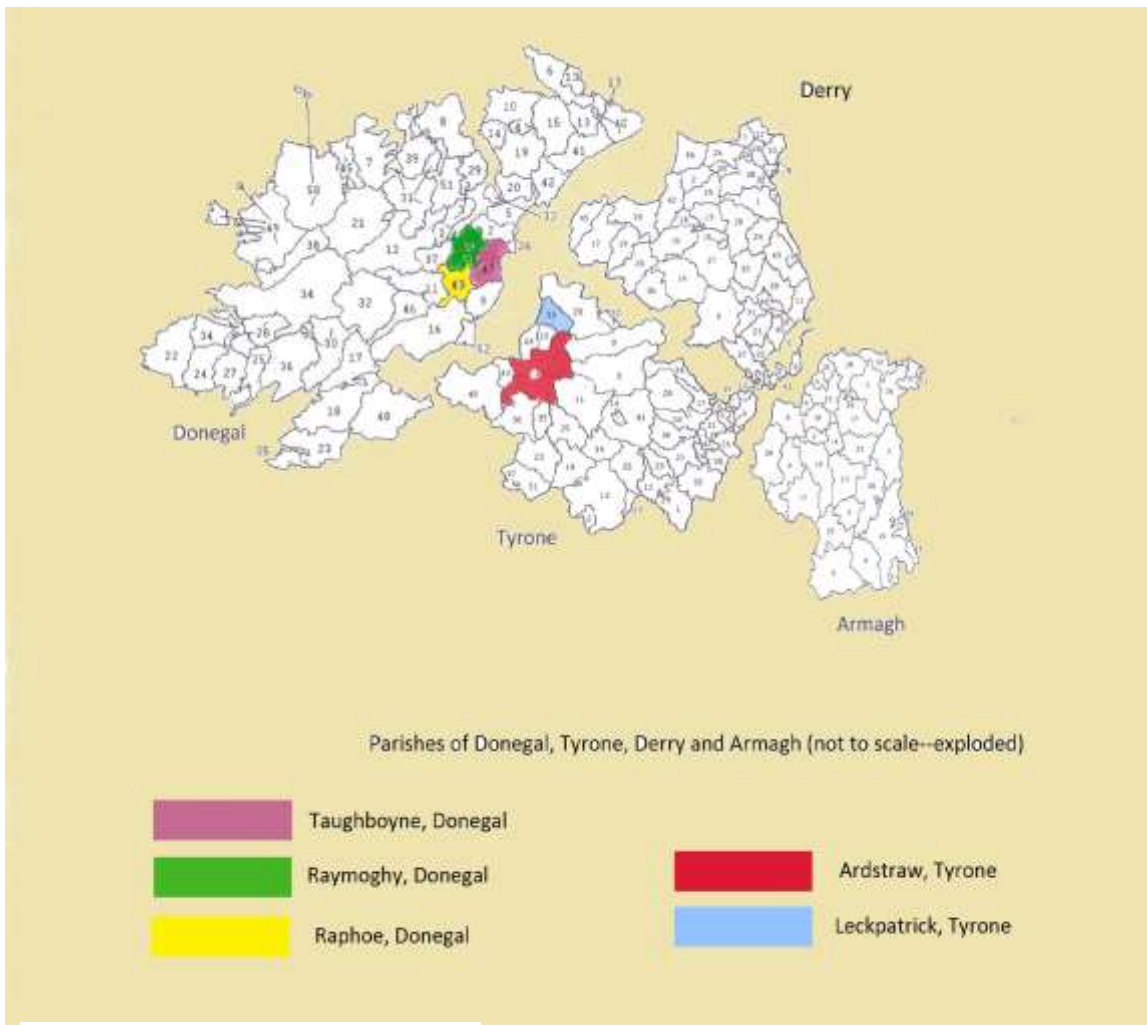


Fig. 13. Miscellaneous Maps from “rootsweb”

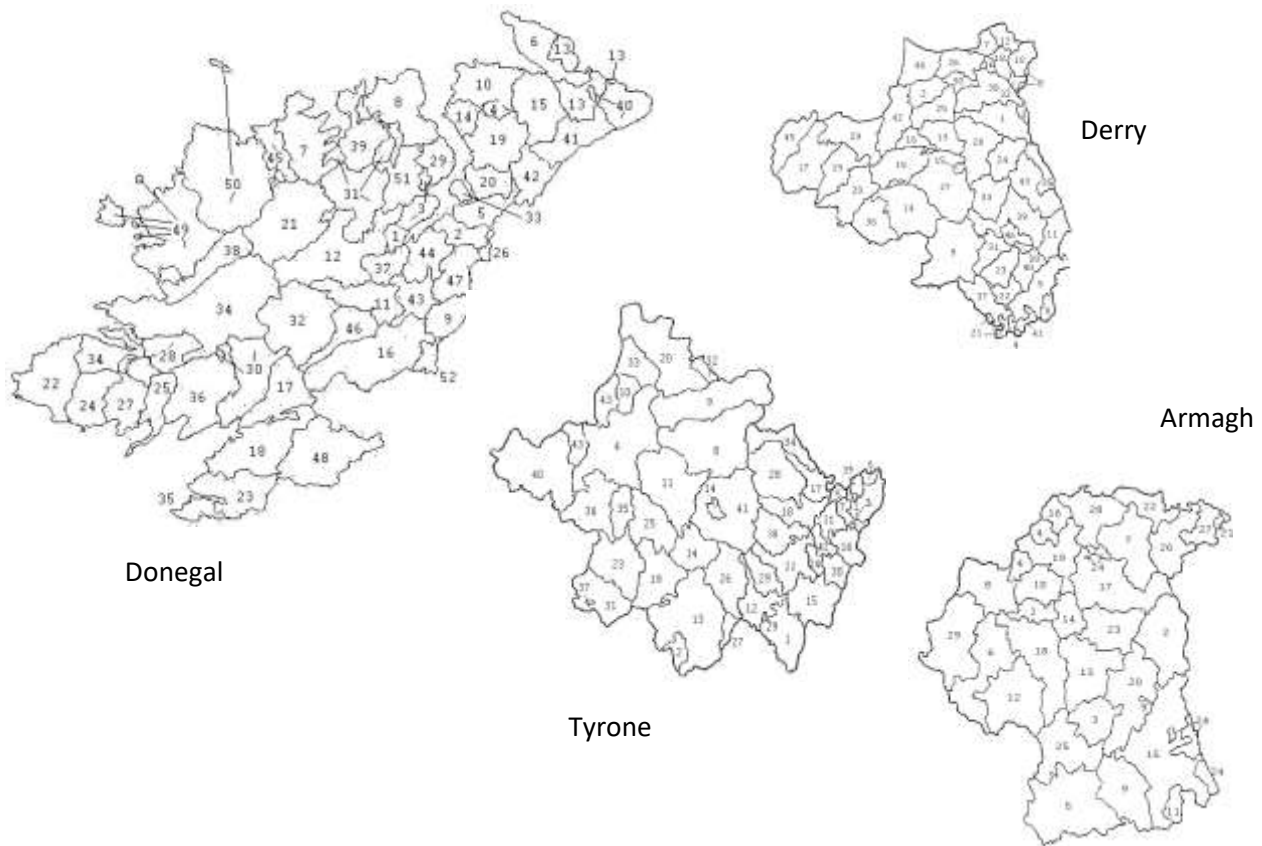


Fig. 14. Parishes where Colhounes lived:

Donegal: 44 Raphoe, 47 Taughboyne (Taughboyne, Monein), 43 Raymogh (Balleghan, Corcagh, Cullylea)

Tyrone: 4, Ardstraw (Newton-Stewart), Leckpatrick (Loer Park)

APPENDIX G

SPOUSES—AND OTHER ANCESTORS:

(Including Jane Donnehay, Mary Young, David Robinson, Robert Cunningham and others)

No detailed research was performed on these allied families. However associated surnames have been extracted from published sources to show proximity of various Calhouns to persons of with surnames of certain spouses. In addition to the above, the names Whitehill and Littell are included..

Beaver County, Pennsylvania Records

Lists of early taxables, in Bausman's *History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania*¹²⁸

This source shows Johnston Calhoun and his geographic proximity to families that are, or may be, related by marriage. The Johnstons, Donaghys and Cunninghams are shown in ***bold italic***. (Young, Littell, Whitehill Robinson and Dawson are related by the marriages of Johnston's children or grandchildren.)

Hanover Twp.: Johnston Calhoun and John Whitehill

Second Moon Twp.: John Calhoun, Samuel Calhoun, *Thomas Cunningham*, Thomas Dawson, Benoni Dawson, George Dawson, John Littell, William Littell, Esq.

Beaver Twp.: *George Donaghy*, Sarah Calhoun, Samuel Calhoun, Benjamin Dawson (Operator of Ferry to Georgetown), James Robinson, William Robinson, William Young, John Young, Ephraim, Peter, James and Phillip Young; *Benjamin and Samuel Cunningham* (Operated Distillery).

Borough of Beaver; Shenango Twp, Sewickly. ***Benjamin Cunningham, Andrew, Robert, and Samuel Johnston and Archibald Cunningham*** et al ("settlers against whom suits were brought in Circuit Court"); Robert Young.

Hookstown: Alexander Imbrie ***Young*** was pastor of United Presbyterian Church of Hookstown from June 1869-May 1872.¹²⁹ The name ***Imbrie*** is found in the line of Dorothy ***Robinson*** Tafini who is a descendant of Johnston Calhoun.

¹²⁸ Bausman, p. 827

¹²⁹ Bausman, p. 825

Columbiana County, Ohio Records

1860 U.S. Census of Columbiana County, OH at East Liverpool (located on the Ohio River at the Pennsylvania-Ohio border) Alexander Young's assets were \$6,450 personal property and \$35,000 real estate. He was age 72 born in PA (abt 1788). His wife was "Susan" age 70.

Grant Deed: Alexander Young and his wife, Susan, sold property in Columbiana County to Samuel V. Calhoun 1 April 1860, for the SE 1/4 Sec 35 Twp 6 R1, (Recorded in Bk. 64, p. 425.)

Franklin County, Pennsylvania Records

In investigating records of Franklin County—where it is believed Robert Calhoun was born—many records for the surname “Young” were found. Many of these were associated with the clergy--one named Alexander Young. However, none were found who matched the birth or death date of Alexander Young of Beaver County. Another Alexander Young of Westmoreland County died in 1798 left a will. None of his named heirs matched the Alexander, Mary and Martha Young of this report. Looking at records of the 1800’s in Ohio, it appears that the name “Alexander Young” was quite common—if not prolific.

Ulster Records

Colhoun/Colhoun; Cunningham/Coningham; Johnston/Young

One marriage was found among the Colquhouns of **Luss**:

Robert Colquhoun (son of Adam and grandson of Alexander XV) had a [grand]daughter, Catherine who married a *Rev. William Young* 1712.¹³⁰ The name *Young* was also common in [London]Derry Co., Ulster, Donaghmore Parish, Raphoe, Donegal, Ulster.

Raphoe Parish in Donegal 1778:

On 29 Jan 1778 Andrew Colhoun of Taughboyne married Susannah Cunningham of Leck.

Hearth Money Rolls of 1665 for *Taughboyne* Parish in Donegal County shows:

Andrew and Patrick Colhoun; David Coningham; and James Johnston.¹³¹

¹³⁰ Fraser, op. cit., William Young was of Bellabea, County Monaghan in Ulster.

¹³¹ Donegal Rootsweb, marriages at www.freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.ancestry.com/~donegal

Presbyterian Records, Derry, 1704, 1709:

Cap't *Michael Cunningham*, listed as a ruling elder of the Presbyterian congregation at Glendermot, Derry, 1704.¹³²

James Johnston of Drummullan, Derry, ruling elder or commissioner, Londonderry, 1709¹³³

Military Records

Muster Roll of "County Donnagall" 1630 A.D. as printed in the *Donegal Annals*

Barony of Rapho

The Lord Duke of Lynox, undertaker of 4000 acres, his men and armes;

Sir John Conningham knight, undertaker of 4,000 acres his men and armes

("Selected abstracts)

James Young, Robert Young, William Young, Patrick Coningham, David Coningham, Mathew Cuningham,

Swords and Snaphances: ("Selected abstracts)—

James Robinson, Mathew Cuningham, David Young, Barnard Cuningham

Wills, Ulster

William Cunningham, Newtown, Co. Donegal

Redmond Cunningham, Letterkenny Co. Donegal, 1784

Capt. Robert Cunningham, Royal Fusiliers, comm. By O'Hara, 1727

Robert Connyngham, Minister, of Taghboyne, Donegal, 1654

Frances Conyngham, widow of Robt. C. (sometime of **Taghboyne**, clerk)

Henry Conyngham, Ballydavid, Donegal, 1750

Hugh Conyngham, Bachymochy, Donegal, minister

Hearth Money Rolls**Parish Taughboyne**

Colhoune, Andrew, Monein 1

Colhoune, Patrick, Taghboyne, 1

Coningham, David, Altaghadery, 1

Coningham, William, Newton 1

Coningham, William Esq, Newton 3

Coningham, William, Lt, Newton, 1.

Coningham, Alexander, Ballibegly1

Johnston, James, Taghboyne, 1.

Johnston, James, Ardie, 1.

Parish Raymoghvy**Balleghan:**

Colhoune, Adam, Balleghan, 1

Coningham, Andrew, Balleghan, 1

Coningham, John, Balleghan, 2

Coningham, John, Balleghan, 1

Cullylea

Colhoune, Patrick, Cullylea, 1

Coningham, Andrew, Cullylea, 1

Coningham, Widow, Eraty, 1

Coningham, James, Ballienanbeg, 1

Young, William, Stanuler, 1

Young, Hugh, Leck

Parish Leck

¹³² Charles Knowles Bolton, op. cit.

¹³³ Drummolen is claimed by some Pennsylvania Calhouns to be the ancestral home of Hugh Calhoun. (See Samuel Calhoon of Cumberland County, Pennsylvania in Appendix C.)

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Calhoun, Walter, 1
Calhoun, Walter, 1
Coningham, John, 1
Coningham, William, 1

Parish Donaghmore

Coningham, Walter, Castlefin, 1
Johnston, David, Killineur Estate, 1
Johnston, John, Castlefin, 1
Younge, John, Mr. Basil's and Mr. Benson's Estate, 1
Younge, John, Castlefin
Younge, William, Castlefin

Parish Clonleigh

Coningham, John, Manister, 1
Coningham, Matthew, Monyn, 1
Young, Robert, Croghan, 1
Young, John, Monyn, 1
Young, widow, Croghan, 1

Note regarding “Young”:

No evidence has been found that the “Young” surname was associated with the Ulster ancestors of Johnston Calhoun. Yet given the close association of Scots-Irish families over many generations, it is worthwhile to explore the possibility that Robert Calhoun, married a woman (Mary Young) whose ancestors had come from the same region in Ulster.

No record of the marriage of Robert Calhoun and Mary Young has been found. Property and census records document the marriage indirectly. Property records associated with Robert’s estate as well as his tombstone establish Mary as his widow. That her maiden name was “Young” is derived from the 1850 census where Mary is the head of household containing her children and one “Martha Young,” age 53, listed as ‘insane.’ It also lists her son Samuel V. Calhoun. Samuel V. Calhoun later bought land from an *Alexander Young*.

The 1860 U.S. Census shows that an Alexander Young was born about 1788. Martha Young was listed in the 1860 census for Columbiana Co., OH, age 63, living in the household of James Whitehill, the widower of Jane Calhoun, Mary Young’s deceased daughter.

Another family with the surname Young – Baltzer and Elizabeth —emigrated from Germany to York County, PA and had many descendants.¹³⁴

Dorothy Robinson Tafini provided information about the Youngs from her own research.¹³⁵ Mrs. Tafini believes that Alexander Young was the brother of Mary and Martha Young and that he was quite prosperous.

Note regarding Robinsons and Cunninghams:

The widower David Robinson married Robert Calhoun’s daughter Betsy (Elizabeth). She died young having born only one son, Theo.

¹³⁴ *History of the Upper Ohio Valley* (Brant & Fuller, Madison, WI, 1891) p. 178. Among the descendants was a Peter B. Young born in Columbiana Co., OH in 1839.

¹³⁵ Correspondence from descendant of Anne Calhoun Littell: Dorothy Robinson Tafini, Lisbon, OH 14 Nov 1986 .

David first married Letitia Ramage of Belmont County, Ohio. Her descendants claim **Letitia was David Robinson's cousin.**¹³⁶ They further state that Letitia's father was William Ramage of Limerick, Ireland, and **her mother was Mary Cunningham** born in 1766 at Chestnut Level, Pennsylvania.¹³⁷

If David Robinson was Letitia Ramage's cousin, it is likely that the link between David Robinson and Letitia was through her maternal line, the Cunninghams. It is curious that David and Letitia named one of their children Ludovica—the name of the Lord of Lenox, Ludovico Stuart, who originally held the land grants in Ulster later settled by the Cunninghams and Colquhouns/Colhounes (See Appendix A and F). Furthermore Letitia's sister, Jane married William Donaghy [Donnehay] who was born in Tyrone County, Ireland in 1784.¹³⁸ This further suggests family intermarriages and connections between Ulster and Pennsylvania families.

An Andrew Robinson is listed as a “non-conformist” from Stewart-town in the “Names of the Clergy who stayed in Londonderry in the time of the Siege, 1689. (Others so listed include William Cunningham and a Mr. Johnston.)¹³⁹ A James Robbin was leased land in Donegal County from Sir James Cunningham in “Ardie” in November 1614.

Stuarts, Hamiltons, Mc Causlands, Cunninghams

From transcripts of old documents, it is clear that under James I of England Ulster was divided up into large grants to the Stuarts etc. These large grants were broken up to the benefit of favored families. In Donegal these families appear to include the Hamiltons, Mc Causlands, Cunninghams and others. The Colquhouns were favored with lesser grants. Nevertheless from genealogies of all sorts, it seems clear that the Colquhouns had sufficient status to marry into the landed gentry of Ulster: namely the Coningham/Cunningham, Hamilton and Mc Causland families.

The lists shown above and in Appendix F, show the proximity of lands of the Colquhouns, Colhounes and all of the above names. Among the member of the Irish Parliament in the 1600s and 1700's the names Hamilton, Cunningham and McCausland/MacAusland appear frequently representing the counties of Donegal and Tyrone.

¹³⁶ Letitia Ramage Robinson, daughter of William Ramage and Mary Cunningham, posted at World Connect and Ancestry.com.

¹³⁷ Recall that James Patrick Calhoun, ancestor of John C. Calhoun, and possible siblings, settled at Chestnut Level in 1733—as described in Appendix B.

¹³⁸ Jane Ramage Donaghy, daughter of William Ramage and Mary Cunningham, posted at World Connect and Ancestry.com.

¹³⁹ The Siege and History of Londonderry, ed. J. Hempton (Londonderry City, 1861)

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Appendix H

DAWSON AND ALLIED FAMILIES

GENEALOGY AND FAMILY GROUP SHEETS

Verlinda Dawson, the wife of Samuel V. Calhoun (Appendix C), descended from a prolific and prominent Beaver County dynasty. Verlinda's great grandfather, Benoni Dawson, was the first of the family to pioneer the settlement of Beaver County south of the Ohio River.

According to Lee. O. Dawson,^[A3] Benoni originally settled with his parents in Frederick County, MD in 1753 where he married Rebecca Mackall in 1764. Benoni and Rebecca moved to "Point of Rocks" on the Potomac.

After his marriage Benoni moved to Western Pennsylvania (now Fayette county) where he joined the family of his uncle, George Dawson, who had preceded him.^{[A1][A2]}¹⁴⁰ He came with family and all his possessions, including seven slaves.¹⁴¹ While in Fayette County he sent men ahead driving his cattle to the Ohio River. He gave them orders to clear land for a homestead.

After a short stay with his relatives in Fayette County, he travelled north in 1790 by the Monongahela River until he reached the Ohio and then proceeded West to Beaver.¹⁴²

He settled on the south shore of the Ohio in what is now Beaver County. His land consisted of a patent to 354 acres of "Indian" land known as "The Bone of Contention."^[B1] He built a cabin on Mill Creek bottom, near the Ohio River, planted ten acres to corn and erected a mill. He created the village of Georgetown

A member of the Episcopal Church, he was variously described as "a good man to the poor." Biographers praised him as "one of those strong, wise, just men whose influence is widely felt for good, especially in a new community, as a counselor and peace maker, whose judgement and advice were generally respected. "His wise and just judgement was widely felt for good, the strength of his character lending weight to his counsel. "143

Benoni and his sons Benoni Jr. and Nicholas joined the militia of select riflemen to defend the frontier. The frontier at the Ohio River continued to be subject to Indian raids in those post-revolutionary days.[A4]

In his history of the Dawson Family, Lee O. Dawson refers to records of Benoni's public service and land holdings. Beaver County was created March 12, 1800. The northern part was created from Allegheny County, the southern part from Washington County (that part was originally in Westmoreland County until 1781).

¹⁴⁰ "My father came with his father to Fayette county, PA., when he was ten years old; he was b. in 1772." --A.. Dawson, of Calcutta, OH, son of Nicholas, son of Benoni.

¹⁴¹ "Among the largest slave owners, as shown by the Registers, were Robert Beale, 18, Benoni Dawson, 7., Augustine Moore, 4," etc.--*The Monongahela of Old*, p. 99,

¹⁴² "September 1790." -- Augustine M. Dawson. 1873, quoted by Charles C. Dawson.

¹⁴³ According to Charles C. Dawson: " People used to say, "Did Benoni Dawson say so? Then it is right." -- Augustine M. Dawson, quoted by Charles C. Dawson.

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Family Group Sheet—Benoni Dawson & Rebecca Mackall

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] are attached at the end of this Appendix.)

Husband: Benoni Dawson

b. 1742, Prince George Co. MD ^[A1-A3]

m. 1764, Frederick Co. (now Montgomery Co.) MD ^[A3]

d. 6 May 1806, Beaver Co., PA ^[A1]

bur. Georgetown Cemetery, Beaver Co. PA

Husband's Father: Thomas Dawson ^[A3]

Husband's Mother: Elizabeth Lowe ^[A3]

Wife: Rebecca Mackall ^[A1,A2]

b. 1741 ^[F3]

d. 6 Oct 1816, Beaver Co., PA ^[A3]

bur. Georgetown cemetery, Beaver Co. PA

Wife's Father: Benjamin Mackall ^[A3]

Wife's Mother:

Children:

1. Thomas Dawson

b. abt. 1765 ^[A1,A2]

m.

d. [1812][1817] at Georgetown at age 52 ^[A1-A3]

sp. Nancy Ann Dawson ^[A1]

(9 Children)

2. Nancy Brooks Dawson ^[A3]

b.

m.

d.

sp. John Bever ^{[A1]144}

(Child: Myrtila Bever, m. James L. Bowman, Brownsville, PA ^[A3])

3. Benoni Dawson

b. 20 Aug 1768, Frederick MD ^[A1] 1769

m.

d. 14 Nov 1844, Beaver Co. PA ^[A1] 1844 ¹⁴⁵

sp. Catherine P.D. McKinnon ^[A1] (dau of Rev. Daniel McKennon) ^[A1]

(Children: 7) ^[A1]

4. Mackall Dawson

b. 1771 ^[A3]

m.

d. 1830, nr Georgetown, PA ^[A1-A3]

sp. Rachel Porter ^[A3]

(Children: yes) ^[A1]

5. Nicholas Dawson (See Family Group below)

b. 1772 ^[A1,A2]

m.

d. 1855 nr. Calcutta, OH ^[A1,A2]

sp. Rachel Moore ^[A1]

(Children: 12)

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¹⁴⁴"Bever" not derived from "Beaver" but from Bieber--a Pennsylvania-German family. John Bever was a prominent surveyor in the border region of Columbiana County, OH and Beaver County, PA.

¹⁴⁵ Benoni Dawson (son of Benoni) served two terms, 6 mos ea, as frontier guard against hostile Indians, the service being known among those engaged therein as "standing on the station." He moved from south to north side of Ohio River and purchased a 250- ac farm. ^[F1]

6. Benjamin M. Dawson (See Family Group below)
 b. abt. 1774^[A3]
 m.
 d. 1821^[A3]
 sp. Elizabeth Wilkinson^[A3]
7. Robert D. Dawson^[A3]
 b. 1777
 m.
 d. 18 Jan 1801 aged 24 yrs^[A3]
 bur. Georgetown Cem., Georgetown, PA
 sp. Unmarried
8. John Lowe Dawson
 b. 1777^[A1]
 m.
 d. 1832, nr. Wooster, OH^[A1,A2]
 sp. Mary Cotton^[A1]
 (Children 8)^[A1]
9. George Dawson^[A1]
 b. abt. 1780^[A1]
 m.
 d. (res. Mill Creek, d. abt. 50 years)^[A1,A2]
 sp. Jane Mackall^[A1]
 (Children 5)
10. Rebecca Mackall Dawson^[A1,A2]
 b. 1782^[A3]
 m.
 d.
 sp. William White^[A1,A2]
 (Children: (9 inc. Rebecca White, b. 1820; Benoni White, b. 1806; Myrtilla White, b. 1812, ml. James M. Dawson)^[A1,A2]
11. James M. Dawson^[A3]
 b. 27 May 1784^[A3]
 m.
 d. 1843^[A3]
 sp.
 (Children: none)
12. Mary S. Dawson^[A3]
 b.
 m.
 d.
 sp. James Blackmore^[A1,A3]
 (Children: 4, inc. Samuel Blackmore, Thomas Blackmore, Elizabeth Blackmore [m. Samuel Mackall],
 Rebecca Blackmore [m. James Fitzsimmons, 5 children], Rebecca Blackmore)
13. Elizabeth Lowe Dawson
 b.
 m.
 d.
 sp. Charles Blackmore^[A1,A3]
 Children: (3 inc: Thomas Blackmore, Mary Blackmore [m. George Dawson], Benoni Blackmore)

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Family Group Sheet—Benjamin Dawson & Elizabeth Wilkinson

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] are attached at the end of this Appendix.)

Husband: Benjamin Dawson^[D1]
b. abt 1774, Frederick Co. MD^[A3]
m.
d. 16 May 1821, Georgetown, Beaver Co. PA^[A3]
bur. Georgetown Cem., Beaver Co. PA^[A3]

Husband's Father: Benoni Dawson
Husband's Mother: Rebecca Mackall

Wife: Elizabeth Wilkinson^[D1]
b. 23 Mar 1780^[A3]
m.
d. 15 Apr 1866, Georgetown, Beaver Co. PA^[A3]
bur. Georgetown Cem., Beaver Co. PA^[A3]

Wife's Father:
Wife's Mother:

Children:

1. Amos Dawson
b. 1800
m.
d. 1852^[A1,A2]¹⁴⁶ or 1861^[A3]
sp. Rebecca Dawson^[A1,A2] his first cousin, dau of Mackall Dawson^[A1]
(Children: Mackall, b. 1827 nr Ohioville, Beaver Co. PA, d. Feb. 1901, Darlington Twp, Beaver Co. PA)^[F1]
 2. Joshua Wilkinson Dawson
b. abt 1802^[A3]
m.
d. Greene Co. IN^[A1,A2]
sp. Mary McLaughlin^[A1,A3]
 3. George Dawson (See Family Group below)
b. 1804
m.
d. 1866
sp. Narcissa Bever Dawson (first cousin)
 4. John Lowe Dawson
b.
m.
d. Last res. Steuben Co., IN^[A2, A3]
sp. Phoebe Dix^[A1,A2, A3]
 5. Nancy
b.
m.
d.
sp. Thomas Blackmore (cousin)^[A1,A2, A3]
(Children: none)
 6. Catherine Dawson
b.
m.
d. Last res. Athens Co. OH^[A1]
sp. Dr. John Dixon^[A1,A2,A3]
(Children: 2 daus)^[A2,A3]
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¹⁴⁶ An ardent Democrat. He meet accidental death in 1852 when he drowned while washing a flock of sheep.(Source F2). Had 100-ac tract west of Little Beaver Creek near Ohio border.

7. Olivia Dawson
 b.
 m.
 d. Wellsburg, WV^[A1,A2]
 sp. Harrison Harvey^[A1,A3]
 (Children: 3)
8. Rebecca Dawson
 b.
 m.
 d. Last res. Cameron, Clinton Co. MO^[A2,A3]
 sp. Peter Fisher^[A1,A2,A3], 147
 (Children: 8)
9. Eliza Dawson
 b.
 m.
 d. Last res. Calcutta, Columbiana Co OH^[A1,A2,A3]
 sp. Michael Fisher^[A1,A2,A3]
 (Children: 1)^[A3]
10. Amasa Dawson
 b.
 m.
 d. Last res. nr. Calcutta, Columbiana Co OH^[A1]
 sp. Henry Fisher^[A1,A2,A3]
 (Children: 6)^[A3]
11. Myrtilla Dawson
 b. 1817^[A3]
 m.
 d. Last res. Ohioville, Beaver Co. PA^[A2]
 sp. Dr. James Scroggs^[A1,A2] of Ohioville^[A3]
 (Children: 7)^[A3]

Benjamin Dawson was a ferry master on the Ohio River. His father, Benoni, conveyed his ferry rights at Georgetown, Beaver County, PA, to Benjamin.^[A1]

Writing about the Dawson family of Beaver County, John Jordan stated that Benjamin's wife, Elizabeth Wilkinson, "lived to a very great age, hers being the unusual distinction of seeing her granddaughter's grandchildren."^[A1]

¹⁴⁷ Brothers Peter, Michael and Henry Fisher, married sisters, Rebecca, Eliza and Amassa, respectively.

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Family Group Sheet—Nicholas Dawson & Rachel Moore

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] are attached at the end of this Appendix.)

Husband: Nicholas Dawson^[A1]
b. 1772, Montgomery Co., MD^[A1,A2]
m.
d. 1855, nr. Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH^[A1,A2]

Husband's Father: Benoni Dawson
Husband's Mother: Rebecca Mackall

Wife: Rachel Moore^[A1]
b. 31 Aug 1777, Kent Co., MD^[A2]
d. 19 Jul 1846, Calcutta, Columbiana Co. OH^[F1,F2]

Wife's Father: Augustine Moore
Wife's Mother: Verlinda Dawson

Children:^[A1]

1. Mackall Dawson^[A2]
 - b.
 - m.
 - d. Adams Co., OH^[A2]
2. Augustine M. Dawson^[A2]
 - b. 19 Feb 1800^[F2]
 - m.
 - d. (res. Calcutta OH in 1873)^[A2]
3. Benoni Dawson^[A2]
 - b.
 - m.
 - d. nr. Calcutta at age 71^[A2]
4. William Dawson^[A2]
 - b.
 - m.
 - d. Dec 1872, Pittsburg^[A2]
5. Verlinda Dawson^[F2]
 - b.
 - m.
 - d. (res. Jackson Co. OH)^[A2]
 - sp. Thomas Creighton^[A2]
6. Narcissa Bever Dawson^[A2,D1]
 - b. 11 Feb 1806, Calcutta, Columbiana Co. OH (See Family Group below)
 - m. 23 June 1825
 - d. 14 Mar 1853, Calcutta, OH
 - bur. Long's Run Cem., Calcutta
 - sp. George Dawson (first cousin)
7. Rebecca Dawson^[A2]
 - b. 7 Feb 1810^[A2]
 - m.
 - d.
 - sp. Thomas Creighton
8. Barbara Jones Dawson^[A2]
 - b.
 - m.
 - d. Medina Co., OH^[A2]
 - sp. James Armstrong^[A2]
9. Rachel
 - b.
 - m.
 - d. Last res. nr. Calcutta, Columbiana Co. OH^[A2]
 - sp. John Armstrong^[A2]

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10. Elizabeth
 - b.
 - d. died in infancy

11. George A.
 - b. 3 Nov 1817^[A2]
 - m.
 - d. Last res. nr. Belair, IL, 1873^[A2]
 - sp. Lucinda Swearingen^[A3]
12. Nicholas^[FA2]
 - b. abt. 1820^[A3]
 - m. unmarried^[A2]
 - d. bef/ 1855^[A3]

According to Charles C. Dawson,^[A2] Nicholas Dawson "stood on the station" six months in each year, as a part of the frontier guard of southwestern Pennsylvania against hostile Indians. At an early day he joined the Presbyterian church, of which he was an elder. He was a life-member of the American Bible Society, a man of liberal charities, and earnest practical Christianity.

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Family Group Sheet—George Dawson & Narcissa Dawson

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A1}] are attached at the end of this Appendix.)

Husband: George Dawson

b. 12 July 1804, Georgetown, PA^[A2,A3,D1]

m1. 23 June 1825^[E1] ¹⁴⁸

d. 9^[A1,D1,F3] or 19 Aug 1866, Calcutta, OH^[A3,F2,F3]

bur. Long's Run Cem., Calcutta^[A3]

Husband's Father: Benjamin Dawson

Husband's Mother: Elizabeth Wilkinson

Wife: Narcissa Dawson

b. 11 Feb 1806, Calcutta, OH^[A2,A3,D1,F2,F3]

d. 14 Mar 1853, Calcutta, OH^[A2,A3,D1,F2,F3]

bur. Long's Run Cem., Calcutta^[A3]

Wife's Father: Nicholas Dawson

Wife's Mother: Rachel Moore

Children all born in Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH:

1. Elizabeth E. Dawson

b. 9^[A2,D1] or 26^[A3] April 1826

m. Unmarried^[F3]

d. 3^[A2,D1] or 30 Oct 1852^[F3]

bur. Long's Run Cem, Calcutta, OH^[F3]

2. Rachel M. Dawson

b. 31 Oct 1827^[A2, A3]

d. 3^[A2,D1] or 8 July 1864^[A3]

bur. Long's Run Cem., Calcutta, OH^[A3]

sp. Elijah Moore^[A2,D1,A3] ¹⁴⁹

(Children: William A., George and Thomas Moore, all under 21 yrs in 1866)^[A3]

3. Benjamin Mackall Dawson (See Family Group below) Benjamin Mackall Dawson & Elizabeth Frazer)

b. 16 June 1829^[D1,F2,F3]

m. 7 April 1853^[D1,F2,F3]

d. 9 Dec 1916^[D1,F2,F3]

sp. Elizabeth Frazer^[A3,D1,F2,F3]

4. Verlinda Dawson (See Family Group of Samuel Calhoun & Verlinda Dawson, Section III)¹

b. 26 Aug 1831, Calcutta, Columbiana Co. OH

m. 10 June 1859, Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH

d. 11 November 18789, Wichita,KA

5. Nancy Ann Dawson(See Family Group below) Joseph M. Hart & Nancy Dawson)

b. 12 Sept 1834, Calcutta, OH^[A3,D1]

m. 22 Dec 1859, New Lisbon, Columbiana Co.OH^[A3,D1]

d. Mar 1887, East Liverpool, Calcutta, OH^[A3,D1]

bur. Long's Run Cem., Calcutta, OH^[A3,D1]

sp. Joseph M. Hart ^[A3,D1]

6. Mary Hoy Dawson

b. 1836 ^[A3,D1]

d. 1900, IL^[A3,D1]

m. Unmarried^[A3,D1]

7. Nicholas A. Dawson

b. 1838 ^[A3,D1]

8. Infant

b. 28 Feb 1840^[A3,D1]

d. 1 Mar 1840^[A3,D1]

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¹⁴⁸ Married a second time to Ellen Souder(no issue)^[B1]

¹⁴⁹ Lived in Kansas City, MO for awhile.

9. William Adelma Dawson (See Family Group below) William Adelma Dawson & Ermina Calvin)^[A3,D1]
 b. 1 Feb 1841 ^[D1]
 m. 18 Feb 1869^[D1]
 d. 26 June 1922^[D1]
 sp. Ermina Calvin ^[A2,D1]
10. Thomas C. Dawson
 b. 1843^[A3,D1]
 m. Unmarried^[A3,D1]
 d. 1890 ^[A3,D1]
11. Narcissa V. Dawson
 b. 18 Aug 1847^[A2,A3,D1]
 d. 19 Feb 1848^[A2,A3,D1]
 bur. Long's Run Cem, Calcutta OH^[A3]
- 12 Franklin S. Dawson
 b. 11 July 1849 ^[A2,A3]
 d. 22 Feb 1851 ^[A2,A3]
 bur. Long's Run Cem, Calcutta, OH^[A3].

George and Narcissa Dawson were first cousins, both the grandchildren of Benoni Dawson, a prominent early settler of Georgetown on the south bank of the Ohio River in Beaver County, Pennsylvania. Their grandparents were also first cousins--a frequent occurrence among these Dawsons. George and Narcissa broke away from the river settlement and took up a farm several miles north of the Ohio River and across the border in Ohio. They remained in the community called 'Calcutta' in Columbiana County. Several of their children migrated west sometime just before or after the Civil War.

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The following family groups are cousins of Samuel V. Calhoun and Verlinda Dawson who migrated west. Many of these settled in the vicinity of Kansas City, Kansas near Samuel who settled in the vicinity of Kansas City, Missouri.

Family Group Sheet—Benjamin Mackall Dawson & Elizabeth Fraser

(Source citations referenced by superscripts [e.g. ^{A3}] are attached at the end of this Appendix.)

Husband: Benjamin Mackall Dawson^[A3]

b. 16 June 1829, Calcutta, Columbiana Co. OH
m. 7 April 1853, Wellsville, Columbiana Co. OH
d. 9 Dec 1916, Stanley, KS

Husband's Father: George Dawson

Husband's Mother: Narcissa Bever Dawson

Wife: Elizabeth Fraser^[A3]

b. 15 April 1829
d. 2 July 1917, Stanley, KS

Wife's Father: Daniel Frazer

Wife's Mother: Euphemia Ogilvie

Children:^[A3]

1. Mary Narcissa Dawson
b. 25 Apr 1854, Yellow Creek, Columbiana Co., OH
m. 18 Mar 1873
d. 3 July 1934
sp. Daniel Diester
(Children: 10)
2. Daniel Frazer Dawson
b. 18 Sept 1857, Marshalltown, IA
m. (divorced)
d. 6 Apr 1931
sp. Sarah Murray
(Children: 2 daughters who died in KS)
3. George Frank Dawson
b. 10 May 1859, Marshalltown, IA
m. not married
d. 1 Nov 1840
4. William Jesse Dawson
b. 1861
m.
d. 1932
sp. Trivilla Naylor
5. Euphemia Dawson
b. 8 Feb 1863, Parksville, Platte Co. OM
d. 18 Feb 1863
6. Valinda Rachel Dawson
b. 3 Mar 1864, Marshalltown, IA
m. 13 Sep 1881
d. 27 May 1949, KS
sp. John Henry Rawie
(Children: 12)
7. Benjamin Mackall Dawson, Jr.^[F2,F3]
b. 22 May 1866
m. 23 Dec 1891, Ft. Scott, Bourbon Co., KS
d. 2 Sep 1940, Boulder, Boulder Co., CO
sp. Bertie Blanche Hart^[F2,F3]
(Children: Joseph Benjamin b. 24 Jul 1899, Ouray, CO; m. 9 Dec 1922, Boulder, d. 9 Mar 1955, Boulder--and others. Joseph m. Christabell Craig.--the parents of Jane Marie Dawson who furnished this info.)

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8. John Moore Dawson
 ab. 1868
 m.
 d. 1944
 m. Pearl Elizabeth Morrison
 (Children: father of **Myron Dawson** and ancestor of **Wade Dawson** who supplied information on these cousins)
9. Charles Batey Dawson
 b. 24 Feb 1870, Marshalltown, IA
 m. not married
 d. 16 Jun 1896, CO
 sp. Betrothed to Rebecca Zimmerman at time of death

Benjamin Mackall Dawson brought his family to Marshalltown, Iowa between 1854 and 1857. Most of his children were born there. The family later went to Stanley, Johnson County, Kansas near southwestern Kansas City. The family and descendants continued to live in Stanley well into the mid twentieth century. They lived in close association with the Diesters.

Ella Calhoun was a niece of Benjamin and Narcissa through Ella's mother, Verlinda Dawson Calhoun. It is clear that Ella's children maintained a close relationship with Benjamin and Narcissa's descendants. Her son Frederick Vincent West mentions the Diesters and his kin in Stanley in letters written to his brother Alfred in the 1920s.

The biography of Benjamin Mackall Dawson states that he was a very religious man. The obituary of his brother-in-law, Samuel Calhoun states that he too was a religious man. Samuel was a presbyterian. Alfred West, son, of Ella Calhoun West claimed that his parents were very religious also.

The biography by L.O. Dawson states:

"Once upon a time [Benjamin] was reading to his family by candlelight, with the candle between him and the Bible the better to light the page. He leaned a little too close to it and his beard came in contact with the flame. The children nearly burst but dared not make a sound, for the father continued to read as he stroked out the fire and never missed a word.

At least two of Benjamin and Narcissa's sons went to Colorado in the 1890's. Benjamin Mackall Dawson, Jr. lived at Sugar Loaf and Boulder. Charles Batey Dawson was killed by a falling tree in Colorado. John Moore Dawson, son of Benjamin M. Dawson, Jr. married Pearl Morrison and their son Myron Wade Dawson was born in Boulder in 1905. Myron's son, Wayne Dawson of Tucson, AR, furnished much of the data for Benjamin Mackall Dawson and his descendants. Joseph Benjamin, another son of Benjamin M. Jr., was the father of **Jane Dawson Digerness**.

Family Group Sheet—Joseph M. Hart & Nancy Ann Dawson

Sources: [A1,F2,F3] are attached at the end of this Appendix.)

Husband: Joseph M. Hart

- b. 1 Aug 1834/5, Armstrong Co., PA
- m. 22 Dec 1859, New Lisbon, Columbiana Co. OH
- d. 1 Aug 1916, East Liverpool, Columbiana Co. OH

Husband's Father: Samuel Hart

Husband's Mother: Martha McKee

Wife: Nancy Ann Dawson

- b. 12 Sep 1833/34, Calcutta, Columbiana Co. OH
- d. Mar 1887, East Liverpool, Columbiana Co. OH

Wife's Father: George Dawson

Wife's Mother: Narcissa Bever Dawson

Children:

1. Mattie May Hart
 - b. 7 Oct 1860
 - m.
 - d.
2. William A. Hart
 - b. 14 Mar 1863, St. Clair Twp, Columbiana Co. OH
 - m.
 - d. Boulder, CO of broken leg and bad temper, unm
3. Georgia Ann Hart
 - b. 1 May 1867, Smith's Ferry, Beaver Co. PA
 - m.
 - d. 11 Nov 1939, Boulder, CO
 - sp. Oliver M. Dawns
 - (Child: 1 dau)
4. Bertie Blanche Hart
 - b. 1 Nov 1871/1872, Chicago, Cook Co. IL
 - m. 23 Dec 1891, Ft. Scott, Bourbon Co. KS
 - d. 17 Mar 1957, Lake Alfred, Polk Co. FL
 - sp. Benjamin Mackall, Jr.
 - (Children: 4)

Joseph travelled for East Liverpool Pottery

Family Group Sheet—William Adelma Dawson & Armina Calvin

Sources: [F2] is attached at the end of this Appendix.)

Husband: William Adelma Dawson

b. 1Feb 1841, Calcutta , Columbiana Co. OH
 m. 18 Feb 1869, Pittsburgh, PA
 d. 26 June 1922, Fairbury, Livingston Co. IL

Husband's Father: George DawsonHusband's Mother: Narcissa DawsonWife: Armina Calvin

b. 17 May 1848, Calcutta, Columbiana Co., OH
 d. 10 Mar 1927, Fairbury, Livingston Co. IL

Wife's Father:Wife's Mother:Children:

1. George Woodsworth Dawson
 - b. 10 Dec 1869, El Paso, Woodford Co. IL
 - d. 17 Jan 1870
2. Blanche Bertie Dawson
 - b. 8 Nov 1870, El Paso, Woodford Co. IL
 - m. unmarried
 - d. 23 July 1932
3. Mary Gabriel Dawson
 - b. 30 Nov 1872, Weston, McLean Co. IL
 - m.
 - d. 20 Nov 1941
 - sp. Myron Johnson Dawson
4. Dula May
 - b. 20 Feb 1875, Weston, McLean Co. IL
 - m. unmarried
5. Joshua Calvin Dawson
 - b. 13 Feb 1877, Weston, McLean Co. IL
 - m.
 - d. 20 July 1933
 - sp. Anna Lang
6. Ada Verlinda Dawson
 - b. 18 Jan 1879, Weston, McLean Co. IL
 - m. 1 Jan 1903
 - d. 12 Jun 1940
 - m. Irwin Wilson
7. Sheridan Swift Dawson
 - b. 22 Oct 1880, Weston, McLean Co. IL
 - m. 1 Dec 1909
 - d. 23 Jul 1967
 - sp. Nellie Laurel Fry
8. Anna Myra Dawson
 - b. 10 Mar 1883, Weston, IL
 - m. 27 Feb 1907
 - d. 13 Feb 1952
 - sp. Gilbert Womeldorff
9. James Courtney Dawson
 - b. 2 Jan 1885
 - m.
 - d. 30 June 1894 of scarlet fever

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Appendix H

10. Infant boy
 - b. 18 April 1887, Weston, McLean Co. IL
 - d.
11. Geno (female) Dawson
 - b. 13 June 1888, Weston, McLean Co. IL
 - d. 10 Mar 1895, diphtheria

It is apparent that William Adelma Dawson accompanied his sister, Verlinda and her husband Samuel Calhoun to El Paso, Illinois where their youngest children were born. Samuel and Verlinda moved on to Kansas and Missouri while William Adelma and his wife Armina remained in Illinois---at Weston in McLean County.

Other associated families

Family Group Sheet—Isaiah Lukehart & Mary Holder

Husband: J. Isaiah Lukehart
 b. 1 Nov 1860 Guthrie Co. IA
 d. 6 Jul 1912 of TB

Husband's Father: James Lukehart
Husband's Mother:

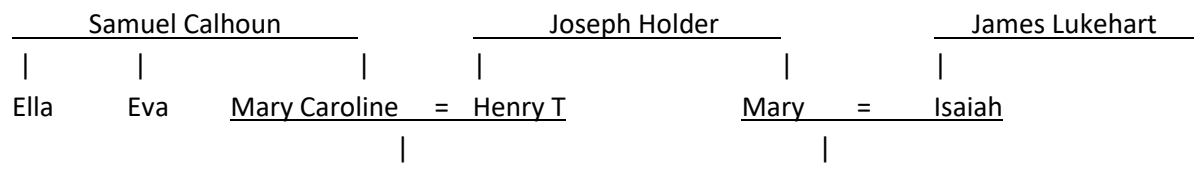
Wife: Mary A. Holder
 b. 26 Feb 1862, KS
 d. 4 Feb 1951

Wife's Father: Joseph Holder
Wife's Mother:

Children:

1. Mabel V. Lukehart
 b. 27 Mar 1884
 d. 20 May 1917
2. Guy H. Lukehart
 b. 11 Mar 1888
 d. 7 Mar 1907
3. Isabelle Lukehart
 b. 1892
 d. 1934
4. Gladys Marie Lukehart
 b. 14 Jul 1897 IA
 d. 3 Jan-1921 of TB
5. Nellie M. Lukehart
 b. 2 Nov 1903
 d. 14 Nov 1927 of TB
6. Mildred Frances Lukehart
 b. 26 Jun 1901
 d. 14 Aug 1924 of TB

Relationship of Calhouns to Holders and Lukeharts¹⁵⁰



¹⁵⁰ A story is told that when Ella died, her son, Alfred, roller skated a mile to inform his "Aunt Lukehart." This aunt was Mary Holder Lukehart the sister of Henry Holder, husband of Mary Caroline Calhoun Holder. The Lukeharts came to Kansas City from Iowa. The Holders and Lukeharts are buried together in Raytown, Jackson County, Missouri at Brooking Cemetery.

Appendix H

Sources for Allied Families

A. Published Books

1. John W. Jordan, *Genealogical and Personal History of Beaver County, Pennsylvania, Vol II* (New York: Lewis Historical Publishing Company, 1914), p 797-803.
2. Charles C. Dawson, *Collection of Dawson Family Records* (Garnier & Company, 1874), p. 241-243, 260
3. Lee O. Dawson, *Through Three Centuries with a Dawson Family; Records of Descendants of John Dawson and Allied Families* (np: nd), p. 53-55.
4. Bausman, *History of Beaver County*, Vol. 1, p. 123, citing *Muster and Pay Rolls, Pennsylvania Militia, 1790 to 1800, Allegheny Brigade*, pp. 99-100.

B. Land Records

1. Patent to the "Bone of Contention," investigated at Beaver County Courthouse and/or Pennsylvania State Archives, Harrisburg, PA, 1982.

C. Census

1. 1830 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co., OH, St. Claire Twp, Ancestry census online.
2. 1850 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co., OH, Middleton, NARA Microfilm M432, Roll 669, p. 180.
3. 1860, U.S. Census, Columbiana Co., OH, St. Claire Township, NARA Microfilm M653, Roll 948, p. 197

D. Unpublished Family Group Sheets

1. LDS Family Group Record Archives, Family Group Sheet of George and Narcissa Dawson received from Family History Library, Salt Lake, in 1984. Record submitted in 1965 by Karen Digerness on behalf of Jane Digerness, daughter of Joseph Benjamin Dawson based on information from personal records of Dula M. Dawson, Fairbury, IL; copy of will of husband and personal knowledge of Mamie Deister, Stanley, KS.
2. Family Group Sheet of Benjamin M. Dawson, (b. 22 May 1866) son of Benjamin Mackall Dawson and Elizabeth Fraser includes references from 1900 Census, Sugarloaf, Boulder CO; 1910 Census Boulder; Death Certificate 1990, Boulder, for Florence Burroughs, dau. of Benjamin M. Dawson; Howe Mortuary Records for Benjamin M. Dawson (d. 2 Sept 1940), son, David Dawson (d. 11 July 1905), son, Joseph Benjamin (d. 9 March 1955). Compiled by Mary McRoberts, Boulder Genealogical Society, Boulder, CO

E. Marriages

1. *Colombiana County, Ohio Marriages 1800-1870*, comp. Carol Willsey Bell, CG, (Youngstown, OH: Bell Books, 1990).: George Dawson and Narcissa "Darson" [sic] 23 June 1825 by William Reed. Book 2, p. 209. Also George Dawson and Ellen Souder married 4th inst by Rev S.W. Clark, GD and MISS ES of St Clair (Op 12)

F. Private Correspondence

- 1 Letter and Family Group Sheet from Mary McRoberts, Boulder Genealogical Society, 5 July 2002.
2. Wayne Dawson, Tucson, AR, 14 Feb 2007. Letter, family group sheets and photocopies of Lee O. Dawson book shown at F3 above. Also provided contact information for Jane Digerness shown in G2 above.
3. Jane (Dawson) Digerness, Randolph Utah, 6 Feb 2007. Letters detailing recent family history, family group sheet, family photos.

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	1529	1435	2501	116	150		1596	1507	2710	122	150
Benjamin						Benjamin					
James M. Fisher	2	1	6	1	1	William Bond	3		1	1	1
Henry Deamarr	1	3	2			Andrew Bond	1	1	6	1	1
William Bond	3	2	6	2	6	George Craymer	1	2	6		
Elizabeth Thomas	1	3	6			Robert Shields	1	6	5		
James M. Michael	1	3	5			Mary Shields			2		
William Highbill	1	3	5			Robert House	1	1	2		
John Whiggitt	2	2	3			James M. Calmont	1		3		
William Hunter	3		1			Elizabeth Prognor			6		
Alexander B. Cox	6	3	3			Isaac Knicker	1	1	3		
James Boston	2	1	7			Henry Stobley	1	3	2		
Robert Leiper	2	1	5			Elizabeth Beal			2		
James Piper	1	2	5			George Stinger	2	2	3		
John Jeffrey	2	1	6			Michael Stinson	2		3		
Francis Robinson	1	6	6			Adam Smith	1	1	3		
Nathan Perkins	2	2	3			Joseph Suggatey	1		3		
Henry Reed	1	3	2			Henry Stuber	1	2	2		
John Rievers	1	1	2			Derbal Rievers	1	1	2		
Samuel M. Cuthbert	2	1	5			Devault Rievers	1	1	3		
Matthew M. Donald	3	2	3			Robert Brotherton	7	1	6		
Robert Fisher	1	3	3			Michael Reed	1	1	2		
John Colchipp	2	2	3			George Reed	2		2		
Henry Todd	1	1	6			Peter Reed	1	1	1		
Hugh M. Oblan	1	1	3			Samuel Reed	1	1	6		
James Southerton	2	1	2			Norman Rye	1	1	6		
Alexander Norton	1	6	2			Matthew Shields	1	6	6		
Daniel M. Leen	1	3	6			Michael Colborne	1	3	6		
John White	1	1	2			John Goodworth	1	5	1		
John Wilson	2	6	3			William Hunter	1				
James Smith	1		1			Johnston Coulhoun	1	2	2		
Joseph M. Shanny	1	1	3	1		Samuel Reed	2	1	3		
William Brandt	1	2	6			William Rye	1	2	2		
Alexander B. Canby	1	2				James Rye	1	1	1		
Joseph M. Myers	2	3	5			Joseph Waddle	2	1	6		
Alexander Spear	2	1	3			Nathaniel Mitchell	2	6	5		
William M. Elias	3		3			John Mitchell	2	3	6		
Alexander Hill	1	1	2			William Prohler	1	3	3		
Thomas Hill			2			Alexander Robinson	2	2	5		
Joseph Amstrong	6		1	6	3	Hugh Caldwell	1	3	3		
William Diab	1	6	6			Norman Rievers	1	2	6		
Thomas Hilling	1		1			Allen Anderson	2	1	1		
Benjamin	1596	1507	2710	122	150	Benjamin	1650	1571	2830	124	160

1790 U.S. Census, Franklin Co., PA,
 (Fannet, Hamilton, Letterkenny, Montgomery and Peters Twps)
 NARA Microfilm 637, Roll 9, p. 317.

Johnston Coulhoun [sic].

Beaver County, Pennsylvania
Hanover Township

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Thomas Bevington	2	2	2	1	2	2	3	2	1
Moses Beard				1				1	
Mary Blackmore		1		1			1	1	
John Bringham	1			1	1	1		1	
Sam. Blackmore			2						1
Benjn Beard				1					1
Bartholus Beard				1					1
Thos. Bevington				1		1		1	
John Bivins				1				1	
James Botten	2			1				1	
John Botten				1		2		1	2
George Clymer	3	1	1		1	1	1	1	1
David Calhoun	4	1	1	1	1	2			1
James Calhoun				1		2			1
Robt. Culbertson	4	1	2	1		1	1		1
John Calhoun	1		1	1					1
Sam. Calhoun	2		1	1		3	1		1
Sarah Calhoun	1		3			3			1
Mathew Cummings	2	1		1		1	1	2	
Mary Crawford									
William Chambers	1	1		1	0	3	3	1	1
Benjn Dawson	4			2	1	1	3	2	1
Thomas Dawson	2		2			2	1	2	1
Benoni Dawson	2	1	1		1	2	1	1	1
David Dymson								2	
William Duncan	2			1		1			1
Lucy Daniel	2					1			1
Abel Dawson	2			1		2	1	1	1
Thomas Elliott			2	1	1	3	1		1
Sam. Ewing	3	1		1		1		1	1
Thomas English	3			1		2	1		1
Benjn Ellibane					1	2	1	1	1
Henry English			2		1			1	
John Foster	1	1		1		4	2		1
Henry Finley	3			2	1	1		1	1
Michael Fawcett	1		1					1	1
Henry Gibson		1	1		1	2		2	

1810 U.S. Census, Beaver Co., PA, Ohio Twp.
NARA Microfilm 252, Roll 45, p. 455.

David, Samuel and Sarah Calhoun;
Benjamin, Thomas and Benoni Dawson

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(No. 4.) SCHEDULE of the whole number of persons within the division allotted to *Joseph French*

NAMES OF HEADS OF FAMILIES	FREE WHITE PERSONS, INCLUDING HEADS OF FAMILIES																				FREE COLORED PERSONS									
	MALE										FEMALE										Males					Females				
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30
<i>John French</i>	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1						
<i>William McLean</i>																														
<i>James Arison</i>	1	2								1	1																			
<i>John C. Allen</i>										1	1																			
<i>Henry H. Boynton</i>		2	2							1	2																			
<i>Edith Best</i>																														
<i>Henry Cooke</i>		1	1																											
<i>John Cook</i>																														
<i>John Cooke</i>	2	2	1	1						1	1																			
<i>William Miller</i>	1	2	2							1	2																			
<i>Joseph McCreedy</i>																														
<i>Joseph McCreedy</i>		1	1																											
<i>James Moody</i>	1	1								1	1																			
<i>William Long</i>																														
<i>John Long</i>										1	2																			
<i>John Y. Johnston</i>	1	1								2	2																			
<i>Hester Horn</i>	2	1								2	1																			
<i>James Armstrong</i>																														
<i>Walter Calhoun</i>																														
<i>Joseph Calhoun</i>										1	1																			
<i>James McCreedy</i>	1	1								1	1																			
<i>Wilmington Farmer</i>	1																													
<i>William Witham</i>																														
<i>William Beckie</i>																														
<i>David Conway</i>	1																													
<i>James Simpson</i>																														
<i>Samuel Miller</i>																														
<i>James McCreedy</i>	2	1								1	1																			
<i>Thomas White</i>	1	2	3							1																				

1840 U.S. Census, Beaver Co., PA, Greene Twp.
 (image displayed at Ancestry.com)
 John Y, Johnston and Joseph Calhoun

SCHEDULE I--Free Inhabitants in Greene Township in the County of Beaver State of Pennsylvania enumerated by me, on the 17th day of Sept 1850. M. Ficklin Ass't Marshal

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 11 12		
									10	11	12
Name of every Person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1850, was in the family		Sex	Color	Age	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of such Male Person over 15 years of age	Value of Real Estate	Place or Birth, Naming the State, Territory, or Country	Married within the year	Under 10 years of age	Under 5 years of age	Under 1 year of age
		John B. W. Greedy	M	30	Farmer		England				
		William B.	M	24	Student						
		Jane Merritt	F	16							
110	111	James B. Greedy	M	20	Farmer						
		Mary B.	F	17							
		Joseph J.	M	22	Farmer						
		John B.	M	12							
		Elizabeth J.	F	11							
		Mary J.	F	8							
115	119	Jane Calhoun	F	22			Ohio				
		Larissa	F	11							
		Agnes	F	10							
		George W. Boyer	M	20							
		Alice M.	F	20							
116	120	Abraham Calhoun	M	17	Farmer		Ohio				
		Rebecca	F	31							
		Jane	F	12							
		Mary	F	11							
		Rebecca J.	F	9							
		Joseph	M	7							
		Olga	F	5							
		Henry J.	M	6							
		John	M	1							
117	121	Mary Calhoun	F	17			Ohio				
		Elizabeth J.	F	23							
		Caroline	F	14							
		Riverdale J.	M	17	Farmer						
		Samuel	M	16	Miller						
		Martha Young	F	13							Ohio
		William Young	M	25	Farmer						
118	122	Jane Calhoun	F	10							

1850 U.S. Census, Beaver Co., PA, Greene Twp.
(image displayed at Ancestry.com)

Jane, Johnston, and Mary Calhoun

SCHEDULE I.—Free Inhabitants in *Greene Township* in the County of *Beaver* State of *Pennsylvania* enumerated by me, on the *16th* day of *Sept* 1850. *M. Fisher* Ass't Marshal.

1	2	3	4			5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
			Male	Female	Total								
		<i>Robert Swamy</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>m</i>						<i>Pennsylvania</i>			
		<i>Nancy</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Mary Munsinger</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>f</i>									
<i>91</i>	<i>95</i>	<i>Stephen Lico</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>m</i>	<i>B</i>	<i>Laborer</i>		<i>Belarus</i>					
		<i>Elilah</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>B</i>			<i>Pennsylvania</i>					
		<i>Stephen</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>m</i>	<i>B</i>			<i>Ohio</i>					
		<i>Liziga</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>B</i>								
		<i>Josephus</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>m</i>	<i>B</i>			<i>Pennsylvania</i>					
		<i>Livictia</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>f</i>	<i>B</i>								
<i>92</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>Martha Laughlin</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Martha</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>f</i>									
<i>94</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>William Laughlin</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>	<i>1752</i>						
		<i>Agnes</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Marganna</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Rachel</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>John</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>m</i>									
<i>95</i>	<i>98</i>	<i>David Robinson</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Ed. Voggman 1852</i>							
		<i>Leticia</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>f</i>				<i>Ohio</i>					
		<i>Lodovica W. R.</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>m</i>				<i>Pennsylvania</i>					
		<i>Isabella</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Anna W. R.</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Nancy Randolph</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Isabella Henry</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>f</i>				<i>Ohio</i>					
		<i>David A. Ramsey</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>m</i>									
<i>96</i>	<i>99</i>	<i>Samuel Murr</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>	<i>1752</i>	<i>Pennsylvania</i>					
		<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Thomas</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>							
		<i>Abianda</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Samuel</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>m</i>									
		<i>Lucas</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>m</i>									
		<i>John</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>m</i>									
		<i>George</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>m</i>									
<i>97</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>John Mitchell</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>	<i>1752</i>						
		<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>Martha</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>f</i>									
		<i>James</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>							
		<i>Alexander</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Wife</i>		<i>Ohio</i>					
		<i>Margaretta</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>f</i>				<i>Ohio</i>					
		<i>William Herwe</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>m</i>	<i>B</i>			<i>Pennsylvania</i>					
<i>101</i>		<i>David Clark</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>m</i>		<i>Farmer</i>		<i>Ohio</i>					
		<i>Margaretta</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>f</i>				<i>Pennsylvania</i>					
		<i>Anna C.</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>f</i>									

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SCHEDULE 1—Free Inhabitants in Greene Township in the County of Beaver State of Penn. enumerated by me, on the 21st day of July, 1860. A. H. Beckler Ass't Marshal

Post Office W. C. 11600

1	2	3	4			7	8		10	11	12	13
			5	6	7		8	9				
26	Johnston Calhoun	42	20			Barman	\$300	\$200	Greene			
27	Hold		41	2								
28	Hold		22	4								
29	Hold		25	4								
30	Hold		11	7								
No. white males, _____ No. colored males, _____ No. foreign born, _____ No. blind, _____ No. white females, _____ No. colored females, _____ No. deaf and dumb, _____ No. insane, _____												

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SCHEDULE 1—Free Inhabitants in Greene Township in the County of Beaver State of Penn. enumerated by me, on the 21st day of July, 1860. A. H. Beckler Ass't Marshal

Post Office W. C. 11600

1	2	3	4			7	8		10	11	12	13
			5	6	7		8	9				
1	Joseph Calhoun	42	20			Barman			Greene			
2	Hold		11	7								
3	Hold		17	7								
4	Hold		10	4								
5	Hold		8	6								
6	Hold		6	6								
7	Hold		11	7								
8	Hold		1	7								
9	Hold		1	7								
10	Hold		20	7				20				
No. white males, _____ No. colored males, _____ No. foreign born, _____ No. blind, _____ No. white females, _____ No. colored females, _____ No. deaf and dumb, _____ No. insane, _____												

1	2	3	4			7	8		10	11	12	13
			5	6	7		8	9				
27	Johnston Calhoun	42	20			Barman	\$127,000		Greene			
28	Hold		38	2								
29	Hold		12	4								
30	Hold		10	7								
No. white males, _____ No. colored males, _____ No. foreign born, _____ No. blind, _____ No. white females, _____ No. colored females, _____ No. deaf and dumb, _____ No. insane, _____												

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Johnston Calhoun [son of Joseph] (and Jane Calhoun, mother)

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SCHEDULE 1. Free Inhabitants in Liverpool in the County of Columbiana State of Ohio enumerated by me, on the 16th day of June 1860. John M. Fisher Marshal
 Post Office East Liverpool

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		9	10	11	12	13	14
							Value of Real Estate	Value of Personal Estate						
		<u>James B. Smith</u>	<u>25</u>							<u>Ohio</u>				
		<u>John Smith</u>	<u>52</u>											
<u>67</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>James Young</u>	<u>78</u>		<u>Retired</u>	<u>6000 0000</u>				<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>James</u>	<u>78</u>											
<u>61</u>	<u>62</u>	<u>Saml. H. Bohman</u>	<u>33</u>		<u>Farmer</u>	<u>6000 000</u>				<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>William</u>	<u>57</u>							<u>Ohio</u>				
<u>67</u>	<u>68</u>	<u>J. H. Clark</u>	<u>37</u>		<u>Farmer</u>	<u>6000 000</u>				<u>Ohio</u>				
		<u>David P.</u>	<u>37</u>							<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>James</u>	<u>0</u>							<u>Ohio</u>				
		<u>James</u>	<u>2</u>											
		<u>Andrew</u>	<u>2</u>											
		<u>James</u>	<u>01</u>							<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>James</u>	<u>61</u>											
		<u>James</u>	<u>20</u>							<u>Ohio</u>				
<u>71</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>William Rice</u>	<u>58</u>		<u>Farmer</u>	<u>12000 0000</u>				<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>Nancy</u>	<u>58</u>							<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>William</u>	<u>21</u>		<u>Farmer</u>					<u>Ohio</u>				
		<u>Nancy</u>	<u>17</u>		<u>Domestic</u>									
		<u>George</u>	<u>23</u>											
<u>71</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>James M. Young</u>	<u>45</u>		<u>Farmer</u>	<u>7000 0000</u>				<u>Ohio</u>				
		<u>Elizabeth</u>	<u>50</u>											
		<u>William D. Coy</u>	<u>18</u>											
		<u>Charles</u>	<u>3</u>							<u>Illinois</u>				
<u>70</u>	<u>71</u>	<u>John</u>	<u>53</u>		<u>Farmer</u>	<u>6000 0000</u>				<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>Richard</u>	<u>48</u>							<u>Ohio</u>				
		<u>Agnes</u>	<u>28</u>		<u>Farmer</u>									
		<u>Emma</u>	<u>24</u>		<u>Domestic</u>					<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>James P.</u>	<u>21</u>		<u>Farmer</u>									
		<u>Mary</u>	<u>19</u>		<u>Domestic</u>									
		<u>John</u>	<u>11</u>											
		<u>Myron</u>	<u>9</u>							<u>Ohio</u>				
		<u>Olga</u>	<u>6</u>											
		<u>Seneca</u>	<u>4</u>											
<u>73</u>	<u>74</u>	<u>Wm. H. Breen</u>	<u>49</u>		<u>Farmer</u>	<u>3000 000</u>				<u>Ohio</u>				
		<u>Agnes</u>	<u>48</u>											
		<u>Henry</u>	<u>30</u>		<u>Farmer</u>									
		<u>Ruth</u>	<u>16</u>											
		<u>Samuel</u>	<u>13</u>											
<u>76</u>	<u>77</u>	<u>George Anderson</u>	<u>46</u>		<u>Farmer</u>	<u>2000 000</u>				<u>Pennsylvania</u>				
		<u>Abigail</u>	<u>47</u>											

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 Liverpool
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SCHEDULE 1—Free Inhabitants in (1860) West Va. in the County of Brooke Co. State of Virginia enumerated by me, on the 1st day of June 1860. A.S. Marshall

Post Office Holliday's Cove

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
							9	10										
Name of every person whose usual place of abode on the 1st day of June, 1860, was in this family.		Sex	Age	Color	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each person, with all Slaves over 16 years of age.	Value of Real Estate.	Value of Personal Estate.	Place of Birth, Naming the State, Territory, or Country.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper, or convict.									
		Wm. Hardness	32	Pa	Thorn Hand			Virginia										
		John Meadows	26	Pa				Ohio										
		Saml B. Westgate	42	Pa	Carpenter	200	150	Virginia										
666	667	Saml. P. Cox	41	Pa	Farmer	14000	3000	"										
		Ely. H. Cox	34	F				Pa										
		Henry Cox	13	F				Virginia										
		Thomas Cox	7	Pa				"										
		Wm. Cox	4	Pa				"										
		Frank J. Cox	4	F				"										
		Saml. J. Munson	42	F				Pa										
666	668	Wm. Hull	41	Pa	Farmer	11000	300	Ohio										
		Ely. Hull	21	F				Pa										
		Virginia Hull	24	F				Ohio										
		Hill Hull	11	Pa	Thorn Hand			"										
		Anden Hull	10	Pa				"										
		Ely. H. Hull	11	F				"										
667	669	Geo. G. Cox	41	Pa	Farmer	13000	2000	Virginia										
		Wm. A. Cox	17	F				"										
		Wiggie G. Cox	11	F				"										
		Thomas Cox	12	Pa				"										
		James D. Cox	11	F				"										
		Harsh W. Cox	7	F				"										
		Ely. H. Cox	3	F				"										
		Henry Cox	7 1/2	F				Pa										
		Edith P. Cox	2 1/2	F				"										
668	670	Abel H. Calhoun	31	Pa	Farmer	1700	200	"										
		Rebecca Calhoun	25	F				Virginia										
669		Thomas Calhoun																
670	671	John Adams	28	Pa	Farmer		100	"										
		Sarah J. Adams	31	F				Ohio										
		James Adams	28	Pa	Farmer			"										
		Rebecca Adams	27	F				"										
		Almon Adams	11	F				"										
		Robert Adams	11	Pa				"										
		John Adams	11	Pa				"										
		Henry E. Adams	13	F				"										
		Sarah Adams	1	F				"										
		Margaret Adams	5	F				Virginia										
671	672	Henry Birmingham	37	Pa	Farmer	8000	1000	"										
		Rebecca Birmingham	35	F				Pa										

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SCHEDULE 1.—Inhabitants in Wellsville Borough, in the County of Columbiana, of Ohio, enumerated by me on the First day of June, 1870. 474

Post Office: Wellsville Ohio P. A. Williamson, Act. Marshal

Name, Sex, Age, Color, and Marital Status			Occupation			Place of Birth		Place of Birth		Place of Birth		Place of Birth		Place of Birth		Place of Birth		Place of Birth	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
1	—	Laura	22	F	W	Keeping House			Pennsylvania										
2	—	Martha	20	F	W	at home			Ohio										
3	—	Martha	17	F	W	Attending School			Ohio										
4	—	Jessie	16	F	W	Attending School			Ohio										
5	222	Wendell Miller	6	M	W	Colporteur Agent	1200	1000	Pennsylvania										1
6	—	Henry	65	M	W	Keeping House			Pennsylvania										
7	—	John	28	M	W	Blacksmith			Ohio										
8	223	Engel	61	M	W	First Class Ship Captain	1200		Massachusetts										1
9	—	Rebecca	28	F	W	Keeping House			Ohio										
10	—	Wm. G.	7	M	W	Attending School			Ohio										
11	—	Edwin K.	3	M	W	at home			Ohio										
12	—	Robert Elmer	7	M	W	at home			England	1									
13	224	William Williams	17	M	W	Farmer	2500		Pennsylvania										1
14	—	Andrew	15	M	W	Keeping House			Pennsylvania										
15	—	Wm. Keayetta	11	F	W	Attending School			Pennsylvania										
16	225	Wm. Jamnath	18	M	W	Teller in Bank			Pennsylvania										1
17	—	David A.	21	M	W	Keeping House			Pennsylvania										
18	—	Jesse	5	M	W	at home			Indiana										
19	—	Edgar	3	M	W	at home			Indiana										
20	—	John G.	1	M	W	at home			Indiana	200									
21	226	Edwin Williams	18	M	W	Farmer			Ohio										1
22	—	David	30	M	W	Keeping House			Ohio										
23	—	Douglas Ella	21	F	W	Domestic Service			Ohio										
24	227	Robert Samuel	35	M	W	Partner of the Firm	2000		Pennsylvania										1
25	—	Erica A.	11	F	W	Keeping House			Pennsylvania										
26	—	Thalia	16	F	W	Attending School			Pennsylvania										
27	—	Anna	9	F	W	Attending School			Pennsylvania										
28	—	Jessie	7	F	W	Attending School			Pennsylvania										
29	—	Samuel	6	M	W	at home			Ohio										
30	—	Joseph	3	M	W	at home			Ohio										
31	228	George William	62	M	W	Keeping House	4000	300	Scotland	1									1
32	—	Marquet	37	F	W	Keeping House			Ohio										
33	—	Thelma	12	F	W	Bookkeeper	4000	2200	Ohio										
34	—	Margaret	21	F	W	at home			Ohio										
35	—	Artie	22	F	W	at home			Ohio										
36	—	Kate	20	F	W	at home			Ohio										
37	—	William	19	M	W	Farmer			Ohio										
38	—	David	19	M	W	Attending School			Ohio										
39	229	Jonathan Hunt	31	M	W	Merchant			Pennsylvania										1
40	—	Mary	30	F	W	Keeping House			Ohio										

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SCHEDULE I.—Inhabitants in Middleton Township, in the County of Columbiana, State of Ohio, enumerated by me on the 10th day of August, 1870.

Post Office: Edilton Thomas Green, Asst Marshal

1	2	3	4			7	8		10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
			1	2	3		4	5												6
		<u>Brown James</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>John Henry</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>118</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>Rambold Adam</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Laborer</u>	<u>500</u>	<u>450</u>	<u>Ohio</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>Martha</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>117</u>	<u>129</u>	<u>Crosby Henry</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Laborer</u>	<u>200</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>Mary</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>M. Mary</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>128</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>Marach Henry</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Farmer</u>	<u>7100</u>	<u>1050</u>	<u>Ohio</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>Sarah</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>Rebecca</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Home</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>Kate</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Home</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>Joseph</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Home</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>131</u>	<u>120</u>	<u>Davis Samuel</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Carpenter</u>	<u>1500</u>	<u>1100</u>	<u>Ohio</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>John McElroy</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>L. Samuel</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Pennsylvania</u>											
<u>132</u>	<u>137</u>	<u>McEoy William</u>	<u>61</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Farmer</u>	<u>7100</u>	<u>1220</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>Martha</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Pennsylvania</u>											
		<u>Lavinia</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Home</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>Elizabeth</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Home</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>133</u>	<u>123</u>	<u>Evans John</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Laborer</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>M. Mary</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Pennsylvania</u>											
		<u>W. Lilla</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>E. Edgna</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>130</u>	<u>129</u>	<u>McElroy James</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Farmer</u>	<u>7200</u>	<u>2700</u>	<u>Pennsylvania</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>James</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Pennsylvania</u>											
		<u>E. John</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Pennsylvania</u>											
		<u>J. R. H.</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>M. Laura</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>O. James</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>134</u>	<u>130</u>	<u>Swain Jackson</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Farmer</u>	<u>4000</u>	<u>800</u>	<u>Ohio</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>Sarah</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>135</u>	<u>131</u>	<u>Swain James</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Farmer</u>	<u>4000</u>	<u>650</u>	<u>Ohio</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>Margaret</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>M. Cordelia</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
<u>137</u>	<u>132</u>	<u>Swain William</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Farmer</u>	<u>7200</u>	<u>1100</u>	<u>Ohio</u>											<u>1</u>
		<u>Mary</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Keeping House</u>			<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>Lynna</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>Levina</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											
		<u>Harvey</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>10</u>				<u>Ohio</u>											

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E. James Whitehill

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SCHEDULE 1.—Inhabitants in Bloomington Township, in the County of McLean State of Illinois, enumerated by me on the 12th day of July, 1870.
 Post Office: Bloomington Ill. John Y. Calhoun Asst. Marshal

No.	Name	Sex	Age	Color	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each person, with its branch.	Married		Place of Birth, naming State or Territory of U. S., or the Country of Foreign Birth.	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane, or idiotic.	Whether ever in U. S. Army or Navy.	Whether ever in U. S. Marine Corps.	Whether ever in U. S. Army or Navy.	Whether ever in U. S. Marine Corps.
						Male	Female						
24	Amos Young	M	42	W				Illinois					
25	Robert Patrick	M	47	W	Wagoner			Pennsylvania					
	Martha	F	41	W	Keeping house			Pennsylvania					
	Frank D.	M	4	W				Pennsylvania					
	Solomon P.	M	12	W				Pennsylvania					
	Mary J.	F	1	W				Pennsylvania					
26	Robinson Anna	F	29	W	No occupation			Pennsylvania					
	Hester Robert R.	M	23	W	Machinery repairer			Virginia					
27	Emma David	F	35	W	Keeping house			England					
	Ann	F	21	W	Keeping house			England					
	David	M	9	W				England					
	Lydia	F	1	W				England					
	Alice	F	2	W				England					
28	William William	M	32	W	Coal miner			England					
	Lucy	F	22	W	Coal miner			England					
	John	M	35	W	Keeping house			England					
	John J.	M	9	W				England					
	Frank J.	M	1	W				England					
	Clara	F	2	W				England					
	Anna E.	F	5	W				England					
	Richard H.	M	2	W				England					
29	Walter Johnson	M	33	W	Planer			England					
	Emma J.	F	35	W	Keeping house			England					
	John	M	12	W				England					
	Mary	F	1	W				England					
	Robert	M	5	W				England					
30	David William	M	50	W	Wagoner			England					
	Mary	F	45	W	Keeping house			England					
	Mary A.	F	1	W				Illinois					
	Deborah	F	4	W				Illinois					
31	George William	M	21	W	Butcher			Pennsylvania					
	Kathleen	F	15	W	Keeping house			Pennsylvania					
	William	M	4	W				Illinois					
	Anna	F	1	W				Illinois					
	Archibald Andrew	M	29	W	No occupation			Pennsylvania					
32	David David	M	49	W	Wagoner			New Brunswick					
	Catherine	F	46	W	Keeping house			New Brunswick					
	Josephine	F	2	W				Illinois					
	Mary	F	1	W				Illinois					
	Robert Robert	M	13	W	Refugee Immigrant			New Brunswick					

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John Y. Calhoun

B. (1-200)

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Head of the Census Year began June 1, 1880, and ends May 31, 1881.
 Male 15 years and over included in the Enumeration who were living on the 1st day of June, 1880. All others not. (See Instructions, page 2.)
 Male 1, 1880, not included. (See Instructions, page 2.)
 Male 2. (See Instructions, page 2.)

SCHEDULE I.—Inhabitants in Wellsville, in the County of Columbiana, State of Ohio, enumerated by me on the 5th day of June, 1880.

Samuel Fisher

No.	Name	Sex	Age	Color	Marriage	Profession, Occupation, or Trade	Place of Birth	Place of Birth of Father	Place of Birth of Mother
107	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
108	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
109	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
110	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
111	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
112	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
113	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
114	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
115	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
116	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
117	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
118	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
119	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
120	John Johnson	M	45	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	Agnes	F	42	W	1	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	17	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	B. M. Johnson	F	15	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio
	W. M. Johnson	M	13	W	0	at home	Ohio	Ohio	Ohio

1880 U.S. Census, Columbiana Co., OH
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A. Y. Calhoun (also Mary Corcaran)

B. (1880)

Note A.—The Census Year begins June 1, 1880, and ends May 31, 1881.
 Note B.—All persons will be returned to the Enumeration who were living on the 1st day of June, 1880. No person will, however, be so returned who was born on the 1st day of June, 1880, and who was not born on the 1st day of June, 1880, and who was not born on the 1st day of June, 1880.
 Note C.—Persons born on the 1st, 15, 31, and 31st days will be added to those in previous tables in proportion to their age.

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SCHEDULE I.—Inhabitants in Middleton Township, in the County of Columbiana, State of Ohio
 enumerated by me on the 10th day of June, 1880.

No.	Name	Sex	Age	Color	Profession, Occupation, or Trade	Place of Birth	Married	Single	Widowed	Divorced	Deaf and Dumb	Blind	Mentally Deficient	Total
1	James Whitehill	Male	45	White	Farmer	Ohio								
2	Mary Whitehill	Female	42	White	Wife	Ohio								
3	John Whitehill	Male	15	White	Son	Ohio								
4	Elizabeth Whitehill	Female	12	White	Daughter	Ohio								
5	William Whitehill	Male	10	White	Son	Ohio								
6	Anna Whitehill	Female	8	White	Daughter	Ohio								
7	George Whitehill	Male	6	White	Son	Ohio								
8	Margaret Whitehill	Female	4	White	Daughter	Ohio								
9	Thomas Whitehill	Male	3	White	Son	Ohio								
10	Elizabeth Whitehill	Female	2	White	Daughter	Ohio								
11	John Whitehill	Male	1	White	Son	Ohio								

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James Whitehill

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Deed
Johnston Calhoun
to
Robert Calhoun
Recorded 21st April 1834

This Indenture made the twenty ninth day of August A. D. 1833. Bet
Johnston Calhoun ^{and Jane his wife} of Beaver County ^{and State of Pennsylvania}
the one part, and Robert Calhoun of the same County ^{and State of the other}
Witnesseth, that for and in consideration of the sum of Two hundred &
to them in hand paid by the said Robert Calhoun, the receipt whereof
hathly acknowledged, they the said Johnston Calhoun and wife have granted, bargained, sold, released
and confirmed, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, release, assign and confirm unto the
Robert Calhoun and his heirs and assigns forever, the following described tract of land situated in
Township Beaver County and State of Pennsylvania (it being part of a tract of land confirmed to a
Robert Keithford by the State of Virginia by Patent bearing date the 23rd day of December 1779) described
bounded as follows to wit: Beginning at a post on Conkle line, thence by land of the said Johnston Calhoun
South forty two degrees west, ninety two perches to a post, South seventy six degrees west, twenty one perch
three quarters to a post, North thirty nine degrees west, twelve perches and three quarters to a post, South
degrees west, thirty eight perches to a Walnut, South fifty five degrees east ten perches to a post, South four
degrees west thirty two perches and a half to a post, thence by land of Joseph McCreedy, North thirty
and three quarters west fifty four perches and three quarters to a post, in the field formerly a white Oak
rightly six degrees west, twenty eight perches to a white Oak, being also a common corner to William
Place, thence by land of Robert & William McVary, North twenty degrees east eighty perches to a log wall
by land of Henry Conkle, North eighty seven degrees and one sixth, east one hundred and fifty four
to the place of Beginning, containing sixty seven acres and one hundred and forty perches more
to have and to hold the said tract of land with the appurtenances and improvements thereto
the said Robert Calhoun and his heirs and assigns forever, and the said Johnston Calhoun and
for themselves and their heirs the above described tract of land from themselves and their heirs
unto the said Robert Calhoun and his heirs and assigns shall with warrant and defend by their
own witness whereof the said Johnston Calhoun and wife have hereunto set their hands and
the day and year above written.

Signed and sealed in presence of Joseph Calhoun,
John Harshe

Johnston Calhoun
Jane Calhoun

Received the day of the date above written of the above named Robert Calhoun the said sum of five
hundred Dollars being the consideration money in full for the tract of land above described.

Beaver County Do,
Before me the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace in and for said County person
the above named Johnston Calhoun and Jane his wife who each acknowledged the above Indenture
to be their act and deed to the intent it may be recorded as such; the said wife being by
separate and apart from her said husband examined, and she consents thereto being by me
known to her, did confess that without any compulsion of her said husband she did so
do. Given under my hand and seal at Green Township the 29th day of August A. D. 1833.
John Harshe

1834 Deed Johnston and Jane Calhoun to Robert Calhoun, Beaver County [Mill Creek]

Agreement & This Agree
 Alex. Young, and day of Dec
 Joseph Calhoun, Administrator of
 Joseph Calhoun, to in the
 Court of Common Pleas for said
 State of Ohio
 Joseph Calhoun of said County

of the other part Administrator of Johnston Calhoun
 do hereby certify that whereas there is a suit pending
 in the Court of Common Pleas for said Adams County
 wherein said Mary Calhoun is Plaintiff as Administratrix
 of her late husband Robt. Calhoun dec'd. it is hereby
 agreed that said suit shall be discontinued at the
 Court Costs by said Joseph Calhoun giving his promissory
 note bearing even date with this instrument for the sum
 of one hundred and four Dollars payable one year after
 date with interest, and it is further agreed that all claims
 that said Mary Calhoun Adm^r of Robert Calhoun in
 the hands of said Robt. Calhoun may have against said
 Joseph Calhoun Adm^r of Johnston Calhoun or his
 heirs or account or in any way appertaining to the
 estate of said Johnston Calhoun up to this date either
 real or personal shall be forever barred by this
 instrument from collection. And also that all claims that
 said Joseph Calhoun Adm^r of Johnston Calhoun may
 have against the estate of Robert Calhoun up to this
 date shall be forever barred from collection. And I
 Joseph M. Cready do bind my self for the faithful
 performance of the said Alex^r Young in his part of
 agreement. Witness my hands & seals the date
 Written
 Alex. Young
 Joseph Calhoun
 Joseph M. Cready

me Thompson M. Johnson
 for said County, person
 Joseph Calhoun in person
 in the within agreement &
 agreement to be their act
 mentioned & desired the
 In Testimony whereof
 his day of Dec. 1840
 J. M. Johnson

1840 Agreement to Discontinue Lawsuit between Estates of Johnston and Robert Calhoun

Quit Claim 1858
David Robinson and
Others to Samuel &
Calhoun and others
 Entered June 4th 1858

Know all men by these presents that David Robinson and Betsy Ann Robinson her wife of Beaver County and John C. Calhoun and Charlotte E. Calhoun his wife of Washington County and James Whitehill and Paul Whitehill his wife of Beaver County all in the State of Pennsylvania for an in consideration of the sum of Five hundred

dollars to them in hand paid by Samuel & Calhoun and Mary Caroline Calhoun of said Beaver County More bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain sell and convey unto the said S. C. Calhoun and M. C. Calhoun the following described premises situate in said Beaver County being the same land formerly owned by Robert Calhoun deceased being their equitable share of said premises on which Mary Calhoun widow of said deceased now lives bounded on the south by lands of Joseph M. Greedy on the east by land

of Colman Calhoun and heirs of Joseph Calhoun on the north by lands of Robert Stewart and Mary Calhoun on the west by lands of James Montgomery containing about Sixty seven acres Do More and to said deceased premises with all the appurtenances unto them the said Samuel & Calhoun and Mary Caroline Calhoun their heirs and assigns forever and the said David Robinson Betsy Ann Robinson John C. Calhoun Charlotte E. Calhoun James Whitehill and Paul Whitehill for themselves and their heirs do hereby covenant with said S. C. Calhoun and M. C. Calhoun that they will forever quit claim all their interest in and to said described premises as heirs at law of said Robert Calhoun deceased in testimony whereof the said David Robinson Betsy Ann Robinson John C. Calhoun Charlotte E. Calhoun James Whitehill and Paul Whitehill have hereunto set their hands and seals this 29th day of June A. D. 1858

signed sealed and delivered
 in presence of
 Robt Patton
 State of Pennsylvania
 1858

<u>S. C. Calhoun</u>	<u>J. C. Calhoun</u>	<u>D. Robinson</u>
<u>James Whitehill</u>	<u>B. A. Robinson</u>	<u>P. Whitehill</u>
<u>Paul Whitehill</u>	<u>S. C. Calhoun</u>	

Before me the subscriber a Justice of the peace in and for said County personally appeared the above named David Robinson and Betsy Ann Robinson his wife John C. Calhoun Charlotte E. Calhoun his wife James Whitehill and Paul Whitehill his wife and acknowledged the signing and sealing of the above deed of conveyance to be their voluntary act and deed and the said Betsy Ann Robinson Charlotte E. Calhoun and Paul Whitehill being examined by me separate and apart from their said husbands and the content of the said instrument made known to them by me they then declared that they did voluntarily sign seal and acknowledge the same given under my hand and seal officially this 29th day of June A. D. 1858

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 to S.V. and M.C. Calhoun [Mill Creek Property]
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of the first part in law equity or otherwise howsoever of record to the said
 and every part thereof "To have and to hold" The said described tract of fifty
 seven acres and One hundred and forty perches strict measure hereditaments
 and premises hereby granted or mentioned and intended so to be with the appurte-
 -ances unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns to and for
 the only proper use and behoof of the said party of the second part his heirs and
 assigns Forever And Mary Calhoun Alexander B. Calhoun and Samuel
 B. Calhoun the said parties of the first part for themselves their heirs exe-
 -cutors and administrators do by their presents Covenant grant and agree to
 and with the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns that they
 the said parties of the first part and their heirs all and singular the
 hereditaments and premises herein above described and granted or mention-
 and intended so to be with the appurtenances unto the said party of
 the second part his heirs and assigns against them the said party of the
 first part and their heirs and against all and every other person or persons
 whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof
 shall and will warrant and forever defend In Witness Whereof The said parties
 of the first part have to their presents set their hands and seals Dated the
 day and year first above written

sealed and delivered
 in the presence of us
 Jesse Smith
 John Caughy

Mary Calhoun Seal
A. B. Calhoun Seal
Samuel B. Calhoun Seal

Received the day of the date of the above indenture of
 the above named William Crawford the sum of Two Thousand Six
 hundred dollars lawful money of the United States being the con-
 sideration money above mentioned in full

Witness
 John Caughy
 Mary Calhoun
 A. B. Calhoun
 Samuel B. Calhoun

Beaver County S.S.

On the Thirtieth day
 of November Anno Domini 1856 before me the undersigned Justice of the
 peace in and for Beaver County came the above named Mary Calhoun
Alexander B. Calhoun and Samuel B. Calhoun and acknowledged
 the above indenture to be their act and deed and desired that the same
 might be recorded as such Witness my hand and seal the day and
 year aforesaid

Comp'd
 John Caughy J.P. Seal

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